



## Telkom Tenders

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**RFP215/2009:** The supply and installation of IT hardware for Telkom Foundation Schools Connectivity Project.

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### **SCOPE:**

- Notwithstanding any other provision in this RFP, Telkom SA Ltd avails its resources and capacity to assist Telkom Foundation.

The Telkom Foundation and the Department Of National Education are in a partnership to assist schools to use technology (in particular computer technology) for curriculum delivery purposes. Under this partnership with the Department Of Education, the Telkom Foundation will aim to provide schools with Internet connectivity, in particular DSL connectivity. In addition Telkom Foundation will also provide: 1 x Interactive Electronic White Board (IEWBs), 1 x Overhead Projector and 1 x standard laptop for each school selected. One classroom per school will be equipped.

The aim (**no commitment**) is to provide and install this infrastructure to a total 600 schools in the following geographical regions:

- North West Region
- Kwa Zulu Natal
- Free State
- Eastern Cape

These regions can be changed and the bidder should be able to supply and install countrywide (SA). **All quantities and regions are non-committal and purely a guideline at this stage.** A final list with quantities will be concluded with the successful bidder.

### **CRITICAL CRITERIA RFP215/2009:**

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The following Critical Criteria is used during the first stage evaluation and is an absolute minimum requirement. All supporting documentation must be provided by the bidder. **Failure to comply with these criteria will result in automatic disqualification:**

### **BEE CRITICAL CRITERIA:**

Set aside tender for a Bidder / Service provider with effective Black ownership of fifty one percent (51%) or more Economic Interest.

- Telkom requires that all bidders must have a minimum of 51% Effective Black Shareholding/equity ownership.
- Economic Interest shall mean a member's entitlement to receive any payment from the company, which arises by virtue of the member's holding any equity interest. This shall include a shareholder's entitlement to dividends of a company limited by shareholding and a beneficiary's entitlement to share in the distributions of a trading trust.
- The Bidder must complete the BEE Questionnaire in the RFP document and provide all the documents as stated below. Failure to complete the BEE questionnaire and to provide all documents as requested in this paragraph will be taken as non compliance to these critical criteria.
- The Bidder shall be a registered legal entity.

The following documentary proof is required to substantiate compliance to the Critical Criteria. These documents must be clear about Black Ownership in the company.

- All Company registration documentation. As listed in the BEE questionnaire e.g. certified copy of the latest valid shareholders certificate.
- Certified copy of Shareholders agreement.
- ID documents.

### **TECHNICAL CRITICAL CRITERIA:**

- Bidder must be able to supply and install the requirements as set out in this RFP.
- Connectivity for the notebooks must be on board Wireless 802.11b/g as well as Ethernet connectivity 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX. The device must have a built-in modem 56 Kbps data and 14.4 Kbps fax.
- At all times local national support is required i.e. points of presence in all regions required.

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

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