



**Kenya Bureau of  
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TO: ALL INTERESTED BIDDERS

**ADDENDUM 1- KEBS/T013/2023/2024 – TENDER FOR SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF CLOSED-CIRCUIT TELEVISION (CCTV) SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AT KEBS REGIONAL OFFICES**

The Kenya Bureau of standards wishes to provide the following clarifications:

**1. RELATIONSHIP WITH THE PRINCIPAL TENDER DOCUMENT**

Save where expressly amended by the terms of this addendum, the Principal Tender Document shall continue to be in full force and effect.

The provision of this addendum shall be deemed to have been incorporated in and shall be read as part of the Principal Tender Document.

**2. CLARIFICATION HAVE BEEN SOUGHT AS FOLLOWS**

**QUESTION 1:**

We noticed the attached document on the website does NOT match the subject above kindly send it to us via this email so that we can participate. **RE-TENDER SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF CLOSED-CIRCUIT TELEVISION (CCTV) SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AT KEBS REGIONAL OFFICERS**

**ANSWER:**

*We wish to clarify that the tender on the website is official document kindly download it to enable you to participate. Please note CCTV is acronym for Closed Circuit Television.*

**QUESTION 2:**

I am writing this email in regard to the tender invite for the Supply Delivery Installation and commissioning of CCTV Surveillance System at KEBS Regional Offices.

I would like to seek further clarification on the budget. What would be the estimated budget for the entire project?

**ANSWER:**

*We wish to clarify that the tender will be awarded to the lowest evaluated responsive bidder of the total tender sum for all regions. Bidders will be required to give competitive offer reflecting market price.*

**QUESTION 3:**

The specifications requested for the camera are 6 megapixels. These specs are not standard as they are only available for other markets like Middle East and Europe and not the Africa Market. In addition, only HIK Vision could extend sales to Africa market on 6 MP giving an only option of quoting higher specs like 8 MP by other companies. This will give the tenderer's uncompetitive edge quoting higher resolution.

**ANSWER:**

*6 MP is the minimum requirement for the cameras that KEBS requires and does not refer to a particular trademark, name, patent, design, type, producer, or service provider or to a specific origin which is in line with Section 60 (4) of PPADA Act 2015. However, bidders can propose a higher resolution.*

*Please note the procuring entity determines the specifications as per its need. In this case 6 Mega Pixel(MP) is the minimum requirement and the issue of Africa Market, Middle East and Europe market is not applicable. Bidders are welcomed to offer higher resolutions.*

**QUESTION 4:**

As explained above the biggest market share for Africa Market is from Dahua Technology, Axis Communications, Uniview Technologies, HIK Vision, Hanwha vision and a few others. For this reason, only HIK vision could extend sale of 6MP in Africa which makes it difficult for other products to be proposed for this specific tender bringing biasness on tendering.

**ANSWER:**

*Tender requirements remain the same.*

**QUESTION 5:**

It is good to note that all of the above surveillance manufacturer have a standard rating of 2MP, 4MP, 5MP and 8 MP for African Market.

**ANSWER:**

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**QUESTION 6:**

NCA 4 Category requested is way beyond the required guidelines issued by NCA.

**ANSWER:**

*Tender requirements remain the same.*

**QUESTION 7:**

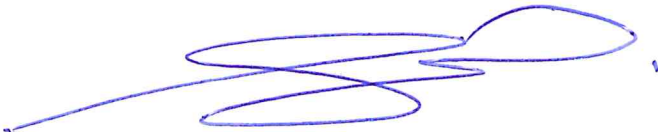
The requirement on accreditation (MR19) with ICTA 4: This is an accreditation purposely for ICT systems and Networks established by Ministry of ICT and may not relate with the establishment of security systems.

**ANSWER:**

*As per the tender requirements on description of services it involves installation of cabling system for the cameras i.e., CAT 6A ethernet cables, Fiber, and supply of networking equipment's i.e., Cabinets which falls under the ICTA Networks Category.*

NOTE: THIS ADDENDUM SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO FORM PART OF THE TENDER DOCUMENT.

ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN THE SAME

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CHIEF MANAGER SUPPLY CHAIN

