

# KENYA MEDICAL SUPPLIES AUTHORITY

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KEMSA/ GF ATM MAL NFM- 2022/2023 OIT- 04

Date: 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023

## CLARIFICATION 1:

Attn.: All Prospective Bidders

### RE: GF ATM MAL NFM- 2022/2023 OIT- 04 SUPPLY OF MALARIA RAPID DAIGNOSTIC TESTS (RDTs) II

In accordance with ITT Clause 7.1 (Clarification of Tendering Document) of the Open International Tender (OIT) issued under the above reference, we hereby respond to query raised by prospective bidder:

#### **Question:**

As the only local manufacturer of medical devices including the item in the tender "Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Tests", we are ISO, CE and WHO-GMP certified. We also have ISO, PPB, TMDA certification for Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Tests. However, we do not have WHO-PQS certificate for the item. We have been supplying to Kenya Medical Research Institute (KEMRI), exported to over 5 countries in Africa and supplied to NGO's in Uganda and Tanzania. Our Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Tests are of high quality and meet all the required health standards as prescribed in the tender document.

Please clarify if our PPB and ISO certificates will be sufficient.

#### **Response:**

Adhere to technical specifications and evaluation criteria.

#### **Question:**

The general requirement on page 90 states for the requirement of malaria pf antigen rapid test, which typically based on HRP2 detection and cassette has two lines (Control line (C) and Test line (T)), Test line part is HRP2

However, in the technical requirements on the same page 90 (third point), the tender mentions HRP2, HRP2/pLDH as 2 lines. Please clarify about these 2 lines.

**Response:**

The 2 lines are for detecting HRP2 antigen and pLDH

**Question:**

We would like to request for an extension of the closing date from 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 to a later date. This is because 3 weeks given to work on its submission is not enough for us bidders to get the listed requirements and submit in time.

**Response:**

Request for extension is not granted. The tender closing date remains **4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 at 10:00am**

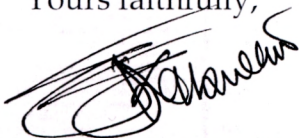
**Question:**

Please clarify on page 72 the quantity are 125,513 kits while on page 89 quantity are 3,137,837 kits.

**Response:**

The correct quantity is **125,513 kits** as per the price schedule.

Yours faithfully,



**JOHN KABUCHI**

**Ag. DIRECTOR, PROCUREMENT**

**FOR: CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**