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KEMSA/ONT06/2022-2024

Date: 18th November, 2022

CLARIFICATION 2

To: All bidders,

Dear Sir/Madam,

TENDER NO: KEMSA/ONT06/2022-2024 - SUPPLY OF HEALTH TECHNOLOGIES (GLOVES, NEEDLES AND MEDICAL TUBES, INCONTINENCE MATERIALS/DEVICES AND MEDICAL WASTE DISPOSAL DEVICES)

The following questions were raised by interested bidders and responses provided:

QUESTION 1:

Incase am to supply gloves and needles, will I be required to provide the following,

Current, and valid manufacturing Certificate of Quality issued by an independent recognized body to the manufacturer of the product. The certificate must be item specific (MANDATORY).

b) Manufacturers Authorization must be on a manufacturer's letterhead and addressed to KEMSA that is both tender and item specific and signed by an authorized signatory

Other procurement-specific documentation requirements are:

Documentation and sample requirements for eligibility of the offered Goods.

In addition to the documents stated in Clause 16.3 (a) the following shall be included with the Tender:

For each Health product offered, documentary evidence demonstrating that such product has been manufactured in accordance with the latest publicly available monographs and that the finished product meets the standards as described in any of the following pharmacopoeia:

- I. International Pharmacopoeia
- II. British Pharmacopoeia
- III. United States Pharmacopeia
- IV. European Pharmacopoeia
- V. Manufacturers Specifications
- VI. Any other Pharmacopoeia recognized by the PPB and documentary evidence demonstrating that such product meets one of the above standards must be provided
- (a) The Tenderer is requested to provide, in support of their technical offer, a sample for tests

for each of the items offered under separate cover at or before the tender closing date and time. The sample is to be clearly labeled with the tenderer's name, tender reference and identification of the product. The sample requested is to be submitted as per technical specification offered by the Tenderer and shall represent exactly the Health product that is intended to be supplied in case of contract award.

- (b) If, for reasons other than the tender specific labeling requirements, the sample is not consistent with the required technical specifications then the offer for the particular item shall be rejected.
- (c) For quality assurance reasons, for each sample provided a protocol (certificate of analysis) of a product test conducted by the laboratory of the manufacturer has to be provided from the same production batch in case of award of contract.

RESPONSE

First Stick to the Mandatory requirements, technical specifications for the samples you will submit in preparation of your bid for the Prequalification.

Secondly the rest of the requirements will be adhered to as per what you shall have signed in the contract for when and if awarded.

QUESTION 2:

Item No. 19 –Safety Boxes– The size of Safety Box that we have sample for from a WHO-PQS prequalified manufacturer is of $153 \times 103 \times 305$ mm (L x W x H)-5L, while in the tender specifications the dimensions required are $155 \times 125 \times 275$ mm (L x W x H)-5L. Please clarify if this is acceptable.

RESPONSE

WHO PQS PREQUALIFIED manufacturers will be verified on the online WHO PQS catalogue online link in their official known website and each safety box has a known, unique number documented measurable parameters that will be verified against the submitted tender samples during evaluation.

Yours faithfully

Dr. Justus Kinoti (Ph.D)

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