

10th February, 2022

To: All Bidders

Dear Sir/Madam,

ADDENDUM 1: CLARIFICATION & EXTENSION OF TENDER CLOSING DATE

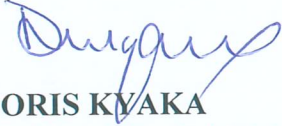
RE: TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF ASSORTED PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
TENDER NO. GDC/SHE/OT/037/2021-2022

In response to bidder's request for clarification, GDC wishes to provide the following clarification;

No.	Bidders Question	GDC's Response
1.	On your tender document with the above reference the image for the below item is missing; - SCHEDULE I: COWHIDE GLOVE	Attached as annex one (1) please find the image for Cowhide Gloves. Bidders are encouraged to view GDC Samples in Kawi house office during normal working hours.
2.	Consider extension of closing date	The tender closing date has been extended from 14th February, 2022 to 7th March, 2022 at 2.00pm.
3.	We note that you have referred to some requirements by brand names e.g. (i) Driller Safety Boot- Redwing Style 8264 (ii) Laced Safety Shoes- Deltaplus Jet S3 (iii) Front Brime Helmets- Red MSA V-Guard (iv) Helmet Harness -MSA While you have clarified in items 1 & 2 that a tenderer can bring an equivalent offer, the same it is not clear for items 3 & 4; must they be from M.S.A.	Bidders can quote for equivalent offer/brand fully compliant with technical specifications for all schedules.
4.	Will there be any preference given to tenderers depending on Brand Names or you shall restrict yourselves to conformation to technical specifications	All samples shall be evaluated against compliance with stipulated technical requirements in the tender document. Similar brand names which fail to meet outlined specifications shall be declared non responsive

N/B: All other requirements/instructions remain unchanged.

Yours faithfully,



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