Procurement Administrator® Course Webinar 2



The Procurement Job Document

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Tender

- Corporation or Government agency approaches Suppliers.
- Approach is Select (few Suppliers) or Open (public).
- Suppliers are emailed a Tender Document to complete.
- Responses evaluated and 1 Supplier wins a Contract.
- Suppliers must be evaluated fairly. This is called **Probity**.

4 Phases in a Tender

1 Engagement	2 Market	3 Evaluation	4 Contract

Customer is buying a **Managed Service** (Printing.) Suppliers owns the Printers and simply charges Customer per printed page. There is **no maintenance**.

Procurement Job Document

<u>Procurement Job folder</u> <u>Contract folder</u>



High level information

Job Title:	Provision of Print as a Service (Paas) Refresh
Job Number:	CON-1115
Category:	ICT
☐ Equipment	
	☐ Maintenance
☐ Infrastructure	
⊠ Services	☐ Consultant
Procurement Officer:	Alex Jacobs (AJ)
	Makena Wambua (MW) (Current)
Probity Officer:	Claire Mwangi
Client Contact:	Alvin Stevenson (AS), Facilities Manager
	Paul Thomas (PT), Project Manager (Current)
Original Strategy:	Single Source (only 1 regional capable Supplier) (2016)
Procurement Strategy:	Select Invitation to Offer Tender to 4 Suppliers on SOA
	65211.
Govt Standing Offer	SOA 65211 – Printing as a Service
Arrangement (SOA):	
Contract Conditions:	ICT Comprehensive Conditions
Contract Details:	Customer Contract CON-1115
Orig. Total Contract Value incl.	350,100,000 Kenyan Shillings / USD \$3 million
This Total Contract Value incl.	308,904,900 Kenyan Shillings / USD \$2.64 million
This Total Contract Value	☐ Estimate ☐ Successful Supplier Price
Functional Delegate:	Joanne Stephens
Financial Delegate:	Wilkins Omondi
Cost Centre:	200160
Purchase Order Number:	0000007141
Initial Engagement date:	11.03.21
Contract / Variation Dates:	01.06.21 – 01.06.26

Key Documents in Final / Endorsed/ Approved / Executed / Emailed

	Initial Engagement Email	\boxtimes	М	Tender Register	\boxtimes
	Sourcing Plan	\boxtimes		Mandatory criteria evaluated	\boxtimes
	Risk Level identified	\boxtimes	E	Evaluation Report approved	\boxtimes
_	Budget confirmation	\boxtimes	V A	Financial Approval	\boxtimes
E N	Functional approval	\boxtimes	L	Award successful Supplier	\boxtimes
G	Compliance approval	NA		Contract document	\boxtimes
A	Board Approval		O (Contract counter-executed	\boxtimes
G F	Requirements endorsed	\boxtimes	O N	Purchase Order	\boxtimes
_	Tender Evaluation Plan endorsed	\boxtimes	T	Email – Unsuccessful Suppliers	\boxtimes
	Evaluator COI Declarations	\boxtimes	R	Contract Register updated	\boxtimes
	Tender Document	\boxtimes	A	Handover	\boxtimes
	Tender Schedule	\boxtimes	T	Job complete	\boxtimes

Date	Notes	Embed doc
	Engagement Phase	
11.03.21	 Initial Engagement meeting with Client. Client replies with endorsement: Budget – Sighted. Delegates – Identified. Procurement Strategy – Select ITO under SOA. Contract: ICT Comprehensive Details. Indicative timeline: Contract execution by end June 2021. Don't commence job until Client agrees on process 	CON-1115 Initial Engagement Notes – Client endorsement
15.03.21	 AJ prepares Sourcing Plan Draft for Procurement review. Sourcing Plan Risk Level identified as: High Value, Low Complexity Risk. 	CON-1115 Sourcing Plan v1.1 DRAFT

18.03.21	 Procurement peer review of Sourcing Plan, with comments. Procurement Strategy: Select Invitation to Offer Tender to 4 Suppliers on SOA 65211. Client emails AJ budget confirmation. Sourcing Plan Final approved by Head of Procurement. 	CON-1115 Sourcing Plan v1.1 DRAFT – HB comments FY20/21 budget
	Approved Sourcing Plan protects Procurement officer	details. CON-1115 Sourcing Plan Final approved
22.03.21	 Meeting with Client about development of Requirements. Client raised Issues: Original specification requires technical update as original contract is outdated (2016). Must include "Follow-Me Print". Client asked incumbent provider for reassurance of data sovereignty (Kenya data centre) and has not received an adequate response. Industry pricing per printed page decreased but successful Supplier quote suggests a 5.5% increase. Handover to MW, Procurement officer. Safety is #1 priority in Requirements	Spec 03.21 v0.1
26.03.21	IT Division provides endorsement of specification Final regarding ISO 27001 (IT security) and ISO 9000 (quality).	

	PT new project manager who will act as Client and reports to Facilities Manager.	Re: ISO27001 and 9000 Spec Final
31.03.21	 <u>Email Functional Approval</u> to issue ITO Tender. Client emails Procurement with Multi-functional device (MFD) list of sites, and Customer pricing schedule. 	Re: Approval to go to Tender 29.03.21
	Functional Approval is permission to release a Tender	CON-1115 Request for Quote MFD locations in Nairobi and Mombasa offices
		RFQ CON-1115 pricing attachment
05.04.21	 Procurement drafts Tender Evaluation Plan (TEP) and emails to Client. Procurement meets with Client to finalise evaluation criteria, scoring system and weightings, in the TEP. TEP rules state that suppliers evaluated based on Capability. Only Supplier with highest combined capability score checked for price competitiveness. 	CON1115 – TEP
	Mandatory criterion – current insurances.	

	A Tender Eval Plan locks in the criteria and scoring system, in an ITO Tender	
07.04.21	Evaluators sign <u>Conflict of Interest declaration</u> in TEP.	CON1115 – TEP – endorsed by Client and Evaluators
08.04.21	 Procurement completes Tender document and Draft Contract Details, and sends to Client for review. Requirements and list of sites in Tender. Client endorses TEP. Client endorses Tender document. 	CON1115 – Tender document
	Only release a Tender when Client endorses it, in writing	CON1115 – DRAFT contract Details CON1115 – DRAFT contract Conditions CON-1115 – Tender doc – Endorsement

	Market Phase	
09.04.21	 Tender and Draft Contract released to 4 select Suppliers. (Tender closes 26 April) Procurement telephones the 4 suppliers to ensure they are aware of the Tender. 	CON-1115 – Tender – Please do not ignore
	Requirements must be in final by Tender release	
12.04.21	Briefing session at 11am. Virtual owing to Covid-19.	
13.04.21	Clarification question 1 Supplier clarification question 1: "In our original 2018 offer, we provided Print as a Service pricing in an alternate format to your Customer template. May we again provide our pricing on our own template, as it reflects the bespoke nature of our offer, is efficient and transparent?" Customer response to clarification question 1: "You may provide an alternate offer; however, as a condition, we require you to also complete our Pricing template for your offer to be compliant." Clarification question 2 Supplier clarification question 2: "Are you able to provide your budget for the services?"	CON-1115 – Query 13.04.21 CON-1115 – our response to your query CON-1115 – Query 13.04.21 CON-1115 – our response to your query

	Customer response to clarification question 2:	
	"We are unable to provide a budget; however, we expect responses to be competitive and in accordance with current Printing as a Service rates."	
	Note: SOA does not provide supplier pricing.	
	Supplier Clarification questions de-badged and shared with all bidding Suppliers	
26.04.21	 Tender closes. 3 suppliers respond: ABC Printing Machines Ltd. DEF Multi-Functional Solutions. GHI Print as a Service Limited. JKL did not bid. ABC and DEF propose Contract Departures. JKL confirms by email no bid. Procurement populates Tender Register. 	CON-1115 – ABC offer CON-1115 – DEF offer CON-1115 – GHI response CON-1115 – JKL confirms no bid.

	Evaluation Phase	
29.04.21	Procurement evaluates Mandatory criteria (current insurances). 3 responding suppliers all comply and may be evaluated.	CON-1115 – Mandatory Evaluation (Procurement only)
03.05.21	Desktop Evaluation (Evaluators read, and score, 3 responses by themselves).	
	Desktop evaluation for ITO (Eval Qs), not for RFQ (Price only)	
07.05.21	 Consensus Evaluation (2.5 hours). Probity: Evaluator #2's Desktop notes are light and lack detail. Procurement has spoken with evaluator. Supplier DEF Multi-Functional Solutions identified as successful Supplier, based on highest Capability score. GHI price is unrealistically low. 	CON1115 – Consensus Evaluation scores and notes
	 DEF Multi-Functional Solutions response price is 320,800,000 Kenyan Shillings, which is marginally high: ABC 300,250,000 K. Sh. DEF 320,800,074 K. Sh. GHI 175,000,602 K. Sh. Responding suppliers shortlisted to 1 supplier. DEF Multi-Functional Solutions asked to provide a Better Offer. 	

10.05.21	Successful Supplier DEF responds with Better Offer price of 308,904,900 incl. VAT. In ITO Tender, Capability more critical than Price	
10.05.21	 Evaluation chairperson completes Evaluation Report, endorsed by some Evaluators. Procurement requests all Evaluators to endorse. Reviewed by Procurement, which provides suggested edits. Client provides a version 2. Procurement endorses Evaluation Report. 	CON1115 – Evaluation Report v1 – Procurement comments CON1115 – Evaluation Report – endorsed by Evaluators and Procurement
11.05.21	 Financial approval for 308,904,900 incl. VAT, provided by separate delegate, by email. Successful Supplier awarded by email. 	CON-1115 – Mandatory Evaluation (Procurement only)
	Financial Approval is for exact price	CON-1115 – Tender outcome

	Contract Phase	
14.05.21	 Supplier DEF Contract departures are: Removal of Termination for Convenience clause. Removal of prohibition against autorenewal and providing 90-day autorenewal. Addition of Consumer Price Index (CPI) of 4% per annum to account for inflation. In response, Procurement: References Conditions of Tender, which state that as a condition of applying for Tender, no contract departures will be proposed by offerors. Procurement negotiates CPI to 2% per annum. 	CON-1115 – Departures - correspondence
17.05.21	Suppliers ask for 3 days for their solicitor to review negotiation points, which is granted.	
20.05.21	 Emails from suppliers ABC and GHI asking for updates on evaluation. Explained still in evaluation. Note: Unsuccessful suppliers are not notified until the contract is counter-executed. Supplier advises their solicitor is satisfied with Customer negotiation points. Supplier executes contract. Unsuccessful suppliers notified when contract executed 	CON-1115 – Supplier – Modified Contract ok CON1115 – Contract – Supplier signed
21.05.21	Customer counter-executes contract.	

	Procurement files counter-executed contract in Contract Register and emails Procurement handover to Contract Manager.	CON1115 – Contract – counter- executed CON-1115 – Handover
24.05.21	 Unsuccessful notifications sent to suppliers ABC and GHI. Supplier GHI asks for an unsuccessful supplier debrief. Treat Supplier debriefs with importance and respect	CON-1115 – Tender outcome
27.05.21	 Unsuccessful supplier debrief with supplier GHI. Procurement files debrief notes. 	CON-1115 – Debrief – GHI - Notes
Job complete		

Benefits of a Procurement Job Document

- You can build it in Microsoft Word or Google Pages.
- Can link it to a Procurement **Pipeline** (Job Register).
- Requires **no training**.
- Instead of messy folders, you only need 1 document!
- Category Managers can enforce housekeeping.
- Single Source of **Truth** about a Job.
- Word processors allow you to **embed** or **link** a file or email.
- No handover meeting if changing Procurement officers.
- Simple to attach to an email to send to **Auditor**.