



CLARIFICATIONS

Regulations 34 (3) The public entity in writing must, within three working days of receipt of the request for clarification under subregulation (1), give clarification to the bidder who request for the clarification and - without disclosing the bidder who requested for the clarification under subregulation (1).

PROCUREMENT TITLE: SC/RP/HRC – 003/2025 - PROVISION OF ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF INTERLOCKED PAVED ROAD IN KLEIN-AUB

CLARIFICATION QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Please find in the below table feedback to clarifications sought from bidder(s):

ITEM	ITEM	COMMENTS/ RESPONSE
	Receipt of clarification date: Monday, 04 August 2025 at 15:14	Feedback on clarification date: Thursday, 07 August 2025
1.	We are writing regarding the requirement that all proposed staff members be registered with the Engineering Council of Namibia (ECN), as outlined in the tender documentation. We fully acknowledge the importance of this requirement and the professional standards it seeks to uphold.	The recent dissolution of the Engineering Council of Namibia (ECN) Board by the Honourable Minister of Works and Transport does not affect the day-to-day operations of the Council. All core functions and administrative processes continue uninterrupted.

	We would, however, like to respectfully request your reconsideration of this requirement, considering recent developments affecting the Engineering Council of Namibia (ECN). As you may be aware, the Minister of Works and Transport officially dissolved the ECN Board in late June 2025. As a result, the Council is currently unable to process new registrations or renewals, and no clear timelines have been communicated regarding the reconstitution of the board or the resumption of normal operations. Given these circumstances, we kindly submit this request for your consideration that registration with the Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA) be accepted for this assignment—perhaps as an interim measure. ECSA maintains a recognised and robust professional framework, and its registration process is internationally benchmarked.	Prospective bidders are required to be registered with, or have a valid renewal from, the ECN at the time of submitting their application.
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Yours sincerely



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