

INFRASTRUCTURE DEPARTMENT

INVITATION TO QUOTE

An invitation is hereby issued to suitably qualified and experienced service providers to provide services as described in the table below:

Quote Number	Quote description	Price and BBBEE	Closing date	Mandatory requirements
RFQ MUT: 139/2025 RR	Geotechnical Assessment/Investigation and associated specialist studies for the Construction of the New Student Residences Phase 2 project.	80/20	12 May 2025 @ 12h00	 Valid Tax certificate or pin CIPC Certificate Professional Registration with ECSA and in good standing Professional Registration with SACNASP and in good standing Valid COIDA Signed site briefing Certificate – to be issued at the briefing session

OFFICIAL REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

INSTRUCTIONS: The supplier information must be completed in full, and this document must be signed by authorized personnel. Supplier must carefully read the instructions and the terms and conditions of this document. Failure to adhere to these instructions and terms and conditions may result in rejection of the submission.

Business Unit: Infrastructure Department	RFQ Number: RFQ MUT 139/2025 RR
RFQ Description:	Geotechnical Assessment/Investigation and associated specialist studies for the Construction of the New Student Residences Phase 2 project.
Requester: Ms. Zukiswa Mtulu	Buyer: Ms. Mhlungu Nomonde
Technical Enquires: 031 819 9593 or E-mail: Mtulu.zukiswa@mut.ac.za	
D	Contact no: 031 819 9593
Request date: 30/04/2025	E-mail: mhlungunb@mut.ac.za
Compulsory Briefing/Information session	Yes.
Venue	Student Centre, floor -3 at 10:00 am on 07 May 2025
Closing date and Time: 12 May 2025 @ 12h00	
	Send via e-mail: mhlungunb@mut.ac.za
Payment term	30 days in arrears upon receipt of a valid invoice
NR: REO documents should be emailed to the emailed	ail address above

NB: RFQ documents should be emailed to the email address above. Clarification questions are to be directed to the buyer at the above email address.

NOTE: Joint ventures and consortia are prohibited from participating in this bidding process. Failure to comply with this stipulation will result in the disqualification of the bid.

BIDDER/SUPPLIER INFORMATION

Company name:	
Address:	
Contact Number:	
Name & Surname of Authorized	
person:	
Email:	
Company Registration number	

RFQ FORM

- 1. I/We hereby render to supply all or any of the supplies and/or to render all or any of the services described in the attached documents to Mangosuthu University of Technology on the items and conditions and by the specifications stipulated in the RFQ documents (and which shall be taken as part of, and incorporated into, this RFQ) at the prices and on the terms regarding time for delivery and/or execution inserted therein.
- I/We agree that the offer herein shall remain binding upon me/us and open for acceptance by Mangosuthu University of Technology during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of the RFQ.
- 3. if I/we withdraw my/our RFQ within the period for which I/we have agreed that the RFQ should remain open for acceptance or fail to fulfil the contract when called upon to do so, Mangosuthu University of Technology may without prejudice to its other rights, agree to the withdrawal of my/or RFQ or cancel the contract that may have been entered into between me/us and Mangosuthu University of Technology and I/we will then pay to Mangosuthu University of Technology any additional expense incurred by Mangosuthu University of Technology having either to accept any less favourable RFQ or fresh RFQs have to be invited, the additional expenditure incurred by the invitation of fresh RFQ and by the subsequent acceptance of any less favourable RFQ, Mangosuthu University of Technology shall also have the right to recover such additional expenditure by set-off against moneys which may be due or become to me/us under this or any other RFQ or contact or against any guarantee or deposit that have been furnished by me/us or on my/our behalf for the due fulfilment of this or any other RFQ or contract and pending the ascertainment of the amount of such additional expenditure to retain such moneys, guarantee or deposit as security for any loss Mangosuthu University of Technology may sustain by reason of my/our default.
- **4.** If my/our RFQ is accepted the acceptance may be communicated to me/us by letter or ordinary post or registered post and SA Post Office Ltd shall be regarded as my/our agent. Delivery or such acceptance to SA Post Office Ltd shall be treated as delivery to me/us.

- 5. The law of the Republic of South Africa shall govern the contract created by the acceptance of my/our RFQ and that I/we choose domicilium citandi et executandi in the Republic (full address).
- 6. I/We furthermore confirm that I/we have satisfied myself/ourselves as to the correctness and validity of my/our RFQ, that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the work/items(s) in these documents; and that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my/our obligations under a resulting contract. I/we accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and calculations will be at my/our risk.
- 7. I/we hereby accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfillment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me/us under this agreement as the principal(s) liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- IAM/a agree that any action from this contract in all respects he instituted against molus and I/wo

hereby undertake to satisfy fully any sentence or judgment which may be pronoume/us as a result of such action.	
9. I/We declare that I/we have participation /no participation in the submission of ar the supplies/service described in the attached documents. If in the affirmative, s RFQ(s) involved.	
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Are you duly authorized to sign for this RFQ? *YES / NO	
11. Has the Declaration of Interest been duly completed and included with the other *YES / NO	RFQ forms?
DECLARATION	
I, the under	signed (full name)
Certify that the information furnished above is correct. I accept that, in addition to contract, action may be taken against me should this declaration prove to be false.	o the cancellation
Name & Surname of Authorised person/ Representative	Date:
Signature of a Bidder's Representative	

PRICING SCHEDULE - FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

NOTE:

ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. NON-FIRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO RATES OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE

CONSIDERED

IN CASES WHERE DIFFERENT DELIVERY POINTS INFLUENCE THE PRICING. A SEPARATE PRICING SCHEDULE MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR EACH

DELIVERY POINT

Name of bidder	RFQ number: RFQ MUT 139/2025 RR
Closing Time: 12h00	Closing date: 12 May 2025

OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 90 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.

1. Pricing Schedule

Refer to **Section 5** for Pricing Schedule (To Be Completed by the bidder) The offered total of the prices inclusive of VAT is:

(In Words)			
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(In Figures) R			

2. Background

These Terms of Reference outline the scope of work (but not limited to) for conducting an Geotechnical Assessment / Investigations and associated specialist studies for the proposed development on a site that was formerly used as a landfill as reported by a recent Geotechnical Report, attached herewith. Given the assumed historical land use, a key component of the assessment will be a contamination assessment to evaluate potential risks to human health and the environment.

The project entails development of 3 No. New 6 Storey accommodation blocks. 2No. Blocks on the red zone and 1No. Block on the green zone. Please see attached latest geotechnical report.



Below is an aerial image of the site locality and proposed area of development.



The site is located in Umlazi, Kwa-Zulu Natal Province within the Mangosuthu University of Technology Main Campus, approximately 16 km south west of Durban Central and the coordinates of the site are 29°58'21.80"S, 30°54'47.88"E. The site is located within an existing sports field bounded by internal access roads to the north and west and road construction site to the east as well as an existing building to the south. The shaded areas can be assumed as the development footprint. The green/yellow area is the first block of development, of which was not classified as 'landfill', whereas the red area is planned for future developments, of which was classified as 'landfill' subsurface conditions.

3. Objectives and Scope of Service

The primary **objectives** of this Geotechnical and specialist studies are, but not limited to:

- To guide and coordinate the technical and professional team through expert advice from planning to implementation.
- Review the latest geotechnical report and provide recommendations and solutions to any daps.
- Delineate and classify the waste material.
- Investigate, assess and determine risks and mitigation measure for the proposed developments. This includes attention to groundwater and landfill sites.
- Conduct a thorough investigation on the developable footprints.
- Foundation recommendations in landfill and high ground water table.
- Provide design, details and coordination for all solutions to both Landfill sites and Groundwater.
- Monitor all works at implementation with Professional 'Sign-off'.

The appointed Consultant shall undertake the following tasks:

- Review relevant geotechnical reports to get an understanding of the extent of waste material.
- Up to 8 No. inspection pits excavated using a track mounted excavator to a maximum depth of 5 metres unless practical refusal is encountered at shallower depths.
- Take soil, waste material and groundwater samples for various laboratory tests.
- Note, samples must be sampled and stored in sterilized bottles and submitted to an
 accredited laboratory with a chain of custody. Samples to be stored in a cooler box
 with dry ice and must be delivered to the laboratory within 24 hours of sampling.
- Analyse results of fieldwork and provide recommendations for:
 - Classification and disposal of waste materials.
 - Hydrogeological setting of site and risks of contamination of groundwater from waste material.
 - Treatment of contamination (if any).
 - Risk to human health.
 - o Guidelines for development of infrastructure over a landfill site.
 - o Further investigations and monitoring.
 - Design of subsoil or cut-off drains with a thorough BoQ for construction with project specifications.
- Profiling and sampling of inspection pits by an experienced geotechnical practitioner in accordance with the South African Geoterminology Guidelines.
- All inspection pits are to be reinstated upon completion of profiling and sampling.
- Positions of all test pits shall be recorded and provided as a co-ordinated CAD or GIS drawing.
- Laboratory tests must comprise of Soil Screening Tests, Groundwater Tests and Waste Material Classification Tests

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Soil Screening Values (Solids) | NEMWA (2008) | Norms and Standards for Remediation of Contaminated Land | Full SSVs

Analyses: [solid]

▶ PREPARATIONS: Client to specify prep.

▶ INORGANICS: Metals (x10): As, Cd, Co, Cu, Pb, Mn, Hg, Ni, V, Zn • Chloride (as Cl) {w | s*} • Chromium - Hexavalent (as Cr VI) {w | s*} • Chromium - Trivalent (as Cr III) [calc+tCr+Cr6] {w* | s*} • Cyanide - Total {w* | s*} • Fluoride (as F) {w | s*} • Nitrate/Nitrite (as N) {w | s*} • Sulphate (as SO4-) {w | s*} • DRGANICS: • Phenols {w* | s*}: 2, 4,6-Trichlorophenol, 2-Chlorophenol • SVOCs {w* | s**}: Pyrene, Benzopyrene • VOCs {w| | s}: Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes, Naphthalene, MTBE, Carbon tetrachloride, Chlorobenzene, Chloromethane), 1,2-Dichlorobenzene, 1,2-Di
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SSV Water Screening (Liquids) | after NEMWA (2008) | Water Screening based on SSV Determinands

Analyses: [liquid ]

PREPARATIONS: Client to specify prep.

INORGANICS: Metals (x10): As, Cd, Co, Cu, Pb, Mn, Hg, Ni, V, Zn • Chloride (as Cl) {w | s*} • Chromium - Hexavalent (as Cr Vl) {w | s*} • Chromium - Trivalent (as Cr Ill) [calc+tCr+Cr6] {w | s*} • Cyanide - Total {w^ | s*} • Fluoride (as F) {w | s*} • NitraterNitrite (as N) {w | s*} • Sulphate (as S04-) {w | s*} • ORGANICS: • Phenols {w^ | s*} 2,4,6-Trichlorophenol, 2-Chlorophenol • SVOCs {w | s} * Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes, Naphthalene, MTBE, Carbon tetrachloride, Chlorobenzene, Chloroform (Trichloromethane), 1,2-Dichlorobenzene, 1,4-Dichlorobenzene, 1,2-Dichloroethane, 1,1-Dichloroethene (DCE), 1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene, 1-2-Dichloroethene, Trichlorobenzenes, 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane, Vinyl Chloride • Nitrobenzene {w* | s*} • Total PCBs {w*# | s*#} • TPH, C7-C9 | C10-14 | C15-C36 {w | s}
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GNR635 Waste | Full Analysis, Classification, SDS - Total & Single Leach (TBC) |

Analyses: [ waste ] [ total & leach ]

▶ WASTE: GNR635 Sample Prep, Single Leach (+DMSprep):

• Drying-Milling-Splitting (s*) • ASLP Single Leach, Solvent TBC {w* | s*}: If not specified by Client, will be determined by Laboratory based on pH conditions. {!}

GNR635 Inorganic lons (TC+LC):

• [lon TOTAL]: F, Total CN • [lon LEACH]: TDS, CI, SO4, NO3-N, F, Total CN {!}

GNR635 Metals (TC+LC):

• [Metals TOTAL]: As, B, Ba, Cd, Co, Cr(VI), Cr(I), Cu, Hg, Mn, Mo, Ni, Pb, Sb, Se, V, Zn • [Metals LEACH]: as before {!}

GNR635 Organics (TC+LC):

• [Organic TOTAL]: Petroleum H/Cs, C6 to C9, Petroleum H/Cs, C10 to C36, Formaldehyde, BTEX, Carbon tetrachloride, Chlorobenzene, Chloroform, 1,2-Dichlorobenzene, 1,4-Dichlorobenzene, 1,1-Dichlorobenzene, 1,1-Dichlorobenz
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4. COST PROPOSAL

4.1 Pricing Protocol

The Client reserves the right to reallocate, remove, and provide additional scope within the priced budget should there be a duplication of scope by other specialists or if expert needs are required. This is to be confirmed once all specialists are appointed. The following costs may apply:

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
					(EXCL. VAT)
1	Health and Safety				
1.1	Environmental management plan (if required)	Lump sum	1		
1.2	Submit a Health and Safety File	Lump sum	1		
1.3	Adhere to Occupational Health and Safety standards	Lump sum	1		
SUBTO	OTAL				
		1	T		1
2	Review of Previous Investigations				
2.1	Review of previous reports w.r.t waste materials by Pr. Sci. Nat / Pr. Eng	Hrs	16		
2.2	Submit a brief report	Lump sum	1		
2.3	Foundation recommendation report – which includes types and estimated size of foundations recommended, loads acceptable for the founding conditions etc	Lump	1		
SUBTO					
					1
3	Fieldwork for Waste, Groundwater a	nd Soil	Classification	n	
3.1	Establishment	Lump sum	1		
3.3	Excavation of trial pits to a depth of 5m using a track mounted excavator	No.	8		
3.5	Profiling and sampling of inspection pits	No.	3		
3.6	Reinstatement of Inspection Pits with approved backfill material	No.	3		
3.7	Retrieval and packaging of samples	No.	3		
3.9	Delivery to a SANAS Accredited laboratory for testing	No.	1		
SUBTO					
4	Laboratory Testing at a SANAS Acc	redited	Laboratory		
4.1	Soil Screening Tests, NEMWA 2008	No.	8		
4.2	Water (Liquid) Screening Tests, NEMWA 2008	No.	8		

4.3	Waste Classification, GNR635	No.	3	
	Waste, Full Analysis, Total & Single			
	Leach			
4.4	Trial CD Porewater press	No.	10	
4.5	TBC for ground improvement –	No.	10	
	Consolidation (Oedometer) tests			
SUBT	OTAL			
5	Analysis and Reporting			
5.1	Analysis of laboratory results	Lump	1	
5.1	Analysis of laboratory results	sum		
5.2	Classification of Waste Material	Lump	1	
0.2	Classification of Waste Material	sum		
5.2	Detailed report with	Lump	1	
	recommendations	sum		
5.2	Input from a Landfill Engineer	Hrs	80	
SUBT				
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6	Disbursements			
6.1	Printing, binding, typing,	Lump	1	
	communications	sum		
6.2	Travel	km	1000	
6.3	Monthly supervision	Per	10	
		visit		
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8	Design of Subsoil / Cut-off Drains	11		
8.1	Design of Subsoil Drainage System	Lump	1	
8.2	Dravision of Drawings for	sum	1	
0.2	Provision of Drawings for Construction	Lump		
8.3	Provision of Tender Document with a	Sum	1	
0.5	BoQ	sum		
8.5	Site Visits During Construction	No.	10	
0.0	One visits burning construction	140.	10	
9	ADHOC Services for Geotechnical	Hrs	50	
_	Engineer / Waster Management			
	Engineer/ Geohydrologist			
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SUBT	OTAL (INCL. 10% DISBURSEMENTS)			
	/AT @15%			
	L INCLUDING VAT & CONTINGENCIES	•		
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^{***} The above pricing and quantities are subject to Client approval and proven costs and are re-measurable subject to requirements.

-	Required by:	Ms. Zukiswa Mtulu	
_	At:	Mangosuthu University of Technology	

-	Brand and model	
-	Country of origin	
-	Does the offer comply with the specification	n(s)? *YES/NO
-	If not to specification, indicate deviation(s)	
-	Period required for delivery	*Delivery: Firm/not firm
-	Delivery basis	

Note: All delivery costs must be included in the bid price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state¹, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes a price quotation, advertised competitive

^{** &}quot;all applicable taxes" includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions, and skills development levies.

bid, limited bid, or proposal). In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorised representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where-

- the bidder is employed by the state; and/or
- the legal person on whose behalf the bidding document is signed, has a relationship with persons/a person who are/is involved in the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid(s), or where it is known that such a relationship exists between the person or persons for or on whose behalf the declarant acts and persons who are involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid.

2.	In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.
2.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:
2.2	Identity Number:
2.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):
2.4	Company Registration Number:
2.5	Tax Reference Number:
2.6	VAT Registration Number:
2.6.1 1"State	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual identity numbers, tax reference numbers and, if applicable, employee / persal numbers must be indicated in paragraph 3 below. "means — (a) any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999); (b) any municipality or municipal entity; (c) provincial legislature; (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or (e) Parliament.
	eholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the agement of the enterprise or business and exercises control over the enterprise.
2.7	Are you or any person connected with the bidder Presently employed by the state? YES/NO
2.7.1	presently employed by the state? If so, furnish the following particulars:
	Name of person/director/trustee/shareholder/ member:
	Name of state institution at which you or the person

	connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	
2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative. work outside employment in the public sector?	YES/NO
2.7.2.	1 If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid document?	YES/NO
	(Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.	
2.7.2.	2 If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:	
2.8	Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors / trustees/shareholders/members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months?	YES/NO
2.8.1	If so, furnish particulars:	
2.9	Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES/NO
2.9.	1lf so, furnish particulars.	
aw any wh	ou, or any person connected with the bidder, are of any relationship (family, friend, other) between y other bidder and any person employed by the state o may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication this bid?	YES/NO

2.10

1 If so, furnish particulars.	
	YES/NO
1 If so, furnish particulars:	
	Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members of the company have any interest in any other related companies whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

3 Full details of directors / trustees /members/shareholders.

Full Name	Identity Number	Personal Tax Reference Number	State Number Number	Employee / Persal

4	DECLA	RATION			
CE	RTIFY T	THE UNDERSIGNED HAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 A) (NAM ABOVE	E) IS	
AC1	T AGAINS	HAT MANGOSUTHU UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY MAY REJEC ST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 23 OF THE GENERAL CONDIT SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.			R
	Signat	ure Date			
	Positio	n Name			
	DECLA	RATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PR	ACTIC	ES	
	1 TI	nis Standard Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.			
·	It serves as a declaration to be used by institutions in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.				
;	3 TI	ne bid of any bidder may be disregarded if that bidder, or any of its dir	ectors	have-	
	b.	abused the institution's supply chain management system; committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such s failed to perform on any previous contract.	ystem;	or	
		order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be abmitted with the bid.	compl	eted a	nd
lte	m Que	stion	Yes	No	
4.1	Is the	e bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database estricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing less with the public sector?	Yes	No	
	(Com	panies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in			
	writin	g of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution			
	that i	mposed the restriction after the audi alteram partem rule was applied).			
	The	Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National			

Treasury's website(<u>www.treasury.gov.za</u>) and can be accessed by

clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.

4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tend Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the Na Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its the bottom of the home page.	g of	No 🗆
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for frauctorruption during the past five years?	d or	No 🗆
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.4	Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform or comply with the contract?	orm Yes	No 🗆
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
L	CERTIFICATION		
l	,THE UNDER	SIGNED (FU	LL NAME)
_	TIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARAD CORRECT.	ATION FORM	IS TRUE
	CEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE		I MAY BE
Signa	ature Date		
 Positi	ion Name of Bidde		

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This document must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
 - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- This form serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bidrigging.
- To give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination must be completed and submitted with the bid:
- ¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids, and proposals.
- ² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices, or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:
(Bid Number and Description)
in response to the invitation for the bid made by:
(Name of Institution)
do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect
I certify, on behalf of:tha
(Name of Ridder)

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate.
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect.
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder.
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder.
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation.
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities, or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- 6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement, or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.

- 7. Without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement, or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
 - (a) prices.
 - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors, or formulas used to calculate prices.
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid.
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bids invitation relates.
- The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- ³ Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.
 - 10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

Signature	Date	

CONDITIONS OF RFQ

- 1. Bidders must submit all necessary documents and complete all forms and questionnaires contained in the RFQ. Each bidder's proposal shall be evaluated against timelines and prices.
- 2. Pricing- do not show separately.
- 3. Bidders must provide a price for each line item, and failure to comply with this requirement will result in disqualification.
- 4. Bidders responding to this quotation are deemed to do so on the basis that they acknowledge and accept all Terms and Conditions of this quotation.
- 5. The RFQ validity period is 90 days.
- 6. The validity period may not be extended unless otherwise stated by the member.
- 7. Incomplete or late submissions will not be evaluated.
- 8. Return quotations to the email address provided before the closing date and time.

WHAT IS THE MUT LOOKING FOR?

This TOR serves as a guideline for the execution of the required expert advice, deliverables, etc, ensuring that all potential geological, environmental, health, and safety risks, particularly contamination, are adequately assessed and managed for the Construction of the New Student Residences Phase 2 project at Mangosuthu University of Technology.

Specification:

See the attached Pricing Schedule.

Evaluation Criteria

Compulsory documents are to be submitted with RFQ.	Mandatory Documents
 Valid Tax certificate or pin CIPC Certificate Professional Registration with ECSA and in good standing Professional Registration with SACNASP and in good standing Valid COIDA Signed site briefing Certificate – to be issued at the briefing session 	YES

NB: Failure to submit mandatory documents will lead to disqualification.

FUNCTIONALITY		400
FUNCTIONALITY		100
Provide three (3) signed reference or recthe client, including contactable reference (landfill and groundwater) experience.		
 3 Reference Letters 2 Reference Letters 1 Reference Letters If no references are provided, the bidder	= 30 Points = 20 Points = 10 Points	30
not be evaluated further. Professional Registration with SACNASI minimum of 10 years' experience (minim professional registration) - Key Personn landfill and groundwater experience. • 15+ years' Experience – Attach CV registration • 14-15 years' Experience – Attach C professional registration • 12-13 years' Experience – Attach C registration • 10-11 years' Experience – Attach C professional registration	and valid proof of professional =25 V and valid proof of =18 V and valid proof of =12	25
Less than 10 years 'experience or If no 0 qualifications are not provided the bidde and will not be evaluated further. Professional Registration with ECSA have	er will be scored Zero (0)	
experience (minimum 5 Years post profesupport the Key Personnel of the project groundwater experience.	essional registration) – To	
 14+ years' Experience – Attach CV registration 12-13 years' Experience – Attach C professional registration 10-11 years' Experience – Attach C professional registration 	V and valid proof of = 10	15

Less than 10 years' experience or If no CV and/o qualifications are not provided the bidder will be and will not be evaluated further.		
Method Statement / Approach Methodology		
Detailed Methodology	= 20 Points	20
Moderate Methodology	= 10 Points	20
 Poor Methodology Provided Points 	= 05	
Note: If no methodology is attached the bidder version points and will not be evaluated further	will be scored 0	
Location Umlazi	=10 Points	
KZN	=05 Points	10
Outside KZN	=00 Points	

NB: The evaluation criterion for functionality aims to assess the capability of the bidder to execute and maintain a bid and/ or contract. Bidders must obtain a minimum percentage score of **70%** and above and comply with the above requirements to progress to the next stage of evaluation.

OTHER GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

- CSD MAAA NUMBER ----(Please insert in the space provided)
- BBBEE Certification No points will be allocated if not provided.

TO BE COMPLETED BY SUPPLIER BY (Checklist)

•	Does this Offer comply with specification, state brand where applicable?	
•	Does the bidder have the required experience, state period?	
•	Can this order be delivered within specified period, state delivery period?	
•	Do you intend sub-contraction/Partner?	
•	Pricing Schedule (Recalculate to ensure accuracy)- Indicate whether	
	prices are firm or non-firm)	
•	Declaration of Interest (Read, Understand and Sign)	
•	Declaration of Bidder's Past Supply Chain Management Practices (Read,	
	Understand and Sign)	
•	Certificate of Independent Bid Determination (Read, understand and	
	Sign)	
•	CSD Registration Number (MAAA) / CSD	
	report	

PLEASE NOTE: MUT reserves the right to appoint or not appoint a service provider for this project. MUT will not necessarily accept the lowest quotation in part or full, it will be MUT's discretion to appoint the most suitable service provider who will add value to MUT.