

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

PROTOTYPE DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE ELIDZ SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PARK

The **East London Industrial Development Zone SOC Ltd** is the operator of the East London Industrial Development Zone (ELIDZ), an entity which exists to help manufacturers to become globally competitive through the development and efficient management of a modern, purpose built industrial location, which offers investing industries a streamlined business environment enhanced by a range of supporting services. The zone is already operational and currently houses a number of manufacturers that supply products for the local and international markets.

The Science and Technology Park (STP) component of the East London Industrial Development Zone (ELIDZ) has been established to contribute towards increasing the competitive and comparative advantages of the zone as an investment destination through the utilisation of innovation. To this effect, the STP aims to enhance competitiveness through productivity and innovation.

SCOPE OF WORK:

The STP is seeking suitably qualified SMMEs, entrepreneurs and innovators to respond to this **Expression of Interest (EOI), for the Development of their Prototype within the ELIDZ Science & Technology Park.**

EOI Reference No.	Tender Description / Name	Closing Date / Time
2019-EOI-STP-003	Prototype Development	30 August 2019 at 12:00

BRIEFING MEETING:

Note: A Briefing or Site Clarification Meeting with representatives of the Employer will take place at **East London IDZ Head Office building, auditorium on 16 August 2019 starting at 10:00am.**

BID CONDITIONS:

Respondents are required to submit:

- Valid SARS PIN or Tax Clearance Certificate with their submission
- Verified original or certified B-BBEE Certificate. Companies with annual turnover less than R10 million to submit an accountant letter confirming turnover, preference to be given to SMMEs with the lowest turnover
- Company registration documents and ELIDZ procurement handbook with their EOI.

EVALUATION:

The evaluation will be guided by the East London Industrial Development Zone procurement policy. Points will be awarded based on Technical Functionality Matrix/Criteria

Score breakdown: 100 Points for Technical Functionality

All respondents not providing compulsory responsive documentation and with functionality scoring less than 70%, will not be considered for the next stage of evaluation.

PROPOSAL DOCUMENT & SUBMISSION:

The EOI document will be available for download at no cost on **08 August 2019 10h00 (morning)** from the East London Industrial Development Zone's website. <http://www.elidz.co.za> under **"Opportunities > Tenders"**

The proposal must be placed in a sealed envelope marked "Confidential" with the name/address of submitting member/s and the EOI Proposal reference number. They must be deposited in the tender box in ELIDZ's Head offices, **East London Industrial Development Zone Head Office Building, Lower Chester Road, Sunnyridge, and East London on or before 12h00 on Friday, 30 August 2019.**

ELIDZ will not be responsible for EOI proposals placed in an incorrect tender box.

No late EOIs will be accepted. Only original EOI proposals will be accepted. The complete set of EOI proposal documentation must be returned with the submission and only original intact EOI proposal will be considered. Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile and e-mail EOI proposals will not be accepted.

TENDER ENQUIRIES:

Queries relating to this EOI proposal may be addressed to: Ms. Anathi Mgwaza

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