KOUGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY (EC108) DIRECTORATE: ELECTRO-MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

NOTICE NO: 167/2025

RATES TENDER FOR SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) GENERATION AND BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) FOR A PERIOD OF TWELVE (12) MONTHS: SPECIFICATION NO. G/10676/E

Suitably qualified, capable and experienced Contractors are hereby invited to submit tenders for the Rates Tender for Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Generation and Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) for a period of twelve (12) months: Specification No. G/10676/E.

Tenders

An electronic copy of the tender document will be available on E-Tender portal <u>www.etender.gov.za</u> or the municipal website www.kouga.gov.za as from Monday, 18 August 2025. After downloading the tender document from the website each prospective bidder MUST ensure that all the pages of the tender document are printed.

A compulsory virtual clarification session will be arranged for Wednesday, 27 August 2025 @10h00am. Prospective bidders can use the very same link below which is direct from this advert, it will link them directly to the meeting. Please take note that no attendee arriving 10 minutes late or more will be allowed to attend the clarification meeting.

The link will also be available on the municipal website.

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<u>Please note</u>:

- Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, email or late tenders will not be accepted.
- This contract will be evaluated on the 90 (price)
- The specific goals would be for a maximum of 10 points. To claim for specific goals prospective bidders MUST submit proof/required documents.
- An electronic copy of the completed tender document with returnable documents must be submitted with tender submission saved in a flash drive or CD. Failure to submit AN ORIGINAL HARD COPY AND A COPY ON EITHER USB or CD will deem the bid non-responsive.
- An estimated contractor CIDB Grading of 4EP or higher is required.
- A minimum functional assessment score of 70% will apply to this contract.
- The successful contractor must be registered with the National Bargaining Council for the Electricity Industry of South Africa (NBCEI) within 30 days of commencement of operations.
- Bidders must note that the Municipality will make use of additional vetting methods to further qualify capacity of bidders to eliminate delays during project implementation.
- A valid Tax compliance Status pin must be submitted.
- Prospective Service Providers must register on Kouga Municipality's Supplier database as per the
- The National Treasury Central Supplier Database Summary report must be submitted.
- The Council reserves the right to accept any tender and, or part thereof, appoint more than one contractor, and does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. The Council reserves the right to appoint any contractor.
- The validity period for submission will be 90 days from the closing date.
- Tenders that are deposited in the incorrect box or delivered to any other venue will not be considered.

Any inquiries relating to this tender must be submitted in writing via e-mail to tenders@kouga.gov.za and copied to bbosch@kouga.gov.za.

Completed documents in a sealed envelope endorsed "NOTICE NO: 167/2025: "RATES TENDER FOR SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC (PV) GENERATION AND BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) FOR A PERIOD OF TWELVE (12) MONTHS: SPECIFICATION NO. G/10676/E" must be placed in the Tender Box at 16 Woltemade Street (front entrance), Jeffrey's Bay, Room 122 on or before WEDNESDAY, 17 SEPTEMBER 2025 at 12:00.

C. DU PLESSIS MUNICIPAL MANAGER P.O. Box 21 JEFFREYS BAY

For Placement: Herald/Municipal Website/ Municipal Notice Boards in all offices/areas – 18 August 2025