

Bid Number: SASSA: 48/19/CS/HO Bid Description: The South African Social Security Agency hereby invites proposals for the provision of physical security services for a period of 36 months at SASSA , Gauteng, Limpopo, North-West, Mpumalanga, Free State

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

1. Question: As service provider's should we submit documents for each province or one document will be enough.

Answer: Kindly submit one bid document with schedule of sites for each province/region

2. Question: Should we price only for the province we are bidding for only

Answer: The service provider may choose to bid for one or more regions/provinces

3. Question: Will the excel BOQ be provided, the PDF BOQ's are not clear

Answer: The excel for BOQ's will not be provided, however bidders can develop the BOQ using the same format of the BOQ's provided by the Agency.

4. Question: In terms of JV are you going to select them (combining smme's with big companies) yourselves as the big companies have subsidiaries companies in different names that does not really assist small companies seeking development.

Answer: It is not permissible for SASSA to select on behalf of the service provider companies that should enter into JV or subcontracting.

5. Question: Will it be permissible for small companies to tender for few preferred offices instead of the entire region.

Answer: It would not be permissible for any bidder to select preferred offices from any of the regions. Bidders must submit bid(s) for the entire region not in part.

6. Question: Will it be possible for me to choose one province i prefer to tender if i do not wish to tender for all 9 provinces including district and pay point?

Answer: It is possible to choose a province in its entirety without excluding districts and pay points in that particular region. Meaning that if you submit for region A, every district, local office and service office/point in that office must form part of your submitted bid.

7. Question: What is the National Treasury link for downloading of documents?

Answer : The **National Treasury** link to search bid: **48/19/CS/HO** is as follows:

National Treasury

Advertised tenders

Category: Any

Province: Gauteng

Cluster: Social Protection and Community Development

Department: South African Social security agency

Tender Type: Request for Proposal

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