



Telkom Tenders

RFB056/07

The Supply of DC Polyester and Steel Distribution Boards that will meet Telkom SA requirements

Closing date & Time	2007/09/10 @ 11:00
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Cost	R50.00

SCOPE:

This Request for Bid is for the supply of DC polyester and steel distribution boards for the Telkom Network. These products are used for housing protection devices like circuit breakers and switch disconnectors for safeguarding and protection of people and equipment. These products are made to Telkom specifications, and are therefore not off-the-shelf items.

Deliveries to Gauteng, Boksburg only.

CRITICAL CRITERIA :

The following critical criteria will be used to evaluate. Failure to comply with this criteria will result in automatic disqualification:

BEE Shareholding :

The Bidder/s must have a Black shareholding of greater than 25% in the company responding to this RFB.

CONDITIONS:

1. The bidder shall provide proof of technical expertise in terms of the design, type testing and certification of electrical assemblies and distribution boards (on their existing products).
 - The CV's (indicating the qualifications and relevant experience) of the designers shall be provided.
 - Documented proof of previous designs and certification of *Specially Tested Assemblies (STA)*, *Type Tested Assemblies (TTA)* and/or *Partially Type Tested Assemblies (PTTA)* shall be provided. (Where such skills and experience is not available it could be co-opted by means of a partnership agreement with a company who does have such skills and experience.)
2. The award of this bid will be on condition that the successful bidders supply all the prototypes and proof of completion of the type testing and certification of the products to the satisfaction of Telkom.



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3. All Distribution Boards must be certified as a STA (Specially Tested Assemblies) or MTA (Minimum Tested Assemblies) – Legal requirement. The bidders will be given 3 months for preparation for the type approval for samples and STA/MTA testing.
 4. All sample/prototype testing of products will be at no cost to Telkom.
 5. The bidder shall provide proof of its production capabilities. This will be verified by Telkom by means of a factory/site inspection by the Telkom SME team.

BIDDER'S CONFERENCE:

A Bidder's conference will be held

Date: 29 August 2007

Time: 09h00

Venue: Telkom Towers North, 152 Proes Street, Pretoria (Strelitzia).

All questions that need to be answered during the Bidders Conference must be in writing and must reach Laura Van De Werken by no later than close of business on 24 August 2007. Attendance of the Bidder's Conference is not compulsory.

The tender document can be obtained from Telkom's Tender Office at the following address:

Attention: Willie Senekal
Tel: (012) 311 3364
179 Proes Street
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