

## INTENTION TO AWARD A CONTRACT

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| TENDER NO                                | EWSC 46 of 2022/23                                   |  |
| NAME OF TENDER                           | SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF PIPES, FITTINGS AND BRASSWARE |  |
| APPROVALS AUTHORITY                      | <b>Eswatini Water Services Corporation</b>           |  |
| PROCURING ENTITY                         | Eswatini Water Services Corporation                  |  |
| REQUESTING ENTITY                        | Eswatini Water Services Corporation                  |  |

In terms of section 45 of the Public Procurement Act No. 7 of 2011 (the Act), following a competitive bidding process, notice is hereby given that a contract award decision for the above cited tender has been reached by the approvals authority as follows:

| NAME                    | ASD (PTY) LTD   |  |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| NATIONALITY             | Swati   |  |  |
| PROPOSED CONTRACT PRICE | <b>Lot 1. E24,309,936.10</b> (Emalangeni twenty-<br>four million, three hundred and nine<br>thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, ten<br>cents) inclusive of VAT and CIC levy |  |  |
| TOTAL EVALUATION SCORE  | N/A   |  |  |

| <b>DETAILS OF BEST EVALUATED RES</b> | PONSIVE   |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| NAME                                 | Afritool (Pty) Ltd  |  |  |
| NATIONALITY                          | Swati   |  |  |
| PROPOSED CONTRACT PRICE              | <b>Lot 2. E1,699,730.84</b> (Emalangeni one million, six hundred and ninety-nine thousand seven hundred and eighty-four cents) inclusive of VAT and CIC levy. |  |  |
| TOTAL EVALUATION SCORE               | N/A   |  |  |



| DETAILS OF SECOND BEST EVALUATED RESPONSIVE |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| NAME  | ERG Swaziland (Pty) Ltd  |  |
| NATIONALITY                                 | Swati  |  |
| PROPOSED ALTERNATIVE CONTRACT PRICE         | <b>N/A</b> (the bidder has been shortlisted as the alternative/ reserve supplier for both lot 1 and 2 as they were the second best evaluated bidder for both lots) |  |
| TOTAL EVALUATION SCORE                      | N/A  |  |

It must be noted that, in terms of section 45(2) of the Act, the above contract award decision does not constitute a contract.

Further, in terms of section 45(4), 46, and 47 of the Act, all tenderers who submitted bids are hereby notified that a period of ten (10) working days is hereby allowed for submission of any application for review from the above stated date of first publication of this notice.

| DETAILS OF ALL OTHER UNSUCCESSFUL BIDDERS |             |                           |  |  |
|---|-------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| NAME                                      | NATIONALITY | BID PRICE AS READ OUT (E) | REASON FOR DISQUALIFICATION  |  |
| Biogas                                    | Swati       | 36,110,463.48             | The bidder submitted a tax compliance certificate that was not authentic.  |  |
| Chromosome<br>Investments                 | Swati       | 30,773,771.32             | The bidder submitted a copy of the tender bond instead of an original as required.   |  |
| Eco-Buzz                                  | Swati       | 30,088,671.64             | The bidder did not submit a manufacturer's authorisation letter and a SABS approval certificate. Also, the bidder did not complete the statement of compliance |  |
| Fraser Control<br>Solution                | Swati       | 23,896,078.84             | The bidder did not submit the manufacture's authorisation and a SABS approval certificate. Also, the bidder did not complete the statement of compliance.      |  |
| ASD (Pty) Ltd                             | Swati       | 3,250,863.00<br>(Lot 2)   | Higher bid price compared to that of the awarded tenderer.   |  |
| Afritool (Pty)<br>Ltd                     |             | 26,843,287.39<br>(Lot 1)  | Higher bid price compared to that of the awarded tenderer.   |  |

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