



NATIONAL OIL CORPORATION OF KENYA

**TENDER FOR
PROVISION OF CIVIL MAINTENANCE AND
SMALL SCALE CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WORKS
AT NATIONAL OIL SERVICE STATIONS**

TENDER NO. NOCK/PRC/03(1404) 2017-2018

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**Tender Closing Date & Time: 03rd July 2018 at 1000hrs
(East Africa Time)**

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1 SECTION I – INVITATION TO TENDER

Tender reference No. NOCK/PRC/03(1404)207-2018

Tender Name: TENDER FOR CIVIL MAINTENANCE AND SMALL SCALE CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WORKS

1.1 National Oil Corporation of Kenya (**National Oil**) invites sealed tenders from selected Kenyan citizen contractors of NCA (Building & General Works) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 as per the National Construction Authority (NCA) for the tender **for Provision of Civil Maintenance and Small Scale Civil Construction Works** at various National Oil Stations a framework contract period of three (3) Years renewable annually based on performance .

1.2 Particulars of eligible tenderers

This Invitation to tender is open to all tenderers eligible.

To be eligible to tender, in addition to the requirements given. The following tenderers will not be eligible to tender

Tenderer if previously contracted by National Oil to offer similar works, must not have had any negative evaluation for poor performance and/or delayed delivery of service. In addition, any contract terminated on grounds of integrity and/or fraud or corruption is ineligible to tender.

In addition, Tenderers shall be required to bid for one region only. Where the tenderer has quoted for more than one region, they shall be awarded in only region where they are the most competitive in pricing.

1.3 Interested eligible tenderers may view/obtain/download tender documents at www.nationaloil.co.ke or IFMIS supplier portal: supplier.treasury.go.ke. They may also obtain further information from and inspect the tender documents at :

Procurement Department
National Oil Corporation of Kenya
Kawi House, South C
Red Cross Road, Off Popo Road
P.O Box 58567 – 00200
NAIROBI
Email: tenders@nockkenya.co.ke
during normal working hours.

1.4 Complete Bill of Quantities and printed tender documents shall be issued to tenderers on CD upon payment of Kenya Shillings one thousand only (Kshs 1,000) which is payable before issuance of the BOQs and tender document. Payment should be in form of cash deposits at the National Oil Bank Accounts as given below. The tenderer should immediately forward their particulars for records and/or for the purposes of receiving any further clarifications/addenda to tenders@nockkenya.co.ke;

(a)	Account Name:	NATIONAL OIL CORPORATION OF KENYA
	Account Number:	1107169380
	Bank:	KENYA COMMERCIAL BANK LTD
	Branch:	MOI AVENUE
(b)	Account Name:	NATIONAL OIL CORPORATION OF KENYA
	Account Number:	0560292466991
	Bank:	EQUITY BANK LIMITED
	Branch:	KENPIPE INDUSTRIAL AREA
	Swift Code:	EQBLKENA
		NAIROBI, KENYA

An official National Oil's receipt of payment of the Kshs 1,000 will be issued at the National Oil's Cashier's Office (upon verification of the deposit slip with the bank). The deposit slip must bear the depositor's (bidding company) name, so as to have the National Oil receipt for the non-refundable fee issued to the correct bidding company.

- 1.5 Prices quoted should be net inclusive of all taxes, must be in Kenya shillings and shall remain valid for **120 days** from the closing date of tender.
- 1.6 Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, clearly labeled "**TENDER FOR CIVIL MAINTENANCE AND SMALL SCALE CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WORKS AT NATIONAL OIL SERVICE STATIONS - Ref No. NOCK/PRC/03(1404)2017-2018**" with the instructions "**DO NOT OPEN BEFORE JULY 3, 2018 AT 1000HRS (EAST AFRICA TIME)**" and addressed to:

**Chief Executive Officer
National Oil Corporation of Kenya
Kawi House, South C
Red Cross Road, off Popo Road
P.O Box 58567 – 00200
NAIROBI**

Must be deposited in the tender box provided at
**1st Floor, National Oil Corporation of Kenya
Kawi House, South C
Red Cross Road, Off Popo Road
P.O Box 58567 – 00200
NAIROBI**

to be received on or before **July 3rd, 2018 at 1000hrs (East African Time)**. *Late tenders will be rejected no matter the circumstances.*

- 1.7 Bulky Tenders that do not fit into the tender box are to be submitted at the Reception Desk, National Oil Corporation, **Kawi House, South C, Red Cross Road off Popo Road** so as to be received on or before **July 3, 2018 at 1000hrs (East Africa Time)**. *Late submissions shall not be accepted*
- 1.8 Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers representatives who choose to attend the opening at

**The Meeting Room
National Oil Corporation of Kenya
Kawi House, South C
Red Cross Road, Off Popo Road
Nairobi**

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

1 General/Eligibility/Qualifications/Joint venture/Cost of tendering

- 1.1 The Employer as defined in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract invites tenders for Works Contract as described in the tender documents. The successful tenderer will be expected to complete the Works by the Intended Completion Date specified in the tender documents.
- 1.2 All tenderers shall provide the Qualification Information, a statement that the tenderer (including all members of a joint venture and subcontractors) is not associated, or has not been associated in the past, directly or indirectly, with the Consultant or any other entity that has prepared the design, specifications, and other documents for the project or being proposed as Project Manager for the Contract. A firm that has been engaged by the Employer to provide consulting services for the preparation or supervision of the Works, and any of its affiliates, shall not be eligible to tender.
- 1.3 All tenderers shall provide in the Form of Tender and Qualification Information, a preliminary description of the proposed work method and schedule, including drawings and charts, as necessary.
- 1.4 In the event that pre-qualification of potential tenderers has been undertaken, only tenders from pre-qualified tenderers will be considered for award of Contract. These qualified tenderers should submit with their tenders any information updating their original pre-qualification applications or, alternatively, confirm in their tenders that the originally submitted pre-qualification information remains essentially correct as of the date of tender submission.
- 1.5 Where no pre-qualification of potential tenderers has been done, all tenderers shall include the following information and documents with their tenders , unless otherwise stated:
 - (a) copies of original documents defining the constitution or legal status, place of registration, and principal place of business; written power of attorney of the signatory of the tender to commit the tenderer:
 - (b) total monetary value of construction work performed for each of the last five years:
 - (c) experience in works of a similar nature and size for each of the last five years, and details of work under way or contractually committed; and names and addresses of clients who may be contacted for further information on these contracts;
 - (d) major items of construction equipment proposed to carry out the Contract and an undertaking that they will be available for the Contract.
 - (e) Qualifications and experience of key site management and technical personnel proposed for the Contract and an undertaking that they shall be available for the Contract.

- (f) reports on the financial standing of the tenderer, such as profit and loss statements and auditor's reports for the past five years;
- (g) evidence of adequacy of working capital for this Contract (access to line(s) of credit and availability of other financial resources);
- (h) authority to seek references from the tenderer's bankers;
- (i) information regarding any litigation, current or during the last five years, in which the tenderer is involved, the parties concerned and disputed amount; and
- (j) proposals for subcontracting components of the Works amounting to more than 10 percent of the Contract Price.

1.6 Tenders submitted by a joint venture of two or more firms as partners shall comply with the following requirements, unless otherwise stated:

- (a) the tender shall include all the information listed in clause 1.5 above for each joint venture partner;
- (b) the tender shall be signed so as to be legally binding on all partners;
- (c) all partners shall be jointly and severally liable for the execution of the Contract in accordance with the Contract terms;
- (d) one of the partners will be nominated as being in charge, authorised to incur liabilities, and receive instructions for and on behalf of all partners of the joint venture; and
- (e) the execution of the entire Contract, including payment, shall be done exclusively with the partner in charge.

1.7 To qualify for award of the Contract, tenderers shall meet the following minimum qualifying criteria;

- (a) annual volume of construction work of at least 2.5 times the estimated annual cash flow for the Contract;
- (b) experience as main contractor in the construction of at least ten years
- (c) two works of a nature and complexity equivalent to the Works over the last 10 years (to comply with this requirement, works cited should be at least 70 percent complete);
- (d) proposals for the timely acquisition (own, lease, hire, etc.) of the essential equipment listed as required for the Works;

- (e) a Contract manager with at least five years' experience in works of an equivalent nature and volume, including no less than three years as Manager; and
 - (f) liquid assets and/or credit facilities, net of other contractual commitments and exclusive of any advance payments which may be made under the Contract, of no less than 4 months of the estimated payment flow under this Contract.
- 1.8 The figures for each of the partners of a joint venture shall be added together to determine the tenderer's compliance with the minimum qualifying criteria of clause 1.7 (a) and (e); however, for a joint venture to qualify, each of its partners must meet at least 25 percent of minimum criteria 1.7 (a), (b) and (e) for an individual tenderer, and the partner in charge at least 40 percent of those minimum criteria. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in rejection of the joint venture's tender. Subcontractors' experience and resources will not be taken into account in determining the tenderer's compliance with the qualifying criteria, unless otherwise stated.
- 1.9 Each tenderer shall submit only one tender, either individually or as a partner in a joint venture. A tenderer who submits or participates in more than one tender (other than as a subcontractor or in cases of alternatives that have been permitted or requested) will cause all the proposals with the tenderer's participation to be disqualified.
- 1.10 The tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of his tender, and the Employer will in no case be responsible or liable for those costs.
- 1.11 The tenderer, at the tenderer's own responsibility and risk, is encouraged to visit and examine the Site of the Works and its surroundings, and obtain all information that may be necessary for preparing the tender and entering into a contract for construction of the Works. The costs of visiting the Site shall be at the tenderer's own expense.
- 1.12 The procuring entity's employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate in the tender.
- 1.13 The price to be charged for the tender document shall not exceed Kshs.5,000/=
- 1.14 The procuring entity shall allow the tenderer to review the tender document free of charge before purchase.

2 Tender Documents

- 2.1 The complete set of tender documents comprises the documents listed below and any addenda issued in accordance with Clause 2.4.
- (a) These Instructions to Tenderers
 - (b) Form of Tender and Qualification Information
 - (c) Conditions of Contract
 - (d) Appendix to Conditions of Contract

- (e) Specifications
 - (f) Drawings
 - (g) Bills of Quantities
 - (h) Forms of Securities
- 2.2 The tenderer shall examine all Instructions, Forms to be filled and Specifications in the tender documents. Failure to furnish all information required by the tender documents, or submission of a tender not substantially responsive to the tendering documents in every respect will be at the tenderer's risk and may result in rejection of his tender.
- 2.3 A prospective tenderer making an inquiry relating to the tender documents may notify the Employer in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile at the address indicated in the letter of invitation to tender. The Employer will only respond to requests for clarification received earlier than seven days prior to the deadline for submission of tenders. Copies of the Employer's response will be forwarded to all persons issued with tendering documents, including a description of the inquiry, but without identifying its source.
- 2.4 Before the deadline for submission of tenders, the Employer may modify the tendering documents by issuing addenda. Any addendum thus issued shall be part of the tendering documents and shall be communicated in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile to all tenderers. Prospective tenderers shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in writing to the Employer.
- 2.5 To give prospective tenderers reasonable time in which to take an addendum into account in preparing their tenders, the Employer may extend, as necessary, the deadline for submission of tenders, in accordance with Clause 4.2 here below.

3 Preparation of Tenders

- 3.1 All documents relating to the tender and any correspondence shall be in English language.
- 3.2 The tender submitted by the tenderer shall comprise the following:
- (a) These Instructions to Tenderers, Form of Tender, Conditions of Contract, Appendix to Conditions of Contract and Specifications;
 - (b) Tender Security;
 - (c) Priced Bill of Quantities ;
 - (d) Qualification Information Form and Documents;
 - (e) Alternative offers where invited; and
 - (f) Any other materials required to be completed and submitted by the tenderers.
 - (g) Copy of Official tender purchase receipt

- 3.3 The tenderer shall fill in rates and prices for all items of the Works described in the Bill of Quantities. Items for which no rate or price is entered by the tenderer will not be paid for when executed and shall be deemed covered by the other rates and prices in the Bill of Quantities. All duties, taxes, and other levies payable by the Contractor under the Contract, or for any other cause relevant to the Contract, as of 30 days prior to the deadline for submission of tenders, shall be included in the tender price submitted by the tenderer.
- 3.4 The rates and prices quoted by the tenderer shall only be subject to adjustment during the performance of the Contract if provided for in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract and provisions made in the Conditions of Contract.
- 3.5 The unit rates and prices shall be in Kenya Shillings.
- 3.6 Tenders shall remain valid for a period of one hundred and twenty (120) days from the date of submission. However in exceptional circumstances, the Employer may request that the tenderers extend the period of validity for a specified additional period. The request and the tenderers' responses shall be made in writing. A tenderer may refuse the request without forfeiting the Tender Security. A tenderer agreeing to the request will not be required or permitted to otherwise modify the tender, but will be required to extend the validity of Tender Security for the period of the extension, and in compliance with Clause 3.7 - 3.11 in all respects.
- 3.7 The tenderer shall furnish, as part of the tender, a Tender Security in the amount and form specified in the appendix to invitation to tenderers. This shall be in the amount not exceeding 2 percent of the tender price
- 3.8 The format of the Tender Security should be in accordance with the form of Tender Security included in Section VIII - Standard forms or any other form acceptable to the Employer. Tender Security shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity of the tender.
- 3.9 Any tender not accompanied by an acceptable Tender Security shall be rejected. The Tender Security of a joint venture must define as "Tenderer" all joint venture partners and list them in the following manner: a joint venture consisting of ".....", ".....", and ".....".
- 3.10 The Tender Securities of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned within 28 days of the end of the tender validity period specified in Clause 3.6.
- 3.11 The Tender Security of the successful tenderer will be discharged when the tenderer has signed the Contract Agreement and furnished the required Performance Security.
- 3.12 The Tender Security may be forfeited
 - (a) if the tenderer withdraws the tender after tender opening during the period of tender validity;

- (b) if the tenderer does not accept the correction of the tender price, pursuant to Clause 5.7;
 - (c) in the case of a successful tenderer, if the tenderer fails within the specified time limit to
 - (i) sign the Agreement, or
 - (ii) furnish the required Performance Security.
- 3.13 Tenderers shall submit offers that comply with the requirements of the tendering documents, including the basic technical design as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. Alternatives will not be considered, unless specifically allowed in the invitation to tender. If so allowed, tenderers wishing to offer technical alternatives to the requirements of the tendering documents must also submit a tender that complies with the requirements of the tendering documents, including the basic technical design as indicated in the Drawings and Specifications. In addition to submitting the basic tender, the tenderer shall provide all information necessary for a complete evaluation of the alternative, including design calculations, technical specifications, breakdown of prices, proposed construction methods and other relevant details. Only the technical alternatives, if any, of the lowest evaluated tender conforming to the basic technical requirements shall be considered.
- 3.14 The tenderer shall prepare one original of the documents comprising the tender documents as described in Clause 3.2 of these Instructions to Tenderers, bound with the volume containing the Form of Tender and clearly marked “**ORIGINAL**”. In addition, the tenderer shall submit copies of the tender, in the number specified in the invitation to tender, and clearly marked as “**COPY**”. In the event of discrepancy between them, the original shall prevail.
- 3.15 The original and all copies of the tender shall be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by a person or persons duly authorised to sign on behalf of the tenderer, pursuant to Clause 1.5 (a) or 1.6 (b), as the case may be. All pages of the tender where alterations or additions have been made shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.
- 3.16 Clarification of tenders shall be requested by the tenderer to be received by the procuring entity not later than 7 days prior to the deadline for submission of tenders.
- 3.17 The procuring entity shall reply to any clarifications sought by the tenderer within 3 days of receiving the request to enable the tenderer to make timely submission of its tender.
- 3.18 The tender security shall be in the amount of 0.5 – 2 per cent of the tender price.

4 Submission of Tenders

- 4.1 The tenderer shall seal the original and copy of the tender in one outer envelope, duly marking the inner envelopes as “**ORIGINAL**” and “**COPY**” as appropriate. The inner and outer envelopes shall:
- (a) be addressed to the Employer at the address provided in the invitation to tender;
 - (b) bear the name and identification number of the Contract as defined in the invitation to tender; and
 - (c) provide a warning not to open before the specified time and date for tender opening.
- 4.2 Tenders shall be delivered to the Employer at the address specified above not later than the time and date specified in the invitation to tender. However, the Employer may extend the deadline for submission of tenders by issuing an amendment in accordance with Sub-Clause 2.5 in which case all rights and obligations of the Employer and the tenderers previously subject to the original deadline will then be subject to the new deadline.
- 4.3 Any tender received after the deadline prescribed in clause 4.2 will be returned to the tenderer un-opened.
- 4.4 Tenderers may modify or withdraw their tenders by giving notice in writing before the deadline prescribed in clause 4.2. Each tenderer’s modification or withdrawal notice shall be prepared, sealed, marked and delivered in accordance with clause 3.13 and 4.1, with the outer and inner envelopes additionally marked “**MODIFICATION**” and “**WITHDRAWAL**”, as appropriate. No tender may be modified after the deadline for submission of tenders.
- 4.5 Withdrawal of a tender between the deadline for submission of tenders and the expiration of the period of tender validity specified in the invitation to tender or as extended pursuant to Clause 3.6 may result in the forfeiture of the Tender Security pursuant to Clause 3.11.
- 4.6 Tenderers may only offer discounts to, or otherwise modify the prices of their tenders by submitting tender modifications in accordance with Clause 4.4 or be included in the original tender submission.

5 Tender Opening and Evaluation

- 5.1 The tenders will be opened by the Employer, including modifications made pursuant to Clause 4.4, in the presence of the tenderers’ representatives who choose to attend at the time and in the place specified in the invitation to tender. Envelopes marked “**WITHDRAWAL**” shall be opened and read out first. Tenderers’ and Employer’s representatives who are present during the opening shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.

- 5.2 The tenderers' names, the tender prices, the total amount of each tender and of any alternative tender (if alternatives have been requested or permitted) any discounts, tender modifications and withdrawals, the presence or absence of Tender Security and such other details as may be considered appropriate, will be announced by the Employer at the opening. Minutes of the tender opening, including the information disclosed to those present will be prepared by the Employer.
- 5.3 Information relating to the examination, clarification, evaluation, and comparison of tenders and recommendations for the award of contract shall not be disclosed to tenderers or any other persons not officially concerned with such process until the award to the successful tenderer has been announced. Any effort by a tenderer to influence the Employer's officials, processing of tenders or award decisions may result in the rejection of his tender.
- 5.4 To assist in the examination, evaluation, and comparison of tenders, the Employer at his discretion, may ask any tenderer for clarification of the tender, including breakdowns of unit rates. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile but no change in the price or substance of the tender shall be sought, offered or permitted except as required to confirm the correction of arithmetic errors discovered in the evaluation of the tenders in accordance with Clause 5.7.
- 5.5 Prior to the detailed evaluation of tenders, the Employer will determine whether each tender (a) meets the eligibility criteria defined in Clause 1.7; (b) has been properly signed; (c) is accompanied by the required securities and (d) is substantially responsive to the requirements of the tendering documents. A substantially responsive tender is one which conforms to all the terms, conditions and specifications of the tendering documents, without material deviation or reservation. A material deviation or reservation is one (a) which affects in any substantial way the scope, quality, or performance of the works; (b) which limits in any substantial way, inconsistent with the tendering documents, the Employer's rights or the tenderer's obligations under the Contract or (c) whose rectification would affect unfairly the competitive position of other tenderers presenting substantially responsive tenders.
- 5.6 If a tender is not substantially responsive, it will be rejected, and may not subsequently be made responsive by correction or withdrawal of the nonconforming deviation or reservation.
- 5.7 Tenders determined to be substantially responsive will be checked for any arithmetic errors. Errors will be corrected as follows:
- (a) where there is a discrepancy between the amount in figures and the amount in words, the amount in words will prevail; and
 - (b) where there is a discrepancy between the unit rate and the line item total resulting from multiplying the unit rate by the quantity, the unit rate as quoted will prevail, unless in the opinion of the Employer, there is an obvious typographical error, in which case the adjustment will be made to the entry containing that error.

- (c) In the event of a discrepancy between the tender amount as stated in the Form of Tender and the corrected tender figure in the main summary of the Bill of Quantities, the amount as stated in the Form of Tender shall prevail.
 - (d) The Error Correction Factor shall be computed by expressing the difference between the tender amount and the corrected tender sum as a percentage of the corrected Builder's Work (i.e. Corrected tender sum less P.C. and Provisional Sums)
 - (e) The Error Correction Factor shall be applied to all Builders' Work (as a rebate or addition as the case may be) for the purposes of valuations for Interim Certificates and valuation of variations.
 - (f) the amount stated in the tender will be adjusted in accordance with the above procedure for the correction of errors and, with concurrence of the tenderer, shall be considered as binding upon the tenderer. If the tenderer does not accept the corrected amount, the tender may be rejected and the Tender Security may be forfeited in accordance with clause 3.11.
- 5.8 The Employer will evaluate and compare only the tenders determined to be substantially responsive in accordance with Clause 5.5.
- 5.9 In evaluating the tenders, the Employer will determine for each tender the evaluated tender price by adjusting the tender price as follows:
- (a) making any correction for errors pursuant to clause 5.7;
 - (b) excluding provisional sums and the provision, if any, for contingencies in the Bill of Quantities, but including Dayworks where priced competitively.
 - (c) making an appropriate adjustment for any other acceptable variations, deviations, or alternative offers submitted in accordance with clause 3.12; and
 - (d) making appropriate adjustments to reflect discounts or other price modifications offered in accordance with clause 4.6
- 5.10 The Employer reserves the right to accept or reject any variation, deviation, or alternative offer. Variations, deviations, and alternative offers and other factors which are in excess of the requirements of the tender documents or otherwise result in unsolicited benefits for the Employer will not be taken into account in tender evaluation.
- 5.11 The tenderer shall not influence the Employer on any matter relating to his tender from the time of the tender opening to the time the Contract is awarded. Any effort by the Tenderer to influence the Employer or his employees in his decision on tender evaluation, tender comparison or Contract award may result in the rejection of the tender.
- 5.12 Firms incorporated in Kenya where indigenous Kenyans own 51% or more of the share capital shall be allowed a 10% preferential bias provided that they do not sub-

contract work valued at more than 50% of the Contract Price excluding Provisional Sums to a non-indigenous sub-contractor.

6 Award of Contract

- 6.1 Subject to Clause 6.2, the award of the Contract will be made to the tenderer whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive to the tendering documents and who has offered the lowest evaluated tender price, provided that such tenderer has been determined to be (a) eligible in accordance with the provision of Clauses 1.2, and (b) qualified in accordance with the provisions of clause 1.7 and 1.8.
- 6.2 Notwithstanding clause 6.1 above, the Employer reserves the right to accept or reject any tender, and to cancel the tendering process and reject all tenders, at any time prior to the award of Contract, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected tenderer or tenderers or any obligation to inform the affected tenderer or tenderers of the grounds for the action.
- 6.3 The tenderer whose tender has been accepted will be notified of the award prior to expiration of the tender validity period in writing or by cable, telex or facsimile. This notification (hereinafter and in all Contract documents called the “Letter of Acceptance”) will state the sum (hereinafter and in all Contract documents called the “Contract Price”) that the Employer will pay the Contractor in consideration of the execution, completion, and maintenance of the Works by the Contractor as prescribed by the Contract. At the same time the other tenderers shall be informed that their tenders have not been successful.
- The contract shall be formed on the parties signing the contract.
- 6.4 The Agreement will incorporate all agreements between the Employer and the successful tenderer. Within 14 days of receipt the successful tenderer will sign the Agreement and return it to the Employer.
- 6.5 Within 21 days after receipt of the Letter of Acceptance, the successful tenderer shall deliver to the Employer a Performance Security in the amount stipulated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract and in the form stipulated in the Tender documents. The Performance Security shall be in the amount and specified form
- 6.6 Failure of the successful tenderer to comply with the requirements of clause 6.5 shall constitute sufficient grounds for cancellation of the award and forfeiture of the Tender Security.
- 6.7 Upon the furnishing by the successful tenderer of the Performance Security, the Employer will promptly notify the other tenderers that their tenders have been unsuccessful.
- 6.8 Preference where allowed in the evaluation of tenders shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months)
- 6.9 The tender evaluation committee shall evaluate the tender within 30 days of the validity period from the date of opening the tender.

- 6.10 The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 30 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.
- 6.11 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months).
- 6.12 Where contract price variation is allowed, the valuation shall not exceed 15% of the original contract price.
- 6.13 Price variation request shall be processed by the procuring entity within 30 days of receiving the request.
- 6.14 The procuring entity may at any time terminate procurement proceedings before contract award and shall not be liable to any person for the termination.
- 6.15 The procuring entity shall give prompt notice of the termination to the tenderers and on request give its reasons for termination within 14 days of receiving the request from any tenderer.
- 6.16 A tenderer who gives false information in the tender document about its qualification or who refuses to enter into a contract after notification of contract award shall be considered for debarment from participating in future public procurement.

7 Corrupt and Fraudulent practices

- 7.1 The procuring entity requires that tenderers observe the highest standards of ethics during procurement process and execution of contracts. A tenderer shall sign a declaration that he has not and will not be involved in corrupt and fraudulent practices.

8 APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TENDERERS

The appendix to instructions to tenderers is intended to assist the procuring entity in providing specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the instructions to tenderers included in section II.

Appendix to instructions to tenderers

The following information shall complement or amend the Provisions of the instructions to tenderers. Wherever there is a conflict between the provisions of the instructions to tenderers and the provisions of the appendix, the provisions of the appendix herein shall prevail over those of the instructions to tenderers.

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1.	<p>Particulars of eligible tenderers</p> <p>This Invitation to tender is open to all tenderers eligible.</p> <p>To be eligible to tender, in addition to the requirements given. The following tenderers will not be eligible to tender</p> <p><i>Tenderer if previously contracted by National Oil to offer similar works, must not have had any negative evaluation for poor performance and/or delayed delivery of works. In addition, any contract terminated on grounds of integrity and/or fraud or corruption is ineligible to tender.</i></p>
2.	<p>Complete Bill of Quantities and printed tender documents shall be issued to tenderers in soft copy on CD upon payment of Kenya Shillings one thousand only (Kshs 1,000) which is payable before issuance of the BOQs and tender document. Payment should be in form of cash deposits at the National Oil Bank Accounts as given in the instruction to tenderer. The tenderer should immediately forward their particulars for records and/or for the purposes of receiving any further clarifications/addenda to tenders@nockenya.co.ke;</p>
3.	<p>The tender security required is Kenya Shillings One Hundred Thousand (KShs.100, 000) in form of a bank guarantee drawn by a bank licensed and operating in Kenya. Where a tender security is issued from an insurance company</p>
4.	<p>Submission of Tenders:</p> <p>Pursuant to the invitation to tender, Interested bidders shall be required to submit their tender documents in two (2) sealed envelopes enclosed in a larger outer envelope clearly labeled “TENDER FOR CIVIL MAINTENANCE AND SMALL SCALE CIVIL CONSTRUCTION WORKS AT NATIONAL OIL SERVICE STATIONS– Tender Reference No. NOCK/PRC/03(1404) 2017-2018” with the instructions “Do not open before 3rd July 2018 at 1000hrs (East Africa Time)” :</p>

5.

EVALUATION AND COMPARISON OF TENDERS

A. PRELIMINARY EVALUATION

*The tenderer shall provide the following **mandatory requirements** which shall be used for the preliminary evaluation (**failure to submit the mandatory requirements will lead to disqualification from the tender process**).*

- Copy of the official National Oil receipt issued upon presentation of the bank deposit slip
- Copy of certificate of Incorporation/Registration
- Copy of **Valid** Tax compliance certificate.
- Copy of the CR12 form issued by the Registrar of Companies
- Valid Copy of the Registration Certificate from National Construction Authority (NCA) Category 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 (Civil and/or Building and general works).
- **Valid Copy of valid annual practicing license** from National Construction Authority (NCA)
- Tender security of Kenya Shillings One Hundred Thousand (Kshs 100,000) in form of a bank guarantee from a bank registered in Kenya and recognized by the Central Bank of Kenya or a guarantee from an insurance company recognized by Public Procurement Oversight Authority;

NB: For Youth, Women and Persons with Disability are to submit a duly signed Tender Securing Declaration Form (Section VII-form 6) in addition to a copy of the registration certificate from the National Treasury recognizing them as a specialized group under preferential treatment.

- Duly filled and signed Bidder’s Declaration and Integrity Pact (Section VIII); and
- Duly filled and signed Confidential Business Questionnaire (Section VIII).
- Properly bound, paginated tender document (each page of the tender submission must have a number and numbers must be in chronological order)

Tenderers will be disqualified from the tendering process if they do not pass the preliminary evaluation by not submitting all the mandatory documentation listed above.

B. TECHNICAL EVALUATION

The evaluation criteria below will be used to evaluate the technical responsiveness of the tenders.

Evaluation criteria	Score
a. Years of Experience: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0-5 Years – 1 Marks. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6-10 Years – 2 Marks. • Above 10 Years – 4 Marks. <p>b. Cost of contracts/projects undertaken, Provide evidence of LPOs for works done either LPOs, contracts, practical completion certificates, or agreements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100,000 – 500,000 – 1 Marks. • 500,001 – 1,500,000 – 2 Marks. • Above 1,500,000 – 4 Marks. <p>c. Demonstrate relevant experience in five projects in each of the sections outlined below in provision of similar works in civil, building and maintenance works undertaken in the last 5 years as outlined below. Provide the following information for each of the five projects with evidence of either LPOs, contracts, practical completion certificates, recommendation letters or agreements;</p> <p>Scope: Brief Description of all works shall include but not limited to Provision of Service Station forecourt repairs/solutions (Both paving blocks and/or concrete works), rehabilitation of storm and foul/grey water drainage and disposal works, rehabilitation (manholes/ gratings/ inverted block drains/culverts/septic tanks/interceptors/French drains). Also experience in minor mechanical and electrical repairs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 No. Projects in construction/civil, building and maintenance works in Petrol Service Stations • 2No. projects in General civil, building and maintenance works <p>Any of the above evidence documentation must be provided to earn marks in this section (b), otherwise a contractor earns zero marks.</p> <p>Total for(d) = 8 Marks per project * 5No</p>	<p>4 Marks.</p> <p>4 Marks</p> <p>40 Marks</p>
	<p>d. List of equipment for performance of each of the below work categories. Evidence of ownership or otherwise (e.g. Lease agreements or certificate of ownership) must be provided.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excavation – 1 Marks. • Compaction – 1 Marks. • Concrete works – 2 Marks. • Vehicles – 1 Marks. • Others – 1 Marks. 	<p>6 Marks</p>

	<p>e. CVs and Certificates of key site management and technical personnel outlined below, including proof of Membership certificate(s) to statutory and/ or other affiliations/ bodies/ associations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site Manager: Min. 7 years’ experience in similar works/ position – 4 Marks. • Site Supervisor/COW/Foreman: Min. 5 years’ Experience in similar works/ position – 3 Marks. • Civil Engineer: Min. 5 years’ experience – 2 Marks. • Mason(s) – 1 Marks. • Carpenter(s) – 0.5 Marks. • Welder(s) – 0.5 Marks. • Safety Officer/ Marshall – 1 Marks. <p>Submission of the CV or Certificates alone will attract only have of the possible maximum award.</p>	12 Marks
	<p>f. EHS Policy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clearly demonstrate and present the Environment, Health and Safety Policy for the company – 2 Marks. • List of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Overalls, helmets, dust coats, gloves, safety shoes etc. – 2 Marks. 	4 Mrks
TOTAL MARKS		70
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only bidders with a technical score of 55 points and above out of the maximum possible 70 points shall be considered technically responsive, hence qualify for opening of their financial bids. • In addition, the evaluation committee will determine whether the financial tenders are complete i.e. whether the tenderer has cost all the items in the schedule of prices and schedule of day works and rates. The cost of any unpriced items in the schedule of prices shall be assumed to be included in other costs in the proposal. • Each lump sum rate inserted in the Schedule of Prices shall be a realistic estimate of the execution of the works to completion described under the particular item including allowance for overheads, profits and the like. Should a tender be seriously unbalanced in relation to the Employer’s estimate of the works to be performed under any item or groups of items, the tender shall be deemed not responsive. 		

6.	<p>Award of tender</p> <p>a) Competitive negotiation</p> <p>National Oil shall conduct competitive negotiations where;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • there is a tie in the lowest evaluated price by two or more tenderers; • the lowest evaluated price is in excess of available budget; or • if there is evidence that, the lowest evaluated price is above market rate <p>b) Post qualification</p> <p>National Oil shall conduct post qualification due Diligence to determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.</p> <p>c) Award</p> <p>National Oil will award the contract to the successful tenderer whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive per region and has been determined to be the lowest evaluated tender.</p> <p>NOTE: Tenderers shall be required to bid for one region only. Where the tenderer has quoted for more than one region, they shall be awarded in only region where they are the most competitive in pricing.</p>
7.	<p>Particulars of performance security</p> <p>The amount of Performance Security shall be 10% of the Purchase Order Price per works after measurements; in the format of the Performance Security Form provided in the tender document in the form of a bank guarantee drawn by a bank licensed and operating in Kenya.</p>
8.	<p>In addition to clause 7, the ethics as described below will apply:</p> <p>Ethics</p> <p>It is a requirement that both National Oil and prospective suppliers of goods, services and works observe the highest standards of ethics during the procurement and execution of contracts.</p> <p>In pursuance of this policy, National Oil requires that all bidders concerned take measures to ensure that no transfer of gifts, payments or other benefits to officials of National Oil and/or procurement/management staff with decision making responsibility or influence occurs. In this regard, National Oil will require all tenderers to sign, as part of the tender documents, an Integrity Pact (Section VIII – Standard forms). Non-delivery of the Bidders Declaration and Integrity Pact (Section VIII – Standard forms) duly undersigned by the chief executive or legal representative of the tendering party will result in exclusion of the bid/ quotation from the procurement process.</p> <p>National Oil reserves the right to suspend or cancel a tender/quotation if corrupt practices of any kind are discovered at any stage of the award process.</p>

3 SECTION III – GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

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1 Definitions

1.1 In this Contract, except where context otherwise requires, the following terms shall be interpreted as indicated;

“Bill of Quantities” means the priced and completed Bill of Quantities forming part of the tender.

“Compensation Events” are those defined in Clause 24 hereunder.

“The Completion Date” means the date of completion of the Works as certified by the Project Manager, in accordance with Clause 31.

“The Contract” means the agreement entered into between the Employer and the Contractor as recorded in the Agreement Form and signed by the parties including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein to execute, complete, and maintain the Works,

“The Contractor” refers to the person or corporate body whose tender to carry out the Works has been accepted by the Employer.

“The Contractor’s Tender” is the completed tendering document submitted by the Contractor to the Employer.

“The Contract Price” is the price stated in the Letter of Acceptance and thereafter as adjusted in accordance with the provisions of the Contract.

“Days” are calendar days; **“Months”** are calendar months.

“A Defect” is any part of the Works not completed in accordance with the Contract.

“The Defects Liability Certificate” is the certificate issued by Project Manager upon correction of defects by the Contractor.

“The Defects Liability Period” is the period named in the Contract Data and calculated from the Completion Date.

“Drawings” include calculations and other information provided or approved by the Project Manager for the execution of the Contract.

“Dayworks” are Work inputs subject to payment on a time basis for labour and the associated materials and plant.

“Employer”, or the **“Procuring entity”** as defined in the Public Procurement Regulations (i.e. Central or Local Government administration, Universities, Public Institutions and Corporations, etc) is the party who employs the Contractor to carry out the Works.

“Equipment” is the Contractor’s machinery and vehicles brought temporarily to the Site for the execution of the Works.

“The Intended Completion Date” is the date on which it is intended that the Contractor shall complete the Works. The Intended Completion Date may be revised only by the Project Manager by issuing an extension of time or an acceleration order.

“Materials” are all supplies, including consumables, used by the Contractor for incorporation in the Works.

“Plant” is any integral part of the Works that shall have a mechanical, electrical, chemical, or biological function.

“Project Manager” is the person named in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract (or any other competent person appointed by the Employer and notified to the Contractor, to act in replacement of the Project Manager) who is responsible for supervising the execution of the Works and administering the Contract and shall be an “Architect” or a “Quantity Surveyor” registered under the Architects and Quantity Surveyors Act Cap 525 or an “Engineer” registered under Engineers Registration Act Cap 530.

“Site” is the area defined as such in the Appendix to Condition of Contract.

“Site Investigation Reports” are those reports that may be included in the tendering documents which are factual and interpretative about the surface and subsurface conditions at the Site.

“Specifications” means the Specifications of the Works included in the Contract and any modification or addition made or approved by the Project Manager.

“Start Date” is the latest date when the Contractor shall commence execution of the Works. It does not necessarily coincide with the Site possession date(s).

“A Subcontractor” is a person or corporate body who has a Contract with the Contractor to carry out a part of the Work in the Contract, which includes Work on the Site.

“Temporary works” are works designed, constructed, installed, and removed by the Contractor which are needed for construction or installation of the Works.

“A Variation” is an instruction given by the Project Manager which varies the Works.

“The Works” are what the Contract requires the Contractor to construct, install, and turnover to the Employer, as defined in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.

2 Joint drafting

The parties have participated jointly in the negotiation and drafting of this agreement. In the event an ambiguity or question of intent or interpretation arises, this agreement shall be construed as if drafted jointly by the parties and no presumption or burden of proof shall arise favoring or disfavoring any party by virtue of the authorship of any of the provisions of this agreement.

3 Effectiveness of contract

This Contract shall come into effect on2018.

4 Commencement of Works

The Tenderer shall begin carrying out the works immediately the Contract becomes effective or at such other date as may be specified.

5 Interpretation

- 5.1 In interpreting these Conditions of Contract, singular also means plural, male also means female or neuter, and the other way around. Headings have no significance. Words have their normal meaning in English Language unless specifically defined. The Project Manager will provide instructions clarifying queries about these Conditions of Contract.
- 5.2 If sectional completion is specified in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract, reference in the Conditions of Contract to the Works, the Completion Date and the Intended Completion Date apply to any section of the Works (other than references to the Intended Completion Date for the whole of the Works).
- 5.3 The following documents shall constitute the Contract documents and shall be interpreted in the following order of priority;
- (1) Agreement,
 - (2) Letter of Acceptance,
 - (3) Contractor's Tender,
 - (4) Appendix to Conditions of Contract,
 - (5) Conditions of Contract,
 - (6) Specifications,
 - (7) Drawings,
 - (8) Bill of Quantities,
 - (9) Any other documents listed in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract as forming part of the Contract.

Immediately after the execution of the Contract, the Project Manager shall furnish both the Employer and the Contractor with two copies each of all the Contract documents. Further, as and when necessary the Project Manager shall furnish the Contractor [always with a copy to the Employer] with three [3] copies of such further drawings or details or descriptive schedules as are

reasonably necessary either to explain or amplify the Contract drawings or to enable the Contractor to carry out and complete the Works in accordance with these Conditions.

6 Language and Law

Language of the Contract and the law governing the Contract shall be English language and the Laws of Kenya respectively unless otherwise stated.

7 Project Manager's Decisions

Except where otherwise specifically stated, the Project Manager will decide contractual matters between the Employer and the Contractor in the role representing the Employer.

8 Delegation

The Project Manager may delegate any of his duties and responsibilities to others after notifying the Contractor.

9 Communications

Communication between parties shall be effective only when in writing. A notice shall be effective only when it is delivered.

10 Subcontracting

10.1 The Contractor may subcontract with the approval of the Project Manager, but may not assign the Contract without the approval of the Employer in writing. Subcontracting shall not alter the Contractor's obligations.

11 Other Contractors

The Contractor shall cooperate and share the Site with other contractors, public authorities, utilities etc. as listed in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract and also with the Employer, as per the directions of the Project Manager. The Contractor shall also provide facilities and services for them. The Employer may modify the said List of Other Contractors etc., and shall notify the Contractor of any such modification.

12 Personnel

The Contractor shall employ the key personnel named in the Qualification Information, to carry out the functions stated in the said Information or other personnel approved by the Project Manager. The Project Manager will approve any proposed replacement of key personnel only if their relevant qualifications and abilities are substantially equal to or better than those of the personnel listed in the Qualification Information. If the Project Manager asks the Contractor to remove a person who is a member of the Contractor's staff or work force, stating the reasons, the Contractor shall ensure that the person leaves the Site within seven days and has no further connection with the Work in the Contract.

13 Works

The Contractor shall construct and install the Works in accordance with the Specifications and Drawings. The Works may commence on the Start Date and shall be carried out in accordance with the Program submitted by the Contractor, as updated with the approval of the Project Manager, and complete them by the Intended Completion Date.

14 Safety and Temporary Works

14.1 The Contractor shall be responsible for the design of temporary works. However before erecting the same, he shall submit his designs including specifications and drawings to the Project Manager and to any other relevant third parties for their approval. No erection of temporary works shall be done until such approvals are obtained.

14.2 The Project Manager's approval shall not alter the Contractor's responsibility for design of the Temporary works and all drawings prepared by the Contractor for the execution of the temporary or permanent Works, shall be subject to prior approval by the Project Manager before they can be used.

14.3 The Contractor shall be responsible for the safety of all activities on the Site.

15 Discoveries

15.1 Anything of historical or other interest or of significant value unexpectedly discovered on Site shall be the property of the Employer. The Contractor shall notify the Project Manager of such discoveries and carry out the Project Manager's instructions for dealing with them.

16 Work Program

16.1 Within the time stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract, the Contractor shall submit to the Project Manager for approval a program showing the general methods, arrangements, order, and timing for all the activities in the Works. An update of the program shall be a program showing the actual progress achieved on each activity and the effect of the progress achieved on the timing of the remaining Work, including any changes to the sequence of the activities.

16.2 The Contractor shall submit to the Project Manager for approval an updated program at intervals no longer than the period stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract. If the Contractor does not submit an updated program within this period, the Project Manager may withhold the amount stated in the said Appendix from the next payment certificate and continue to withhold this amount until the next payment after the date on which the overdue program has been submitted. The Project Manager's approval of the program shall not alter the Contractor's obligations. The Contractor may revise the program and submit it to the Project Manager again at any time. A revised program shall show the effect of Variations and Compensation Events.

17 Possession of Site

17.1 The Employer shall give possession of all parts of the Site to the Contractor. If possession of a part is not given by the date stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract, the Employer will be deemed to have delayed the start of the relevant activities, and this will be a Compensation Event.

18 Access to Site

18.1 The Contractor shall allow the Project Manager and any other person authorised by the Project Manager, access to the Site and to any place where work in connection with the Contract is being carried out or is intended to be carried out.

19 Instructions

19.1 The Contractor shall carry out all instructions of the Project Manager which are in accordance with the Contract.

20 Extension or Acceleration of Completion Date

20.1 The Project Manager shall extend the Intended Completion Date if a Compensation Event occurs or a variation is issued which makes it impossible for completion to be achieved by the Intended Completion Date without the Contractor taking steps to accelerate the remaining Work, which would cause the Contractor to incur additional cost. The Project Manager shall decide whether and by how much to extend the Intended Completion Date within 21 days of the Contractor asking the Project Manager in writing for a decision upon the effect of a Compensation Event or variation and submitting full supporting information. If the Contractor has failed to give early warning of a delay or has failed to cooperate in dealing with a delay, the delay caused by such failure shall not be considered in assessing the new (extended) Completion Date.

20.2 No bonus for early completion of the Works shall be paid to the Contractor by the Employer.

21 Management Meetings

21.1 A Contract management meeting shall be held monthly and attended by the Project Manager and the Contractor. Its business shall be to review the plans for the remaining Work and to deal with matters raised in accordance with the early warning procedure. The Project Manager shall record the minutes of management meetings and provide copies of the same to those attending the meeting and the Employer. The responsibility of the parties for actions to be taken shall be decided by the Project Manager either at the management meeting or after the management meeting and stated in writing to all who attended the meeting.

22 Early Warning

22.1 The Contractor shall warn the Project Manager at the earliest opportunity of specific likely future events or circumstances that may adversely affect the quality of the Work, increase the Contract Price or delay the execution of the Works. The Project Manager may require the Contractor to provide an estimate of the expected effect of the future event or circumstance on the Contract Price and Completion

Date. The estimate shall be provided by the Contractor as soon as reasonably possible.

- 22.2 The Contractor shall cooperate with the Project Manager in making and considering proposals on how the effect of such an event or circumstance can be avoided or reduced by anyone involved in the Work and in carrying out any resulting instructions of the Project Manager.

23 Defects

- 23.1 The Project Manager shall inspect the Contractor's work and notify the Contractor of any defects that are found. Such inspection shall not affect the Contractor's responsibilities. The Project Manager may instruct the Contractor to search for a defect and to uncover and test any Work that the Project Manager considers may have a defect. Should the defect be found, the cost of uncovering and making good shall be borne by the Contractor. However, if there is no defect found, the cost of uncovering and making good shall be treated as a variation and added to the Contract Price.
- 23.2 The Project Manager shall give notice to the Contractor of any defects before the end of the Defects Liability Period, which begins at Completion, and is defined in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract. The Defects Liability Period shall be extended for as long as defects remain to be corrected.
- 23.3 Every time notice of a defect is given, the Contractor shall correct the notified defect within the length of time specified by the Project Manager's notice. If the Contractor has not corrected a defect within the time specified in the Project Manager's notice, the Project Manager will assess the cost of having the defect corrected by other parties and such cost shall be treated as a variation and be deducted from the Contract Price.

24 Bills of Quantities

- 24.1 The Bills of Quantities shall contain items for the construction, installation, testing and commissioning of the Work to be done by the Contractor. The Contractor will be paid for the quantity of the Work done at the rate in the Bills of Quantities for each item.
- 24.2 If the final quantity of the Work done differs from the quantity in the Bills of Quantities for the particular item by more than 25 percent and provided the change exceeds 1 percent of the Initial Contract price, the Project Manager shall adjust the rate to allow for the change.
- 24.3 If requested by the Project Manager, the Contractor shall provide the Project Manager with a detailed cost breakdown of any rate in the Bills of Quantities.

25 Variations after twelve (12) months

- 25.1 All variations shall be included in updated programs produced by the Contractor.

- 25.2 The Contractor shall provide the Project Manager with a quotation for carrying out the variations when requested to do so. The Project Manager shall assess the quotation, which shall be given within seven days of the request or within any longer period as may be stated by the Project Manager and before the Variation is ordered.
- 25.3 If the work in the variation corresponds with an item description in the Bills of Quantities and if in the opinion of the Project Manager, the quantity of work is not above the limit stated in Clause 21.2 or the timing of its execution does not cause the cost per unit of quantity to change, the rate in the Bills of Quantities shall be used to calculate the value of the variation. If the cost per unit of quantity changes, or if the nature or timing of the work in the variation does not correspond with items in the Bills of Quantities, the quotation by the Contractor shall be in the form of new rates for the relevant items of Work.
- 25.4 If the Contractor's quotation is unreasonable, the Project Manager may order the variation and make a change to the Contract price, which shall be based on the Project Manager's own forecast of the effects of the variation on the Contractor's costs.
- 25.5 If the Project Manager decides that the urgency of varying the Work would prevent a quotation being given and considered without delaying the Work, no quotation shall be given and the variation shall be treated as a Compensation Event.
- 25.6 The Contractor shall not be entitled to additional payment for costs that could have been avoided by giving early warning.
- 25.7 When the Program is updated, the Contractor shall provide the Project Manager with an updated cash flow forecast.

26 Payment Certificates, Currency of Payments and Advance Payments

- 26.1 The Contractor shall submit to the Project Manager monthly applications for payment giving sufficient details of the Work done and materials on Site and the amounts which the Contractor considers himself to be entitled to. The Project Manager shall check the monthly application and certify the amount to be paid to the Contractor within 14 days. The value of Work executed and payable shall be determined by the Project Manager.
- 26.2 The value of Work executed shall comprise the value of the quantities of the items in the Bills of Quantities completed, materials delivered on Site, variations and compensation events. Such materials shall become the property of the Employer once the Employer has paid the Contractor for their value. Thereafter, they shall not be removed from Site without the Project Manager's instructions except for use upon the Works.
- 26.3 Payments shall be adjusted for deductions for retention. The Employer shall pay the Contractor the amounts certified by the Project Manager within 30 days of the date of issue of each certificate. If the Employer makes a late payment, the Contractor shall be paid simple interest on the late payment in the next payment. Interest shall be calculated on the basis of number of days delayed at a rate three

percentage points above the Central Bank of Kenya's average rate for base lending prevailing as of the first day the payment becomes overdue.

- 26.4 If an amount certified is increased in a later certificate or as a result of an award by an Arbitrator, the Contractor shall be paid interest upon the delayed payment as set out in this clause. Interest shall be calculated from the date upon which the increased amount would have been certified in the absence of dispute.
- 26.5 Items of the Works for which no rate or price has been entered in will not be paid for by the Employer and shall be deemed covered by other rates and prices in the Contract.
- 26.6 The Contract Price shall be stated in Kenya Shillings. All payments to the Contractor shall be made in Kenya Shillings and foreign currency in the proportion indicated in the tender, or agreed prior to the execution of the Contract Agreement and indicated therein. The rate of exchange for the calculation of the amount of foreign currency payment shall be the rate of exchange indicated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract. If the Contractor indicated foreign currencies for payment other than the currencies of the countries of origin of related goods and services the Employer reserves the right to pay the equivalent at the time of payment in the currencies of the countries of such goods and services. The Employer and the Project Manager shall be notified promptly by the Contractor of an changes in the expected foreign currency requirements of the Contractor during the execution of the Works as indicated in the Schedule of Foreign Currency Requirements and the foreign and local currency portions of the balance of the Contract Price shall then be amended by agreement between Employer and the Contractor in order to reflect appropriately such changes.
- 26.7 In the event that an advance payment is granted, the following shall apply:-
- a) On signature of the Contract, the Contractor shall at his request, and without furnishing proof of expenditure, be entitled to an advance of 10% (ten percent) of the original amount of the Contract. The advance shall not be subject to retention money.
 - b) No advance payment may be made before the Contractor has submitted proof of the establishment of deposit or a directly liable guarantee satisfactory to the Employer in the amount of the advance payment. The guarantee shall be in the same currency as the advance.
 - c) Reimbursement of the lump sum advance shall be made by deductions from the Interim payments and where applicable from the balance owing to the Contractor. Reimbursement shall begin when the amount of the sums due under the Contract reaches 20% of the original amount of the Contract. It shall have been completed by the time 80% of this amount is reached.

The amount to be repaid by way of successive deductions shall be calculated by means of the formula:

$$R = \frac{A(x^1 - x^{11})}{11}$$

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Where:

- R = the amount to be reimbursed
- A = the amount of the advance which has been granted
- X^1 = the amount of proposed cumulative payments as a percentage of the original amount of the Contract. This figure will exceed 20% but not exceed 80%.
- X^{11} = the amount of the previous cumulative payments as a percentage of the original amount of the Contract. This figure will be below 80% but not less than 20%.

- (d) with each reimbursement the counterpart of the directly liable guarantee may be reduced accordingly.

27 Compensation Events

27.1 The following issues shall constitute Compensation Events:

- (a) The Employer does not give access to a part of the Site by the Site Possession Date stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.
- (b) The Employer modifies the List of Other Contractors, etc., in a way that affects the Work of the Contractor under the Contract.
- (c) The Project Manager orders a delay or does not issue drawings, specifications or instructions required for execution of the Works on time.
- (d) The Project Manager instructs the Contractor to uncover or to carry out additional tests upon the Work, which is then found to have no defects.
- (e) The Project Manager unreasonably does not approve a subcontract to be let.
- (f) Ground conditions are substantially more adverse than could reasonably have been assumed before issuance of the Letter of Acceptance from the information issued to tenderers (including the Site investigation reports), from information available publicly and from a visual inspection of the Site.
- (g) The Project Manager gives an instruction for dealing with an unforeseen condition, caused by the Employer or additional work required for safety or other reasons.
- (h) Other contractors, public authorities, utilities, or the Employer does not work within the dates and other constraints stated in the Contract, and they cause delay or extra cost to the Contractor.
- (i) The effects on the Contractor of any of the Employer's risks.

- (j) The Project Manager unreasonably delays issuing a Certificate of Completion.
 - (k) Other compensation events described in the Contract or determined by the Project Manager shall apply.
- 27.2 If a compensation event would cause additional cost or would prevent the Work being completed before the Intended Completion Date, the Contract Price shall be increased and/or the Intended Completion Date shall be extended. The Project Manager shall decide whether and by how much the Contract Price shall be increased and whether and by how much the Intended Completion Date shall be extended.
- 27.3 As soon as information demonstrating the effect of each compensation event upon the Contractor's forecast cost has been provided by the Contractor, it shall be assessed by the Project Manager, and the Contract Price shall be adjusted accordingly. If the Contractor's forecast is deemed unreasonable, the Project Manager shall adjust the Contract Price based on the Project Manager's own forecast. The Project Manager will assume that the Contractor will react competently and promptly to the event.
- 27.4 The Contractor shall not be entitled to compensation to the extent that the Employer's interests are adversely affected by the Contractor not having given early warning or not having co-operated with the Project Manager.
- 27.5 Prices shall be adjusted for fluctuations in the cost of inputs only if provided for in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.
- 27.6 The Contractor shall give written notice to the Project Manager of his intention to make a claim within thirty days after the event giving rise to the claim has first arisen. The claim shall be submitted within thirty days thereafter.
- 27.7 Provided always that should the event giving rise to the claim of continuing effect, the Contractor shall submit an interim claim within the said thirty days and a final claim within thirty days of the end of the event giving rise to the claim.

28 Price Adjustment

- 28.1 The Project Manager shall adjust the Contract Price if taxes, duties and other levies are changed between the date 30 days before the submission of tenders for the Contract and the date of Completion. The adjustment shall be the change in the amount of tax payable by the Contractor.
- 28.2 The Contract Price shall be deemed to be based on exchange rates current at the date of tender submission in calculating the cost to the Contractor of materials to be specifically imported (by express provisions in the Contract Bills of Quantities or Specifications) for permanent incorporation in the Works. Unless otherwise stated in the Contract, if at any time during the period of the Contract exchange rates shall be varied and this shall affect the cost to the Contractor of such materials, then the Project Manager shall assess the net difference in the cost of such materials.

Any amount from time to time so assessed shall be added to or deducted from the Contract Price, as the case may be.

- 28.3 Unless otherwise stated in the Contract, the Contract Price shall be deemed to have been calculated in the manner set out below and in sub-clauses 25.4 and 25.5 and shall be subject to adjustment in the events specified thereunder;
- (i) The prices contained in the Contract Bills of Quantities shall be deemed to be based upon the rates of wages and other emoluments and expenses as determined by the Joint Building Council of Kenya (J.B.C.) and set out in the schedule of basic rates issued 30 days before the date for submission of tenders. A copy of the schedule used by the Contractor in his pricing shall be attached in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.
 - (ii) Upon J.B.C. determining that any of the said rates of wages or other emoluments and expenses are increased or decreased, then the Contract Price shall be increased or decreased by the amount assessed by the Project Manager based upon the difference, expressed as a percentage, between the rate set out in the schedule of basic rates issued 30 days before the date for submission of tenders and the rate published by the J.B.C. and applied to the quantum of labour incorporated within the amount of Work remaining to be executed at the date of publication of such increase or decrease.
 - (iii) No adjustment shall be made in respect of changes in the rates of wages and other emoluments and expenses which occur after the date of Completion except during such other period as may be granted as an extension of time under clause 17.0 of these Conditions.
- 28.4 The prices contained in the Contract Bills of Quantities shall be deemed to be based upon the basic prices of materials to be permanently incorporated in the Works as determined by the J.B.C. and set out in the schedule of basic rates issued 30 days before the date for submission of tenders. A copy of the schedule used by the Contractor in his pricing shall be attached in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.
- 28.5 Upon the J.B.C. determining that any of the said basic prices are increased or decreased then the Contract Price shall be increased or decreased by the amount to be assessed by the Project Manager based upon the difference between the price set out in the schedule of basic rates issued 30 days before the date for submission of tenders and the rate published by the J.B.C. and applied to the quantum of the relevant materials which have not been taken into account in arriving at the amount of any interim certificate under clause 23 of these Conditions issued before the date of publication of such increase or decrease.
- 28.6 No adjustment shall be made in respect of changes in basic prices of materials which occur after the date for Completion except during such other period as may be granted as an extension of time under clause 17.0 of these Conditions.
- 28.7 The provisions of sub-clause 25.1 to 25.2 herein shall not apply in respect of any materials included in the schedule of basic rates.

29 Retention

29.1 The Employer shall retain from each payment due to the Contractor the proportion stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract until Completion of the whole of the Works. On Completion of the whole of the Works, half the total amount retained shall be repaid to the Contractor and the remaining half when the Defects Liability Period has passed and the Project Manager has certified that all defects notified to the Contractor before the end of this period have been corrected.

30 Liquidated Damages

30.1 The Contractor shall pay liquidated damages to the Employer at the rate stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract for each day that the actual Completion Date is later than the Intended Completion Date. The Employer may deduct liquidated damages from payments due to the Contractor. Payment of liquidated damages shall not alter the Contractor's liabilities.

30.2 If the Intended Completion Date is extended after liquidated damages have been paid, the Project Manager shall correct any overpayment of liquidated damages by the Contractor by adjusting the next payment certificate. The Contractor shall be paid interest on the overpayment, calculated from the date of payment to the date of repayment, at the rate specified in Clause 23.30.

31 Securities

31.1 The Performance Security shall be provided to the Employer no later than the date specified in the Letter of Acceptance and shall be issued in an amount and form and by a reputable bank acceptable to the Employer, and denominated in Kenya Shillings. The Performance Security shall be valid until a date 30 days beyond the date of issue of the Certificate of Completion.

32 Dayworks

32.1 If applicable, the Dayworks rates in the Contractor's tender shall be used for small additional amounts of Work only when the Project Manager has given written instructions in advance for additional work to be paid for in that way.

32.2 All work to be paid for as Dayworks shall be recorded by the Contractor on Forms approved by the Project Manager. Each completed form shall be verified and signed by the Project Manager within two days of the Work being done.

32.3 The Contractor shall be paid for Dayworks subject to obtaining signed Dayworks forms.

33 Liability and Insurance

33.1 From the Start Date until the Defects Correction Certificate has been issued, the following are the Employer's risks:

- (a) The risk of personal injury, death or loss of or damage to property (excluding the Works, Plant, Materials and Equipment), which are due to;

- (i) use or occupation of the Site by the Works or for the purpose of the Works, which is the unavoidable result of the Works, or
 - (ii) negligence, breach of statutory duty or interference with any legal right by the Employer or by any person employed by or contracted to him except the Contractor.
 - (b) The risk of damage to the Works, Plant, Materials, and Equipment to the extent that it is due to a fault of the Employer or in Employer's design, or due to war or radioactive contamination directly affecting the place where the Works are being executed.
- 33.2 From the Completion Date until the Defects Correction Certificate has been issued, the risk of loss of or damage to the Works, Plant, and Materials is the Employer's risk except loss or damage due to;
- (a) a defect which existed on or before the Completion Date.
 - (b) an event occurring before the Completion Date, which was not itself the Employer's risk
 - (c) the activities of the Contractor on the Site after the Completion Date.
- 33.3 From the Start Date until the Defects Correction Certificate has been issued, the risks of personal injury, death and loss of or damage to property (including, without limitation, the Works, Plant, Materials, and Equipment) which are not Employer's risk are Contractor's risks.
- The Contractor shall provide, in the joint names of the Employer and the Contractor, insurance cover from the Start Date to the end of the Defects Liability Period, in the amounts stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract for the following events;
- (a) loss of or damage to the Works, Plant, and Materials;
 - (b) loss of or damage to Equipment;
 - (c) loss of or damage to property (except the Works, Plant, Materials, and Equipment) in connection with the Contract, and
 - (d) personal injury or death.
- 33.4 Policies and certificates for insurance shall be delivered by the Contractor to the Project Manager for the Project Manager's approval before the Start Date. All such insurance shall provide for compensation required to rectify the loss or damage incurred.
- 33.5 If the Contractor does not provide any of the policies and certificates required, the Employer may effect the insurance which the Contractor should have provided and recover the premiums from payments otherwise due to the Contractor or, if no payment is due, the payment of the premiums shall be a debt due.

- 33.6 Alterations to the terms of insurance shall not be made without the approval of the Project Manager. Both parties shall comply with any conditions of insurance policies.

34 Completion and taking over

- 34.1 Upon deciding that the Works are complete, the Contractor shall issue a written request to the Project Manager to issue a Certificate of Completion of the Works. The Employer shall take over the Site and the Works within seven [7] days of the Project Manager's issuing a Certificate of Completion.

35 Final Account

- 35.1 The Contractor shall issue the Project Manager with a detailed account of the total amount that the Contractor considers payable to him by the Employer under the Contract before the end of the Defects Liability Period. The Project Manager shall issue a Defects Liability Certificate and certify any final payment that is due to the Contractor within 30 days of receiving the Contractor's account if it is correct and complete. If it is not, the Project Manager shall issue within 30 days a schedule that states the scope of the corrections or additions that are necessary. If the final account is still unsatisfactory after it has been resubmitted, the Project Manager shall decide on the amount payable to the Contractor and issue a Payment Certificate. The Employer shall pay the Contractor the amount due in the Final Certificate within 60 days.

36 Termination

- 36.1 The Employer or the Contractor may terminate the Contract if the other party causes a fundamental breach of the Contract. These fundamental breaches of Contract shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following;
- (a) the Contractor stops work for 30 days when no stoppage of work is shown on the current program and the stoppage has not been authorised by the Project Manager;
 - (b) the Project Manager instructs the Contractor to delay the progress of the Works, and the instruction is not withdrawn within 30 days;
 - (c) the Contractor is declared bankrupt or goes into liquidation other than for a reconstruction or amalgamation;
 - (d) a payment certified by the Project Manager is not paid by the Employer to the Contractor within 30 days (for Interim Certificate) or 60 days (for Final Certificate) of issue.
 - (e) the Project Manager gives notice that failure to correct a particular defect is a fundamental breach of Contract and the Contractor fails to correct it within a reasonable period of time determined by the Project Manager;
 - (f) the Contractor does not maintain a security, which is required.

- 36.2 When either party to the Contract gives notice of a breach of Contract to the Project Manager for a cause other than those listed under Clause 36.1 above, the Project Manager shall decide whether the breach is fundamental or not.
- 36.3 Notwithstanding the above, the Employer may terminate the Contract for convenience.
- 36.4 If the Contract is terminated, the Contractor shall stop work immediately, make the Site safe and secure, and leave the Site as soon as reasonably possible. The Project Manager shall immediately thereafter arrange for a meeting for the purpose of taking record of the Works executed and materials, goods, equipment and temporary buildings on Site.

37 Payment Upon Termination

- 37.1 If the Contract is terminated because of a fundamental breach of Contract by the Contractor, the Project Manager shall issue a certificate for the value of the Work done and materials ordered and delivered to Site up to the date of the issue of the certificate. Additional liquidated damages shall not apply. If the total amount due to the Employer exceeds any payment due to the Contractor, the difference shall be a debt payable by the Contractor.
- 37.2 If the Contract is terminated for the Employer's convenience or because of a fundamental breach of Contract by the Employer, the Project Manager shall issue a certificate for the value of the Work done, materials ordered, the reasonable cost of removal of equipment, repatriation of the Contractor's personnel employed solely on the Works, and the Contractor's costs of protecting and securing the Works.
- 37.3 The Employer may employ and pay other persons to carry out and complete the Works and to rectify any defects and may enter upon the Works and use all materials on the Site, plant, equipment and temporary works.
- 37.4 The Contractor shall, during the execution or after the completion of the Works under this clause remove from the Site as and when required, within such reasonable time as the Project Manager may in writing specify, any temporary buildings, plant, machinery, appliances, goods or materials belonging to or hired by him, and in default the Employer may (without being responsible for any loss or damage) remove and sell any such property of the Contractor, holding the proceeds less all costs incurred to the credit of the Contractor.
- Until after completion of the Works under this clause the Employer shall not be bound by any other provision of this Contract to make any payment to the Contractor, but upon such completion as aforesaid and the verification within a reasonable time of the accounts therefore the Project Manager shall certify the amount of expenses properly incurred by the Employer and, if such amount added to the money paid to the Contractor before such determination exceeds the total amount which would have been payable on due completion in accordance with this Contract the difference shall be a debt payable to the Employer by the Contractor; and if the said amount added to the said money be less than the said total amount, the difference shall be a debt payable by the Employer to the Contractor.

38 Release from Performance

- 38.1 If the Contract is frustrated by the outbreak of war or by any other event entirely outside the control of either the Employer or the Contractor, the Project Manager shall certify that the Contract has been frustrated. The Contractor shall make the Site safe and stop Work as quickly as possible after receiving this certificate and shall be paid for all Work carried out before receiving it.

39 Settlement Of Disputes

- 39.1 In case any dispute or difference shall arise between the Employer or the Project Manager on his behalf and the Contractor, either during the progress or after the completion or termination of the Works, such dispute shall be notified in writing by either party to the other with a request to submit it to arbitration and to concur in the appointment of an Arbitrator within thirty days of the notice. The dispute shall be referred to the arbitration and final decision of a person to be agreed between the parties. Failing agreement to concur in the appointment of an Arbitrator, the Arbitrator shall be appointed by the Chairman or Vice Chairman of any of the following professional institutions;

- (i) Architectural Association of Kenya
- (ii) Institute of Quantity Surveyors of Kenya
- (iii) Association of Consulting Engineers of Kenya
- (iv) Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (Kenya Branch)
- (v) Institution of Engineers of Kenya

on the request of the applying party. The institution written to first by the aggrieved party shall take precedence over all other institutions.

- 39.2 The arbitration may be on the construction of this Contract or on any matter or thing of whatsoever nature arising thereunder or in connection therewith, including any matter or thing left by this Contract to the discretion of the Project Manager, or the withholding by the Project Manager of any certificate to which the Contractor may claim to be entitled to or the measurement and valuation referred to in clause 23.0 of these conditions, or the rights and liabilities of the parties subsequent to the termination of Contract.
- 39.3 Provided that no arbitration proceedings shall be commenced on any dispute or difference where notice of a dispute or difference has not been given by the applying party within ninety days of the occurrence or discovery of the matter or issue giving rise to the dispute.
- 39.4 Notwithstanding the issue of a notice as stated above, the arbitration of such a dispute or difference shall not commence unless an attempt has in the first instance been made by the parties to settle such dispute or difference amicably with or without the assistance of third parties. Proof of such attempt shall be required.

- 39.5 Notwithstanding anything stated herein the following matters may be referred to arbitration before the practical completion of the Works or abandonment of the Works or termination of the Contract by either party:
- 39.5.1 The appointment of a replacement Project Manager upon the said person ceasing to act.
 - 39.5.2 Whether or not the issue of an instruction by the Project Manager is empowered by these Conditions.
 - 39.5.3 Whether or not a certificate has been improperly withheld or is not in accordance with these Conditions.
 - 39.5.4 Any dispute or difference arising in respect of war risks or war damage.
- 39.6 All other matters shall only be referred to arbitration after the completion or alleged completion of the Works or termination or alleged termination of the Contract, unless the Employer and the Contractor agree otherwise in writing.
- 39.7 The Arbitrator shall, without prejudice to the generality of his powers, have powers to direct such measurements, computations, tests or valuations as may in his opinion be desirable in order to determine the rights of the parties and assess and award any sums which ought to have been the subject of or included in any certificate.
- 39.8 The Arbitrator shall, without prejudice to the generality of his powers, have powers to open up, review and revise any certificate, opinion, decision, requirement or notice and to determine all matters in dispute which shall be submitted to him in the same manner as if no such certificate, opinion, decision requirement or notice had been given.
- 39.9 The award of such Arbitrator shall be final and binding upon the parties.

40 Confidentiality

- i) "Confidential Information" shall, for the purposes of this Agreement, include without limitation any financial, strategic, technical, commercial, geological and scientific information, know-how, trade secrets and data in whatever form, communicated to the Tenderer or acquired by the Ministry of Energy or National Oil during the course of the Tenderer carrying out his duties as contemplated in this Agreement.
- ii) The Tenderer agrees that he will not, during the course of carrying out his duties as contemplated in this Agreement or thereafter into perpetuity, disclose the Confidential Information to any third party for any reason or purpose whatsoever without the prior written consent of the Ministry of Energy or National Oil, save in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

- iii) The Tenderer agrees not to utilize, exploit or in any other manner whatsoever use the Confidential Information disclosed pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement and the terms of any subsequent Agreement made by parties, for any purpose whatsoever without the prior written consent of the Ministry of Energy or National Oil.
- iv) The Tenderer undertakes not to use the Confidential Information for any purpose other than that for which it is disclosed; and in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and any subsequent Agreement made by parties.
- v) The Tenderer shall be held liable for disclosing confidential information unless he proves that:
 - a) Such information and data was in the public domain prior to such disclosure;
 - b) Such information and data has become part of the public domain through no fault of the Tenderer, or
 - c) Such disclosure was required by any written Kenyan law

41 Corrupt gifts and payments of commission

- i) The Client is an institution that fosters zero tolerance to fraud and corruption. The Tenderer hereby agrees to avoid fraud and corruption and to report any suspected fraud, corruption, or any activity that jeopardizes the integrity of the Client and its staff to its – **Corruption Prevention and Integrity Committee (COPIC)**.
- ii) The Tenderer shall not;
 - (a) Offer or give or agree to give to any person in the service of the Client any gift or consideration of any kind as an inducement or reward for doing or forbearing to do or for having done or forborne to do any act in relation to the obtaining or execution of this or any other Contract with the Client or for showing or forbearing to show favour or disfavour to any person in relation to this or any other contract with the Client.
 - (b) Enter into this or any other contract with the Client in connection with which commission or consideration has been paid or agreed to be paid by it or on his behalf or to his knowledge, unless before the Contract is made particulars of any such commission or consideration and of the terms and conditions of any agreement for the payment thereof have been disclosed in writing by the Client.

Any breach of this Condition by the Tenderer or by anyone employed by him or acting on his behalf (whether with or without the knowledge of the Tenderer) shall be an offence under the provisions of the Public Procurement and Disposal Act 2005 issued under The Exchequer and Audit Act Cap 412 of the Laws of Kenya, Anti-corruption & Economic Crimes Act (2003), Public officer Ethics Act (2003), Government Financial

Management Act 2004, and the Performance Contract with the Government.

42 Expiration of Contract

Unless terminated earlier pursuant to Clause, this Contract shall terminate on after satisfactory completion of services and submission of a report by the Tenderer as required by this contract.

4 SECTION IV – APPENDIX TO CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

THE EMPLOYER IS

Name: **National Oil Corporation of Kenya**

Address: **P.O Box 58567 -00200, NAIROBI**

Name of Authorised Representative: **Chief Executive Officer**

Telephone: **+254 20 6952000**

Facsimile: **+254 20 6952400**

The Project Manager is: **National Oil Engineer**

Address: **National Oil Corporation of Kenya, P.O Box 58567 - 00200, NAIROBI**

Telephone: **+254 20 6952000**

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The name (and identification number) of the Contract is – **Provision of Civil Maintenance and Small Scale Civil Construction Works – NOCK/PRC/03(1404)2017-2018**

The Works consist of **Civil Maintenance and Small Scale Civil Construction Works**

The Start Date shall be - **to be advised**

The intended completion date for the whole works shall be..... (*tenderer to fill as this will be used in the evaluation as given in the evaluation criteria in Section II*)

The Contractor shall submit a revised program for the Works within **14** days of delivery of the Letter of Acceptance.

The Site Possession Date shall be - (**to be advised**)

The Sites are distributed countywide as given in the Bill of Quantities.

Tenderers will be disqualified from the tendering process if they do not pass the preliminary evaluation by not submitting all the mandatory documentation listed above.

- (a). Meets the eligibility criteria defined in Clause 2.1.7(refer)
- (b). Has been properly signed;
- (c). Is accompanied by the required securities; and
- (d). Is substantially responsive to the requirements of the tendering documents.

A substantially responsive tender is one which conforms to all the terms, conditions and specifications of the tendering documents, without material deviation or reservation. A material deviation or reservation is one:

- (a). Which affects in any substantial way the scope, quality, or performance of the works;
- (b). Which limits in any substantial way, inconsistent with the tendering documents, National Oil's rights or the tenderer's obligations under the Contract; or
- (c). Whose rectification would affect unfairly the competitive position of other tenderers presenting substantially responsive tenders.

QUALITY MANAGEMENT

- 4.1 Do you have a statement of policy for the management of quality? If "yes" please provide the index page of the procedure detailing all aspects of Quality Management covered therein.
- 4.2 Has the organisation or structure of your company been documented and the management roles and responsibilities described?
- 4.3 Do you have a management representative who has clearly defined authority and responsibility for all quality management issues?
- 4.4 Has your company's Management system been accredited to a recognised International Code or Standard? If so, please provide copies.
- 4.5 Are your company's operations carried out in accordance with written procedures and/or works instructions?
- 4.6 Has your Quality Management System been audited recently by a major Oil and Gas Operator / Contractor?

ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY

- 4.7 Have written procedures been developed and implemented for the management and control of Safety within your company? If "yes" please provide the index page of the procedure detailing all aspects of HSE covered therein.
- 4.8 Do you have a management representative who has clearly defined authority and responsibility for all safety management matters?
- 4.9 Has your company maintained safety records to include as a minimum all accidents, incidents or near misses involving your personnel for the past 3 years?

4.10 Please confirm that neither your company nor any of your employees have been prosecuted for any breach of safety regulations in the last 5 years.

4.11 Please provide in tabular form the information requested below to cover the past 3 years:

	2013	2012	2011
Industrial Incidents			
Number of Fatalities			
Number of Lost Time Incidents			

4.12 Have written procedures been developed and implemented for the management and control of the environment in your company operations?

4.13 Do you have a management representative who has clearly defined authority and responsibility for all environmental management issues?

4.14 Has your company maintained appropriate environmental management records for the past 3 years?

4.15 Please confirm that neither your company nor any of your employees have been prosecuted for any breach of environmental regulations in the last 5 years.

NB: Only bids that surpass the 55 point Mark shall qualify for the next stage of Financial Evaluation

(2) FINANCIAL EVALUATION

The financial evaluation will be done for those bidders who have scored more than the minimum pass mark of **55 points** in the technical evaluation.

Award of tender

a) Competitive negotiation

National Oil shall conduct competitive negotiations where;

- there is a tie in the lowest evaluated price by two or more tenderers;
- the lowest evaluated price is in excess of available budget; or
- if there is evidence that, the lowest evaluated price is above market rate

b) Post qualification

National Oil shall conduct post qualification due Diligence to determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

c) Award

National Oil will award the contract to the successful tenderer whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive per region and has been determined to be the lowest evaluated tender.

NOTE: Tenderers shall be required to bid for one region only. Where the tenderer has quoted for more than one region, they shall be awarded in only region where they are the most competitive in pricing.

NOTE: Alteration of the Bill of Quantities e.g. retyping input of own formulae, etc will lead to automatic disqualification.

The Defects Liability period is **180** days.

Other Contractors, utilities etc., to be engaged by the Employer on the Site include those for the execution of;

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

The minimum insurance covers shall be;

1. The minimum cover for insurance of the Works and of Plant and Materials in respect of the Contractor's faulty design is **KShs. 20,000,000.00**
2. The minimum cover for loss or damage to Equipment is **KShs. 10,000,000.00**
3. The minimum for insurance of other property is **KShs. 10,000,000.00**
4. The minimum cover for personal injury or death insurance
 - For the Contractor's employees is **KShs. 20,000,000.00**
 - And for other people is **KShs. 20,000,000.00**

The following events shall also be Compensation Events:

1. **Damage to National Oil property at site**
2. _____
3. _____

The period between Program updates is **14** days.

The amount to be withheld for late submission of an updated Program is **KShs. 10,000.00**

The proportion of payments retained is 10 percent.

The Price Adjustment Clause shall not apply

The liquidated damages for the whole of the Works is **KShs. 15,000.00** per day

The Performance Security shall be for the following minimum amounts equivalent as a percentage of the Contract Price **10** percent (%)

The Completion Period for the Works is weeks

The rate of exchange for calculation of foreign currency payments is _____.

The schedule of basic rates used in pricing by the Contractor is as attached [*Contractor to attach*]. Advance Payment shall not be granted and if granted an advance payment bank guarantee of a similar amount must be provided valid plus 30 days after the end of the project being paid for.

5 SECTION V – SPECIFICATIONS

Specifications for this tender are enclosed in the BQs as Part 4 – Specifications.

6 SECTION VI – DRAWINGS

NO DRAWINGS ARE REQUIRED FOR THIS TENDER. DRAWINGS IF REQUIRED WILL BE GIVEN FOR THE ACTUAL SITES AFTER AWARD OF THE CONTRACT.

7 SECTION VII – BILL OF QUANTITIES

The Bill of Quantities for the provision of civil maintenance and small scale civil works-Seven Regions shown below are given to the tenderers in editable format (Ms Excel) in soft copy on CD upon submission of the official National Oil receipt of the KShs 1,000 non-refundable fee issued by the National Oil's Cashier. The Bill of Quantities shall be issued at the Procurement Department, National Oil, Kawi House South C , Red cross Road Off Popo Road.

The tenderer is expected to compile all the total costs in the Bills of Quantities, total of which is to be transferred to the Form of Tender (Section VIII).

The Bill of Quantities are to be filled by the tenderer in soft copy (the unlocked cells) and saved in a CD or USB Flash disk both in editable format (Ms Excel) and non-editable format (PDF). In addition duly signed on each page hard copy of the Bill of Quantities is to be submitted as part of the tender document – Financial Proposal from the tenderer.

NOTE: Alteration of the Bill of Quantities e.g. retyping input of own formulae, e.t.c will lead to automatic disqualification.

NB: The prices quoted must be quoted in Kenya Shillings only.

BQs ARE FOR SEVEN REGIONS:

No.	Region	Counties in the Region
1.	North Rift	West Pokot, Keiyo Marakwet, Uasin Gishu, Nandi, Baringo & Trans Nzoia Counties, Kapsabet, Turkana.
2.	South Rift	Narok, Bomet, Kericho, Nakuru, Kajiado.
3.	Western	Migori, Kisii , Nyamira, Homabay, Kisumu, Vihiga, Siaya, Busia, Kakamega, Bungoma
4.	Coast	Taita, Kwale, Kilifi , Lamu , Tana River
5.	Nairobi	Nairobi, Murang'a, Kiambu
6.	Eastern	Machakos, Makueni , Kitui, Isiolo, Wajir, Garissa, Mandera, Marsabit
7.	Central	Nyeri, Kerugoya, Embu , Tharaka Nithi , Meru, Laikipia , Nyandarua, Samburu

Tenderers shall be required to bid for one region only. Where the tenderer has quoted for more than one region, they shall be awarded in only region lot where they are the most competitive in pricing.

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1 FORM OF TENDER

TO: _____ [Name of Employer) _____ [Date]
_____ [Name of Contract]

Dear Sir,

1. In accordance with the Conditions of Contract, Specifications, Drawings and Bills of Quantities for the execution of the above named Works, we, the undersigned offer to construct, install and complete such Works and remedy any defects therein for the sum of KShs. _____ [Amount in figures] Kenya Shillings _____ [Amount in words]
2. We undertake, if our tender is accepted, to commence the Works as soon as is reasonably possible after the receipt of the Project Manager's notice to commence, and to complete the whole of the Works comprised in the Contract within the time stated in the Appendix to Conditions of Contract.
3. We agree to abide by this tender until _____ [Insert date], and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before that date.
4. Unless and until a formal Agreement is prepared and executed this tender together with your written acceptance thereof, shall constitute a binding Contract between us.
5. We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest or any tender you may receive.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 20_____

Signature _____ in the capacity of _____

duly authorized to sign tenders for and on behalf of _____
[Name of Employer] of _____ [Address of Employer]

Witness; Name _____

Address _____

Signature _____

Date _____

2 LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE

[letterhead paper of the Employer]

_____ [date]

To: _____
[name of the Contractor]

[address of the Contractor]

Dear Sir,

This is to notify you that your Tender dated _____
for the execution of _____
[name of the Contract and identification number, as given in the Tender documents] for the
Contract Price of KShs. _____ *[amount in figures]* [Kenya
Shillings _____ *(amount in words)*] in accordance with the
Instructions to Tenderers is hereby accepted.

You are hereby instructed to proceed with the execution of the said Works in accordance with the
Contract documents.

Authorized Signature

Name and Title of Signatory

Attachment : Agreement

3 FORM OF AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made the _____ day of _____ 20 _____ between _____ of [or whose registered office is situated at] _____ (hereinafter called “the Employer”) of the one part AND _____ of [or whose registered office is situated at] _____ (hereinafter called “the Contractor”) of the other part.

WHEREAS THE Employer is desirous that the Contractor executes

_____ (name and identification number of Contract) (hereinafter called “the Works”) located at _____ [Place/location of the Works] and the Employer has accepted the tender submitted by the Contractor for the execution and completion of such Works and the remedying of any defects therein for the Contract Price of KShs _____ [Amount in figures], Kenya Shillings _____ [Amount in words].

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH as follows:

1. In this Agreement, words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract hereinafter referred to.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and shall be read and construed as part of this Agreement i.e.
 - (i) Letter of Acceptance
 - (ii) Form of Tender
 - (iii) Conditions of Contract Part I
 - (iv) Conditions of Contract Part II and Appendix to Conditions of Contract
 - (v) Specifications
 - (vi) Drawings
 - (vii) Priced Bills of Quantities
3. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Employer to the Contractor as hereinafter mentioned, the Contractor hereby covenants with the Employer to execute and complete the Works and remedy any defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract.
4. The Employer hereby covenants to pay the Contractor in consideration of the execution and completion of the Works and the remedying of defects therein, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the Contract at the

times and in the manner prescribed by the Contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties thereto have caused this Agreement to be executed the day and year first before written.

The common Seal of _____

Was hereunto affixed in the presence of _____

Signed Sealed, and Delivered by the said _____

Binding Signature of Employer _____

Binding Signature of Contractor _____

In the presence of (i) Name _____

Address _____

Signature _____

[ii] Name _____

Address _____

Signature _____

4 FORM OF TENDER SECURITY

WHEREAS(hereinafter called “the Tenderer”) has submitted his tender dated for the construction of
..... (name of Contract)

KNOW ALL PEOPLE by these presents that WE having our registered office at(hereinafter called “the Bank”), are bound unto(hereinafter called “the Employer”) in the sum of KShs..... for which payment well and truly to be made to the said Employer, the Bank binds itself, its successors and assigns by these presents sealed with the Common Seal of the said Bank this Day of20.....

THE CONDITIONS of this obligation are:

1. If after tender opening the tenderer withdraws his tender during the period of tender validity specified in the instructions to tenderers
Or
2. If the tenderer, having been notified of the acceptance of his tender by the Employer during the period of tender validity:
 - (a) fails or refuses to execute the form of Agreement in accordance with the Instructions to Tenderers, if required; or
 - (b) fails or refuses to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the Instructions to Tenderers;

We undertake to pay to the Employer up to the above amount upon receipt of his first written demand, without the Employer having to substantiate his demand, provided that in his demand the Employer will note that the amount claimed by him is due to him, owing to the occurrence of one or both of the two conditions, specifying the occurred condition or conditions.

This guarantee will remain in force up to and including thirty (30) days after the period of tender validity, and any demand in respect thereof should reach the Bank not later than the said date.

[date]

[signature of the Bank]

[witness]

[seal]

5 TENDER SECURING DECLARATION FORM

(The Bidder shall complete in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated)

Date:.....(*insert date as day, month and year*) of Bid Submission)

Tender No..... (*insert number of bidding process*)

To: **National Oil Corporation of Kenya**

We, the undersigned, declare that:-

- 1 We understand that, according to your conditions, bids must be supported by a Bid-Securing Declaration.
- 2 We accept that we will automatically be suspended from being eligible for bidding in any contract with the Purchaser for the period of time of (insert number of months or years) starting on (insert date), if we are in breach of our obligation(s) under the bid conditions, because we:-
 - a) have with our Bid during the period of bid validity specified by us in the Bidding Data Sheet; or
 - b) having been notified of the acceptance of our Bid by the Purchaser during the period of bid validity,
 - i) fail or refuse to execute the Contract, if required, or
 - ii) fail or refuse to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the ITT
- 3 We understand that this Bid Securing Declaration shall expire if we are not the successful Bidder, upon the earlier of
 - i) our receipt of a copy of your notification of the name of successful Bidder, or
 - ii) twenty-eight days after the expiration of our Tender
- 4 We understand that if we are a Joint Venture, the Bid Securing Declaration must be in the name of the Joint Venture that submits the bid and the Joint Venture has not been legally constituted at the time of bidding, the Bid Securing shall be in the names of all future partners as named in the letter of intent.

Signed: (*insert signature of person whose name and capacity are shown*) in the capacity of (*insert legal capacity of person signing the Bid Securing Declaration*)

Name: (*insert complete name of person signing the Bid Securing Declaration*)

Duly authorized to sign the bid for and on behalf of: (insert complete name of Bidder)

Date on Day of (*insert date of signing*)

6 PERFORMANCE BANK GUARANTEE

To: _____(Name of Employer) _____(Date)
_____ (Address of Employer)

Dear Sir,

WHEREAS _____ (hereinafter called “the Contractor”) has undertaken, in pursuance of Contract No. _____ dated _____ to execute _____ (hereinafter called “the Works”);

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the Contractor shall furnish you with a Bank Guarantee by a recognised bank for the sum specified therein as security for compliance with his obligations in accordance with the Contract;

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the Contractor such a Bank Guarantee:

NOW THEREFORE we hereby affirm that we are the Guarantor and responsible to you, on behalf of the Contractor, up to a total of KShs. _____ (*amount of Guarantee in figures*) Kenya Shillings _____ (*amount of Guarantee in words*), and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand and without cavil or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of Kenya Shillings _____ (*amount of Guarantee in words*) as aforesaid without your needing to prove or to show grounds or reasons for your demand for the sum specified therein.

We hereby waive the necessity of your demanding the said debt from the Contractor before presenting us with the demand.

We further agree that no change, addition or other modification of the terms of the Contract or of the Works to be performed thereunder or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between you and the Contractor shall in any way release us from any liability under this Guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any change, addition, or modification.

This guarantee shall be valid until the date of issue of the Certificate of Completion.

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE GUARANTOR _____

Name of Bank _____

Address _____

Date _____

7 BANK GUARANTEE FOR ADVANCE PAYMENT

To: _____ [name of Employer] _____ (Date)
_____ [address of Employer]

Gentlemen,

Ref: _____ [name of Contract]

In accordance with the provisions of the Conditions of Contract of the above-mentioned Contract, We, _____ [name and Address of Contractor] (hereinafter called “the Contractor”) shall deposit with _____ [name of Employer] a bank guarantee to guarantee his proper and faithful performance under the said Contract in an amount of KShs. _____ [amount of Guarantee in figures] Kenya Shillings _____ [amount of Guarantee in words].

We, _____ [bank or financial institution], as instructed by the Contractor, agree unconditionally and irrevocably to guarantee as primary obligator and not as Surety merely, the payment to _____ [name of Employer] on his first demand without whatsoever right of objection on our part and without his first claim to the Contractor, in the amount not exceeding KShs _____ [amount of Guarantee in figures] Kenya Shillings _____ [amount of Guarantee in words], such amount to be reduced periodically by the amounts recovered by you from the proceeds of the Contract.

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract or of the Works to be performed thereunder or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between _____ [name of Employer] and the Contractor, shall in any way release us from any liability under this guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition or modification.

No drawing may be made by you under this guarantee until we have received notice in writing from you that an advance payment of the amount listed above has been paid to the Contractor pursuant to the Contract.

This guarantee shall remain valid and in full effect from the date of the advance payment under the Contract until

_____ (name of Employer) receives full payment of the same amount from the Contract.

Yours faithfully,

Signature and Seal _____

Name of the Bank or financial institution _____

Address _____

Date _____

Witness: Name: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

8 QUALIFICATION INFORMATION

1. Individual Tenderers or Individual Members of Joint Ventures

1.1 Constitution or legal status of tenderer (attach copy or Incorporation Certificate);

Place of registration: _____

Principal place of business _____

Power of attorney of signatory of tender _____

1.2 Total annual volume of construction work performed in the last five years

Year	Volume	
	Currency	Value

1.3 Work performed as Main Contractor on works of a similar nature and volume over the last five years. Also list details of work under way or committed, including expected completion date.

Project name	Name of client and contact person	Type of work performed and year of completion	Value of performed and Contract
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

1.4 Major items of Contractor's Equipment proposed for carrying out the Works. List all information requested below.

Item of Equipment	Description, Make and age (years)	Condition(new, good, poor) and number available	Owned, leased (from whom?), or to be purchased (from whom?)
_____	_____	_____	
_____	_____	_____	
_____	_____	_____	
(etc.)			

- 1.5 Qualifications and experience of key personnel proposed for administration and execution of the Contract. Attach biographical data.

Position	Name	Years experience (general)	of	Years of experience in proposed position
Project Manager				
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
(etc.)				

- 1.6 Financial reports for the last five years: balance sheets, profit and loss statements, auditor's reports, etc. List below and attach copies.

- 1.7 Evidence of access to financial resources to meet the qualification requirements: cash in hand, lines of credit, etc. List below and attach copies of supportive documents.

- 1.8 Name, address and telephone, telex and facsimile numbers of banks that may provide reference if contacted by the Employer.

- 1.9 Statement of compliance with the requirements of Clause 1.2 of the Instructions to Tenderers.

- 1.10 Proposed program (work method and schedule) for the whole of the Works.

2 Joint Ventures

- 2.4 The information listed in 1.1 – 1.10 above shall be provided for each partner of the joint venture.

- 2.5 The information required in 1.11 above shall be provided for the joint venture.

- 2.6 Attach the power of attorney of the signatory(ies) of the tender authorizing signature of the tender on behalf of the joint venture
- 2.7 Attach the Agreement among all partners of the joint venture (and which is legally binding on all partners), which shows that:
- a) all partners shall be jointly and severally liable for the execution of the Contract in accordance with the Contract terms;
 - b) one of the partners will be nominated as being in charge, authorized to incur liabilities and receive instructions for and on behalf of any and all partners of the joint venture; and
 - c) the execution of the entire Contract, including payment, shall be done exclusively with the partner in charge.

9 TENDER QUESTIONNAIRE

Please fill in block letters.

1. Full names of tenderer

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2. Full address of tenderer to which tender correspondence is to be sent (unless an agent has been appointed below)

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3. Telephone number (s) of tenderer

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4. Telex address of tenderer

.....

5. Name of tenderer's representative to be contacted on matters of the tender during the tender period

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6. Details of tenderer's nominated agent (if any) to receive tender notices. This is essential if the tenderer does not have his registered address in Kenya (name, address, telephone, telex)

.....

.....

Signature of Tenderer

Make copy and deliver to: _____ (Name of Employer)

10 CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE

You are requested to give the particulars indicated in Part 1 and either Part 2 (a), 2 (b) or 2 (c) and 2 (d) whichever applies to your type of business.

You are advised that it is a serious offence to give false information on this Form.

Part 1 – General

Business Name

Location of business premises; Country/Town.....

Plot No..... Street/Road

Postal Address..... Tel No.....

Nature of Business.....

Current Trade Licence No..... Expiring date.....

Maximum value of business which you can handle at any time: K. pound.....

Name of your bankers.....

Branch.....

Part 2 (a) – Sole Proprietor

Your name in full..... Age.....

Nationality..... Country of Origin.....

*Citizenship details

Part 2 (b) – Partnership

Give details of partners as follows:

	<i>Name in full</i>	<i>Nationality</i>	<i>Citizenship Details</i>	<i>Shares</i>
1.....				
2.....				
3.....				

Part 2(c) – Registered Company:

Private or public.....

State the nominal and issued capital of the Company-

Nominal KShs.....

Issued KShs.....

Give details of all directors as follows:

Name in full . Nationality. Citizenship Details*. Shares.

1.
.....

2.
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3.
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4.
.....

Part 2(d) – Interest in the Firm:

Is there any person / persons in(Name of Employer) who has interest in this firm? Yes/No.....(Delete as necessary)

I certify that the information given above is correct.

.....
(Title)

.....
(Signature)

.....
(Date)

- Attach proof of citizenship

11 STATEMENT OF FOREIGN CURRENCY REQUIREMENTS

(See Clause 23] of the Conditions of Contract)

In the event of our Tender for the execution of _____
_____ (*name of Contract*) being accepted, we would require in accordance with Clause 21 of the Conditions of Contract, which is attached hereto, the following percentage:

(Figures)..... (Words).....

of the Contract Sum, (Less Fluctuations) to be paid in foreign currency.

Currency in which foreign exchange element is required:

.....

Date: The Day of 20.....

Enter 0% (zero percent) if no payment will be made in foreign currency.

Maximum foreign currency requirement shall be _____(percent) of the Contract Sum, less Fluctuations.

(Signature of Tenderer)

12 DETAILS OF SUB-CONTRACTORS

If the Tenderer wishes to sublet any portions of the Works under any heading, he must give below details of the sub-contractors he intends to employ for each portion.

Failure to comply with this requirement may invalidate the tender.

(1) Portion of Works to be sublet:

[i] Full name of Sub-contractor
and address of head office:

.....

(ii) Sub-contractor's experience
of similar works carried out
in the last 3 years with
Contract value:

.....

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(2) Portion of Works to be sublet:

(i) Full name of sub-contractor
and address of head office:

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(ii) Sub-contractor's experience
of similar works carried out
in the last 3 years with
contract value:

.....

[Signature of Tenderer)

Date

13 LETTER OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

Address of Procuring Entity

To: _____

RE: Tender No. _____

Tender Name _____

This is to notify that the contract/s stated below under the above mentioned tender have been awarded to you.

1. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter of notification signifying your acceptance.
2. The contract/contracts shall be signed by the parties within 30 days of the date of this letter but not earlier than 14 days from the date of the letter.
3. You may contact the officer(s) whose particulars appear below on the subject matter of this letter of notification of award.

(FULL PARTICULARS) _____

SIGNED FOR ACCOUNTING OFFICER

14 BIDDER'S DECLARATION AND INTEGRITY PACT

Bidder's Declaration

We/I the undersigned, in the capacity of
..... for [name of the
company/firm/individual] certify that the **bidder is not in any of the following situations:**

- 1 Bankruptcy; are the subject of proceedings for a declaration of bankruptcy, or of an order for compulsory winding up or administration by court, or of any other similar proceedings;
- 2 Payments to us have been suspended in accordance with the judgment of a court other than a judgment declaring bankruptcy and resulting, in accordance with our national laws, in the total or partial loss of the right to administer and dispose off our property;
- 3 Legal proceedings have been instituted against us involving an order suspending payments and which may result, in accordance with our national laws, in a declaration of bankruptcy or in any other situation entailing the total or partial loss of the right to administer and dispose of our property;
- 4 Are being wound up, or our affairs are being administered by court, or have entered into an arrangement with creditors, or have suspended business activities or are subject to an injunction against running business by a court of law;
- 5 Have been convicted by a final judgment of any crime or offence concerning our/my professional conduct;
- 6 Are guilty of serious misrepresentation with regard to information required for participation in an invitation to tender or execution of a tender already awarded; and
- 7 Are in breach of contract on another contract with the Government of Kenya or other local or international contracting authority or foreign government.
- 8 Have been convicted of an offence concerning our/my professional conduct by a court of law, or found guilty of grave professional misconduct;
- 9 Have not fulfilled obligations relating to payments of taxes or statutory contributions.

If the bidder is in any of the above listed situations, kindly attach documents giving details of the situation.

Names in full: [.....]

Duly authorized to sign this bid on behalf of (bidder's name):

[.....]

Place and date: [.....]

Stamp of the firm/company:

8.1.1 Integrity Pact

Bidder's Oath to fulfill the Integrity Pact

Accepting that transparent business management and fair public administration are key to social development and national competitiveness, and in an effort to purge corruption and apply sanctions to corrupt businesses, and in full support of the worthy goals of this Integrity Pact, concerning the present **Tender for Provision of Civil Maintenance & Small Scale Civil Construction Works at National Oil Service Stations – NOCK/PRC/03(1404) 2017-2018** all personnel of _____ and its sub-contractors and agents hereby agree that:

1. We shall not conduct any unethical business practices, such as bid-rigging for the sake of a particular bidder to win the bid, or price-fixing. If proven as a fact that we have engaged in bid-rigging for the sake of a particular bidder to win the bid, we shall accept to be prohibited from submitting bids placed by National Oil Corporation of Kenya (herein referred to as NATIONAL OIL) for a period of two (2) years. If proven that we have discussed with other bidders in a bid to fix a price, or rigged a bid for a particular bidder to win the bid, we shall accept the prohibition from submitting bids placed by NATIONAL OIL for a period of two (2) years. If any unethical behavior is tantamount to a fraudulent practice, we accept that such a case may be handed over to the authorities for investigation and possible prosecution.
2. In the process of bidding, or concluding or execution of a contract, we shall not offer any bribe, gifts, entertainment or any other undue benefits directly or indirectly to related officials, and in case it is proved that we have violated any terms of this Integrity Pact in relation with a bid, or concluding or execution of a contract, or offered bribes for favours in a contract, to win a contract, or facilitate payment which should not have been forthcoming, we shall accept the prohibition from submitting a bid placed by NATIONAL OIL for a period of two (2) years. If proven as a fact that we have offered bribes to NATIONAL OIL or related officials for favours regarding a bid or contract to a bidder or a winning bidder, or for the purpose of faulty execution of the objectives of a contract, we shall accept the prohibition from submitting bids placed by NATIONAL OIL for a period of two (2) years. If proven that we have offered bribes to NATIONAL OIL or related officials in relation to bidding, or concluding or execution of a contract, we shall accept the prohibition from submitting bids placed by NATIONAL OIL for a period of two (2) years.
3. In case it is proven that we have offered bribes to a related official or a NATIONAL OIL official regarding a bid, or concluding or execution of a contract, we shall accept the cancellation of the contract, and shall not file any civil, administrative or criminal appeals.
4. We shall make our best effort to institute a Company Code of Conduct that prohibits bribery, bid rigging/fixing or any other corrupt practices in business relations with officials and NATIONAL OIL, and a company regulation that prohibits any retaliatory acts toward anyone reporting inside corruption.
5. In addition, I confirm on behalf of the bidder that the details included in the bidders profile and experience sheet and our quotation are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In addition, we authorize, NATIONAL OIL to seek information from any source to confirm our compliance with the requirements of this Integrity Pact.

6 The bidder authorizes NATIONAL OIL, to seek information from any source, including publication of the name of the bidder to confirm that the bidder is compliant with the requirements of this Integrity Pact.

We shall fulfill this Integrity Pact as a solemn oath made on the basis of mutual trust, and, if and when we win a bid, we shall sign and fulfill the above as a "Special Condition of Contract," and not file any civil, administrative or criminal appeals regarding any of the above terms.

Dated: _____

Signed by: _____
(Chief Executive/Managing Director)

Full Name printed: _____

9 SECTION IX – EHS REQUIREMENTS

National Oil Corporation of Kenya expects the tenderers to exercise and observe and uphold environmental, health, safety and security standards.

Safety Criteria:

The Contractor should demonstrate the following safety criteria as a minimum (not limited to the below safety criteria):

- i. Confirmation that the Contractor holds appropriate insurances (Work Injury and Benefits Act, WIBA).
- ii. Confirmation that the Contractor holds appropriate Permit system appropriate for the type of Contract work, particularly for any hazardous work (e.g. confined space entry).
- iii. Provide detailed safety measures for work at height.
- iv. Provide detailed safety measures for respiratory protection (for painting works).
- v. Type of Contract work the Contractor is approved to provide (construction, electrical maintenance, fabrication etc.)
- vi. Verification that the Contractor has the technical competency and capability to perform the type of Contract safely by ensuring that the Contractor has:
 - Adequately trained/skilled personnel (provide Safety training records)
 - Provision of appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to employees.
 - Demonstrable program to assure that PPE is inspected and maintained.
 - Demonstrate where applicable that employees have been trained, fit tested and medically approved for confined space entry.
 - Demonstrate where applicable that employees have been trained, fit tested and medically approved for PPE use.
 - A system to ensure reliable and safe equipment, tools and materials (Equipment Maintenance Schedules)
 - Established safety data that shows the Contractor’s previous and current safety performance by providing the following:
 - ✓ Safety & Health Policy
 - ✓ Explanation of the roles and responsibilities of the Contractor’s management and employees with respect to safety.
 - ✓ Safety procedures and documents that define how risks relevant to the Contractor’s activities are managed.
 - ✓ Safety performance data for the past 12 months if available.
 - ✓ Records of safety & health inspections conducted at site and on operating equipment.
 - ✓ Records of applicable inspection and maintenance certification records for maintenance equipment.
 - ✓ Records of Safety & Health Orientation for new Employees/Hires in among others, the following areas: Safe Work Practices, Safety Supervision, Toolbox Meetings, Emergency Procedures, First Aid Procedures, Accident/Incident Reporting, Fire Protection and Prevention, Safety Intervention and Hazard Communication.
 - ✓ Evidence of safety & health training program for site Supervisors.
 - ✓ Records of Site Safety & Health Meetings for Supervisors, Employees and Subcontractors
- vii. Evidence of safety & health performance and/or records of Subcontractors where applicable.