



UNIVERSITY OF EMBU

TENDER NO. UoEm/24/2019-2020

FOR

**LEASE OF VACANT SHOP NO.7 AS A
RETAIL SHOP AT
UNIVERSITY OF EMBU**

Closing Date: 29th November, 2019

Time: 11.00AM

November, 2019

SECTION I - INVITATION TO TENDER

Tender No: UoEm/24/2019-2020

Tender name: Lease of Vacant Shop No. 7 as a Retail Shop

1. 1 The **University of Embu** invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for **Lease of vacant shop No.7 as a Retail shop**. The tenant can also operate M-pesa Services.
1. 2 Interested eligible candidates may obtain further information from the **Procurement Office** during normal office working hours.
1. 3 Tender documents can be downloaded **FREE** from the website **www.embuni.ac.ke**.
1. 4 Prices quoted should be net inclusively all taxes and must be in Kenya Shillings and shall remain valid for (90) days from the closing date of the tender.
1. 5 Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked with the tender number and name ,and be deposited in the tender Box at the University reception or be addressed to;

The Vice-Chancellor,
University of Embu,
P.o Box 6-60100,
Embu.

so as to be received on or before **29th November, 2019 at 11.00 am.**

1. 6 The tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the candidates representatives, who choose to attend, in the Procurement Office.

The Vice- Chancellor
University of Embu

SECTION II - INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

2.1 Eligible Tenderers

- 2.1.1 This invitation for tenders is open to all tenderers eligible as described in the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers. Successful tenderers shall be contracted for the stipulated duration from the date of commencement (hereinafter referred to as the term) specified in the schedule of requirements.
- 2.1.2 The procuring entity's employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate in the tender unless where specially allowed under section 131 of the Act.
- 2.1.3 Tenderers shall provide the qualification statement that the tenderer (including all members of a joint venture and subcontractors), is not associated, or have been associated in the past, directly or indirectly, with the firm or any of its officials which have been engaged by the procuring entity to provide consulting services for the preparation of the design specifications and other documents to be used for the purpose of this invitation to tender.
- 2.1.4 Tenderers involved in corrupt or fraudulent practices or debarred from participating in public procurement shall not be eligible.

2.2 Cost of Tendering

- 2.2.1 The Tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its tender, and the procuring entity, will in no case be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the tendering process
- 2.2.2 The price to be charged for the tender document shall not exceed Kshs.1,000/=
- 2.2.3 The procuring entity shall allow the tenderer to review the tender document free of charge before purchase.

2.3 Contents of Tender Documents

2.3.1 The tender documents comprise the documents listed below and addenda issued in accordance with clause 2.7 of these instructions to tenderers.

- (i) Instructions to tenderers
- (ii) General Conditions of Contract
- (iii) Special Conditions of Contract
- (iv) Schedule of particulars of tender
- (v) Form of Tender
- (vi) Price Schedules
- (vii) Contract Form
- (viii) Confidential Business Questionnaire Form
- (ix) Tender security Form
- (x) Performance security Form
- (xi) Authorization Form
- (xii) Declaration form
- (xiii) Request for Review Form

2.3.2 The Tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms and particulars in the tender documents. Failure to furnish all information required by the tender documents or to submit a tender not substantially responsive to the tender documents in every respect will be at the tenderers risk and may result in the rejection of its tender.

2.4 Clarification of tender Documents

2.4.1 A prospective tenderer making inquiry on the tender documents may notify the Procuring entity by post, fax or by email at the procuring entity's address indicated in the Invitation to Tender. The Procuring entity will respond in writing to any request for clarification of the tender documents, which it receives no later than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for the submission of tenders, prescribed by the procuring entity. Written copies of the Procuring entities response (including an explanation of the query but without identifying the source of inquiry) will be sent to all candidates who have received the tender documents.

2.4.2 The procuring entity's employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate in the tender.

2.5 Amendment of tender Documents

2.5.1 At any time prior to the deadline for submission of tenders, the Procuring entity, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective tenderer, may modify the tender documents by issuing an addendum amendment.

2.5.2 All prospective tenderers who have obtained the tender documents will be notified of the amendment by post, fax or email and such amendment will be binding on them.

2.5.3 In order to allow prospective tenderers reasonable time in which to take the amendment into account in preparing their tenders, the Procuring entity, at its discretion, may extend the deadline for the submission of tenders.

2.6 Language of Tenders

2.6.1 The tender prepared by the tenderer, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchanged by the tenderer and the Procuring entity, shall be written in English language. Any printed literature furnished by the tenderer may be written in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate English translation of the relevant passages in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the tender, the English translation shall govern.

2.7. Documents Comprising the Tender

2.7.1 The tender prepared by the tenderer shall comprise the following components:

- (a) a Tender Form and a Price Schedule completed in accordance with paragraph 2.8, 2.9 and 2.10 below
- (b) documentary evidence established in accordance with paragraph 2.12 that the tenderer is eligible to tender and is qualified to perform the contract if its tender is accepted;
- (c) tender security furnished in accordance with paragraph 2.12

2.8. Form of Tender

2.8.1 The tenderer shall complete the Form of Tender and the Price Schedules furnished in the tender documents, indicating the particulars of the tender.

2.9. Tender Prices

2.9.1 The tenderer shall indicate on the Price Schedules the unit prices and total tender price of the particular of tender under the contract.

2.9.2 Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be the amounts to be paid by the tenderer to the procuring entity for the particulars of the tender under the contract.

2.9.3 Prices quoted by the tenderer shall remain fixed during the term of the contract unless otherwise agreed by the parties. A tender submitted with an adjustable price quotation will be treated as non-responsive and will be rejected, pursuant to paragraph 2.20.5

2.10. Tender Currencies

2.10.1 Prices shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings unless otherwise stated in the appendix.

2.11. Tenderers Eligibility and Qualifications

2.11.1 Pursuant to paragraph 2.1.1 and 2.1.2 the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, documents establishing the tenderers eligibility to tender and its qualifications to perform the contract if it's tender is accepted.

2.11.2 The documentary evidence of the tenderer's qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted shall establish to the Procuring entity's satisfaction that the tenderer has the financial and technical capability necessary to perform the contract.

2.12. Tender Security/ N/A

2.12.1 The tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, a tender security for the amount and form specified in the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers.

2.12.2 The tender security shall be in the amount not exceeding 2 per cent of the tender price

2.12.3 The tender security is required to protect the Procuring entity against the risk of Tenderer's conduct which would warrant the security's forfeiture, pursuant to paragraph 2.12.7

2.12.4 The tender security shall be denominated in Kenya Shillings or in another freely convertible currency, and shall be in the form of

- a) Cash.
- b) A bank guarantee.
- c) Such insurance guarantee approved by the authority.
- d) Letter of credit.

2.12.5 Any tender not secured in accordance with paragraph 2.12.1. and 2.12.3 will be rejected by the Procuring entity as non-responsive, pursuant to paragraph 2.20.5

2.12.6 Unsuccessful Tenderer's tender security will be discharged or returned as promptly as possible but not later than thirty (30) days after the expiration of the period of tender validity

2.12.7 The successful Tenderer's tender security will be discharged upon the tenderer signing the contract, pursuant to paragraph 2.29, and furnishing the performance security, pursuant to paragraph 2.30

2.12.8 The tender security may be forfeited:

- (a) if a tenderer withdraws its tender during the period of tender validity
- (b) in the case of a successful tenderer, if the tenderer fails:
 - (i) to sign the contract in accordance with paragraph 2.29 or
 - (ii) to furnish performance security in accordance with paragraph 2.30

- (c) If the tenderer rejects a correction of an arithmetic error in the tender.

2.13. Validity of Tenders

2.13.1 Tenders shall remain valid for 90 days after date of tender opening pursuant to paragraph 2.18. A tender valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by the Procuring entity as non-responsive.

2.13.2 In exceptional circumstances, the Procuring entity may solicit the Tenderer's consent to an extension of the period of validity. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing. The tender security provided under paragraph 2.12 shall also be suitably extended. A tenderer granting the request will not be required nor permitted to modify its tender.

2.14. Format and Signing of Tenders

2.14.1 The tenderer shall prepare an original and a copy of the tender, clearly marking each "ORIGINAL TENDER" and "COPY OF TENDER," as appropriate. In the event of any discrepancy between them, the original shall govern.

2.14.2 The original and all copies of the tender shall be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by the tenderer or a person or persons duly authorized to bind the tenderer to the contract. All pages of the tender, except for un-amended printed literature, shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.

2.14.3 The tender shall have no interlineations, erasures, or overwriting except as necessary to correct errors made by the tenderer, in which case such corrections shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.

2.15 Sealing and Marking of Tenders

2.15.1 The tenderer shall seal the original and the copy of the tender in separate envelopes, duly marking the envelopes as "ORIGINAL TENDER" and "COPY OF TENDER". The envelopes shall then be sealed in an outer envelope.

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2.15.2 The inner and outer envelopes shall:

- (a) be addressed to the Procuring entity at the address given in the Invitation to Tender

2.15.3 The inner envelopes shall also indicate the name and address of the tenderer to enable the tender to be returned unopened in case it is declared “late”.

2.15.4 If the outer envelope is not sealed and marked as required by paragraph 2.15.2, the Procuring entity will assume no responsibility for the tender’s misplacement or premature opening.

2.16. Deadline for Submission of Tenders

2.16.1 Tenders must be received by the Procuring entity at the address specified under paragraph 2.15.2 no later than **29th November, 2019 at 11.00 am.**

2.16.2 The Procuring entity may, at its discretion, extend this deadline for the submission of tenders by amending the tender documents in accordance with paragraph 2.5.3 in which case all rights and obligations of the Procuring entity and candidates previously subject to the deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.

2.16.3 Bulky tenders which will not fit in the tender box shall be received by the procuring entity as provided for in the appendix.

2.17. Modification and Withdrawal of Tenders

2.17.1 The tenderer may modify or withdraw its tender after the tender’s submission, provided that written notice of the modification, including substitution or withdrawal of the tenders, is received by the Procuring entity prior to the deadline prescribed for submission of tenders.

2.17.2 The tenderer’s modification or withdrawal notice shall be prepared, sealed, marked and dispatched in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 2.15. a withdrawal notice may also be sent by fax or

email but followed by a signed confirmation copy, postmarked not later than the deadline for submission of tenders.

2.17.3 No tender may be modified after the deadline for submission of tenders.

2.17.4 No tender may be withdrawn in the interval between the deadline for submission of tenders and the expiration of the period of tender validity. Withdrawal of a tender during this interval may result in the Tenderer's forfeiture of its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.12.7.

2.18. Opening of Tenders

2.16.4 The Procuring entity will open all tenders in the presence of tenderers' representatives who choose to attend, at **29th November 2019 at 11.00 am.**

2.18.1 and in the location specified in the Invitation of tender. The tenderers' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.

2.18.2 The tender's names, tender modifications or withdrawals, tender prices, discounts, and the presence or absence of requisite tender security and such other details as the Procuring entity, at its discretion, may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening.

2.18.3 The Procuring entity will prepare minutes of the tender opening, which will be submitted to tenderers that signed the tender opening register and will have made the request.

2.19 Clarification of Tenders

2.19.1 To assist in the examination, evaluation and comparison of tenders the Procuring entity may, at its discretion, ask the tenderer for a clarification of its tender. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing, and no change in the prices or substance of the tender shall be sought, offered, or permitted.

2.19.2 Any effort by the tenderer to influence the Procuring entity in the Procuring entity's tender evaluation, tender comparison or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the tenderers' tender.

2.20 Preliminary Examination and Responsiveness

2.20.1 The Procuring entity will examine the tenders to determine whether they are complete, whether any computational errors have been made, whether required sureties have been furnished, whether the documents have been properly signed, and whether the tenders are generally in order.

2.20.2 Arithmetical errors will be rectified on the following basis. If there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the total price that is obtained by multiplying the unit price and quantity, the unit price shall prevail, and the total price shall be corrected. If the candidate does not accept the correction of the errors, its tender will be rejected, and its tender security forfeited. If there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words will prevail

2.20.3 The Procuring entity may waive any minor informality or non-conformity or irregularity in a tender which does not constitute a material deviation provided such waiver does not prejudice or affect the relative ranking of any tenderer.

2.20.4 Prior to the detailed evaluation, pursuant to paragraph 2.20, the Procuring entity will determine the substantial responsiveness of each tender to the tender documents. For purposes of these paragraphs, a substantially responsive tender is one which conforms to all the terms and conditions of the tender documents without material deviations the Procuring entity's determination of a tender's responsiveness is to be based on the contents of the tender itself without recourse to extrinsic evidence.

2.20.5 If a tender is not substantially responsive, it will be rejected by the procuring entity and may not subsequently be made responsive by the tenderer by correction of the nonconformity.

2.21. Conversion to single currency

2.21.1 Where other currencies are used, the Procuring entity will convert those currencies to Kenya Shillings using the selling exchange rate on the date of tender closing provided by the Central Bank of Kenya.

2.22. Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders

2.22.1 The Procuring entity will evaluate and compare the tenders which have been determined to be substantially responsive, pursuant to paragraph 2.20

2.22.2 The Procuring entity's evaluation of a tender will take into account, in addition to the tender price, the following factors, in the manner and to the extent indicated in paragraph 2.22.3.

(a) operational plan proposed in the tender;

(b) deviations in payment schedule from that specified in the Special Conditions of Contract

2.22.3 Pursuant to paragraph 2.22.2. the following evaluation methods will be applied.

(a) Operational Plan

(i) The Procuring entity requires that the services under the Invitation for Tenders shall be performed at the time specified in the Schedule of Requirements. Tenderers offering to perform longer than the procuring entity's required delivery time will be treated as non-responsive and rejected.

(b) Deviation in payment schedule

(i) Tenderers shall state their tender price for the payment on schedule outlined in the special conditions of contract. Tenders will be evaluated on the basis of this base price. Tenderers are, however, permitted to state an alternative

payment scheduled and indicate the reduction in tender price they wish to offer for such alternative payment schedule. The Procuring entity may consider the alternative payment schedule offered by the selected tenderer.

2.22.4 Preference where allowed in the evaluation of tenders shall not exceed 15%.

2.22.5 The evaluation committee shall evaluate the tenders within 30 days from the date of opening the tender.

2.23. Contacting the Procuring entity

2.23.1 Subject to paragraph 2.19 no tenderer shall contact the Procuring entity on any matter relating to its tender, from the time of the tender opening to the time the contract is awarded.

2.23.2 Any effort by a tenderer to influence the Procuring entity in its decisions on tender evaluation, tender comparison, or contract award may result in the rejection of the Tenderers' tender.

2.24 Post-qualification

2.24.1 The Procuring entity will verify and determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

2.24.2 The determination will take into account the tenderer financial and technical capabilities. It will be based upon an examination of the documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications submitted by the tenderer, pursuant to paragraph 2.11.2, as well as such other information as the Procuring entity deems necessary and appropriate

2.24.3 An affirmative determination will be a prerequisite for award of the contract to the tenderer. A negative determination will result in rejection of the Tenderer's tender, in which event the Procuring entity will proceed to the next lowest evaluated tender to make a similar determination of that Tenderer's capabilities to perform satisfactorily.

2.25 Award Criteria

2.25.1 Subject to paragraph 2.29 the Procuring entity will award the contract to the successful tenderer whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive and has been determined to be the **highest** evaluated tender, provided further that the tenderer is determined to be qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

2.25.2 To qualify for contract awards, the tenderer shall have the following:-

- (a) Necessary qualifications, capability experience, services, equipment and facilities to provide what is being procured.
- (b) Legal capacity to enter into a contract for procurement
- (c) Shall not be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or in the process of being wound up and is not the subject of legal proceedings relating to the foregoing.
- (d) Shall not be debarred from participating in public procurement.

2.26. Procuring entity's right to accept or reject any or all tenders

2.26.1 The Procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any tender, and to annul the tendering process and reject all tenders at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected tenderer or tenderers or any obligation to inform the affected tenderer or tenderers of the grounds for the Procuring entity's action. If the Procuring entity determines that none of the tenders is responsive, the Procuring entity shall notify each tenderer who submitted a tender.

2.26.2 The procuring entity shall give prompt notice of the termination to the tenderers and on request give its reasons for termination within 14 days of receiving the request from any tenderer.

2.26.3 A tenderer who gives false information in the tender document about its qualification or who refuses to enter into a contract after notification of contract award shall be considered for debarment from participating in future public procurement.

2.27 Notification of Award

- 2.27.1 Prior to the expiration of the period of tender validity, the Procuring entity will notify the successful tenderer in writing that its tender has been accepted.
- 2.27.2 The notification of award will constitute the formation of the contract subject to the signing of the contract between the tenderer and the procuring entity pursuant to clause 2.29. Simultaneously the unsuccessful tenderers shall be notified that their tenders have been unsuccessful.
- 2.27.3 Upon the successful Tenderer's furnishing of the performance security pursuant to paragraph 2.30, the Procuring entity will promptly notify each unsuccessful Tenderer and will discharge its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.12

2.29 Signing of Contract

- 2.29.1 At the same time as the Procuring entity notifies the successful tenderer that its tender has been accepted, the procuring entity will simultaneously inform the other tenderers that their tenders have not been successful.
- 2.29.2 Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of the Contract Form, the successful tenderer shall sign and date the contract and return it to the Procuring entity.
- 2.29.3 The contract will be definitive upon its signature by the two parties.
- 2.29.4 The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 30 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.

2.30 Performance Security N/A

2.30.1 The successful tenderer shall furnish the performance security in accordance with the Appendix to instructions to tenders, in a form acceptable to the Procuring entity.

2.30.2 Failure by the successful tenderer to comply with the requirement of paragraph 2.29 or paragraph 2.30.1 shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the tender security, in which event the Procuring entity may make the award to the next lowest evaluated tender or call for new tenders.

2.31 Corrupt or Fraudulent Practices

2.31.1 The procuring entity requires that tenderers observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and execution of contracts. A tenderer shall sign a declaration that he has not and will not be involved in corrupt or fraudulent practices.

2.31.2 The Procuring entity will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the tenderer recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question

2.31.3 Further a tenderer who is found to have indulged in corrupt or fraudulent practices risks being debarred from participating in public Procurement in Kenya.

Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers

Notes to the Appendix to the Instructions to Tenderers

1. The Appendix to instructions to tenderers is intended to assist the procuring entity in providing specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the Instructions to Tenderers included in Section II and has to be prepared for each specific procurement.
2. The procuring entity should specify in the appendix information and requirements specific to the circumstances of the procuring entity, the particulars of the tender, and the tender evaluation criteria that will apply to the tenders.
3. In preparing the Appendix the following aspects should be taken into consideration;
 - (a) The information that specifies and complements provisions of Section II to be incorporated.
 - (b) Amendments and/or supplements if any, to provisions of Section II as necessitated by the circumstances of the particulars of the tender to be also incorporated.
4. Section II should remain unchanged and can only be amended through the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers.
5. Clauses to be included in this part must be consistent with the public procurement law and regulations.

Appendix to instructions to Tenderers

The following information for letting, leasing, licensing, tenancy, franchise or management contract of University of Embu shall complement, supplement, or amend, the provisions on the instructions to tenderers. Wherever there is a conflict between the provisions of the instructions to tenderers and the provisions of the appendix, the provisions of the appendix herein shall prevail over those of the Instructions to Tenderers.

INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS REFERENCE	PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS
2.1.1	<i>Indicate eligible tenderers</i>
2.12.1	<i>N/A</i>
2.15.2	<i>29th November, 2019 at 11.00am</i>
2.16.1	<i>As 2.15.2 above</i>
2.18.1	<i>As in 2.15.2 above</i>
2.30.1	<i>Indicate particulars of performance security</i>

SECTION III GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

3.1. Definitions

3.1.1 In this Contract, the following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

- (a) “The Contract” means the agreement entered into between the Procuring entity and the tenderer, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
- (b) “The Contract Price” means the price payable to the procuring entity under the Contract by the tenderer for the full and proper performance of the contractual obligations
- (c) “The Procuring entity” means the organization offering the particulars of the tender under this Contract
- (d) “The Contractor” means the organization or firm procuring the particulars of tender under this Contract.
- (e) “GCC” means the General Conditions of Contract
- (f) “SCC” means the Special Conditions of Contract
- (g) “Day” means calendar day

3.2. Application

3.2.1 These General Conditions shall apply to the extent that they are not superceded by provisions of other part of the contract

3.3. Standards

3.3.1 The services provided under this Contract shall conform to the standards mentioned in the schedule of particulars of the tender.

3.4. Use of Contract Documents and Information

3.4.1 The Contractor shall not, without the Procuring entity’s prior written consent, disclose the Contract, or any provision therefore, or any

specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the Procuring entity in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the contractor in the performance of the Contract.

3.4.2 The Contractor shall not, without the Procuring entity's prior written consent, make use of any document or information enumerated in paragraph 2.4.1 above.

3.4.3 Any document, other than the Contract itself, enumerated in paragraph 2.4.1 shall remain the property of the Procuring entity and shall be returned (all copies) to the Procuring entity on completion of the contractor's performance under the Contract if so required by the Procuring entity.

3.5. Patent Rights

3.5.1 The Contractor shall indemnify the Procuring entity against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the services under the contract or any part thereof.

3.6 Performance Security

It is not applicable in this tender.

3.7. Delivery of services and Documents

3.7.1 Delivery of the services shall be made by the Contractor in accordance with the terms specified by the procuring entity in the schedule of requirements and the special conditions of contract

3.8. Payment

3.81. The method and conditions of payment to be made to the procuring entity under this Contract shall be specified in the SCC

3.82. Payment shall be made promptly by the contractor, but in no case later than sixty (60) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the procuring entity.

3.9. Prices

- 3.9.1 Prices charged by the procuring entity for particulars provided under the Contract shall not, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC vary from the prices quoted by the Contractor in its tender or in the procuring entity's request for tender validity extension as the case may be. No variation in or modification to the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendments signed by the parties.
- 3.9.2 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contract not exceeds one year (12 months)
- 3.9.3 Where contract price variation is allowed, the variation shall not exceed 10% of the original contract price.
- 3.9.4 Price variation requests shall be processed by the procuring entity within 30 days of receiving the request.

3.10. Assignment

- 3.10.1 The Contractor shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations under this Contract, except with the Procuring entity's prior written consent.

3.11. Termination for Default

- 3.11.1 The Procuring entity may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the Contractor terminate this Contract in whole or in part:
- (a) if the Contractor fails to provide any or all of the services within the period(s) specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the Procuring entity.
 - (b) If the Contractor fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract

- (c) If the Contractor in the judgment of the Procuring entity has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract

3.11.2 In the even the Procuring entity terminates the contract in whole or in part, it may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, services similar to those un-delivered, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Procuring entity for any excess costs for such similar services. However the contractor shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.

3.12. Termination for insolvency

3.12.1 The Procuring entity may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the Contractor if the contractor becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the contractor, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy, which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the procuring entity.

3.13. Termination for convenience

3.13.1 The Procuring entity by written notice sent to the contractor, may terminate the contract in whole or in part, at any time for its convenience. The notice of termination shall specify that the termination is for the procuring entity's convenience, the extent to which performance of the contractor under the contract is terminated and the date on which such termination becomes effective.

3.13.2 For the remaining part of the contract after termination the procuring entity may elect to cancel the services and pay to the contractor an agreed amount for partially completed services.

3.14 Resolution of Disputes

3.14.1 The procuring entity and the contractor shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiations any disagreement or disputes arising between them under or in connection with the contract.

3.14.2 If after thirty (30) days from the commencement of such informal negotiations both parties have been unable to resolve amicably a contract dispute either party may require that the dispute be referred for resolution to the formal mechanisms specified in the SCC.

3.15. Governing Language

3.15.1. The contract shall be written in the English language. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract, which are exchanged by the parties shall be written in the same language.

3.16. Applicable Law

3.16.1 The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Kenya unless otherwise specified in the SCC.

3.17 Force Majeure

3.17.1 The Contractor shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, or termination for default if and to the extent that its delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.

3.18 Notices

3.1.1 Any notices given by one party to the other pursuant to this contract shall be sent to the other party by post, Fax or Email and confirmed in writing to the other party's address specified in the SCC.

3.1.2 A notice shall be effective when delivered or on the notices effective date, whichever is later.

SECTION IV - SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

Notes on Special Conditions of Contract

1. The clauses in this section are intended to assist the procuring entity in providing contract-specific information in relation to corresponding clauses in the General Conditions of Contract
2. The Provisions of Section IV complement the General Conditions of Contract included in Section III, specifying contractual requirements linked to the special circumstances of the procuring entity and the particulars of the tender. In preparing Section IV, the following aspects should be taken into consideration.
 - (a) Information that complement provisions of Section III must be incorporated; and
 - (b) Amendments and/or supplements to provisions of Section III, as necessitated by the circumstances of the particulars of the tender must also be incorporated.
3. Section III should remain unchanged and can only be amended through the SCC Section IV.
4. Clauses to be included in this part must be consistent with the public procurement law and the regulations.

SECTION IV – SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

- 4.1 Special condition of contract shall supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict between the GCC and the SCC, the provisions of the SCC herein shall prevail over those in the GCC.
- 4.2 Special Conditions of Contract as relates to the GCC.

GCC REFERENCE	SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT
3.6.1	<i>Indicate particulars of performance security</i>
3.8.1	<i>As will be guided by the contract</i>
314.2	<i>Indicate resolutions of disputes</i>
3.16.1	<i>Indicate applicable law</i>
3.18.1	<i>University of Embu, 6-60100, Embu</i>

SECTION V - SCHEDULE OF PARTICULARS OF TENDER

Notes on preparation of the Schedule of the Particulars of Tender

- 5.1 The schedule of particulars of tender shall be included in the tender documents by the procuring entity and shall cover, at the minimum, a description of the assets, services or facilities being offered and full particulars of the same.
- 5.2 The objectives of the Schedule of Particulars of Tender is to provide sufficient information to enable tenderers to prepare their tenders comprehensively, efficiently and accurately. In particular the price schedule for which a form is provided in Section VI must be carefully completed.
- 5.3 In addition, the Schedule of Particulars of Tender together with the price schedules should serve as a basis in the event of particulars of tender variation at the time of award of contract pursuant to instruction to tenderers paragraph 2.26

SECTION V - SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

Lease of vacant shop No.7 as a Retail Shop

No.	Description	Available Number
1.	Lease of vacant shop No.7 as a Retail Shop – Internal Dimensions of 5.4Meters x 3.9 Meters	1

Price Schedule Form

ITEM NO.	PARTICULRS OF TENDER BEING OFFERED	QUOTED RENT IN KENYA SHILLINGS (KSHS.) PER MONTH
1.	Lease of vacant shop No.7 as a Retail Shop – Internal Dimensions of 5.4 Meters x 3.9 Meters	

NOTE: PERIODS OF REDUCED SALES WILL BE EXPERIENCED WHEN STUDENTS ARE ON LONG VACATION BETWEEN MAY AND AUGUST. KINDLY TAKE THIS INTO CONSIDERATION AS YOU QUOTE.

Signature of tenderer

Note: Kindly complete

1. Confidential business Questionnaire on Pg. 29 (fill and sign)
2. Code of ethics on Page 35 (sign and stamp)

Also;

3. **PAGINATE** your documents and indicate the number of pages below;Pages

CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE

You are requested to give the particular indicated in Part 1 and either Part 2(a), 2(b), or 2(c)
Which ever applies to your type of business

You are advised that it is a serious offence to give false information on this Form.

Part _____ General:

Business Name
 Location of business premises
 Plot No. Street/Road
 Postal Address Tel. No. Fax Email
 Nature of business
 Registration Certificate No.

Maximum value of business which you can handle at any one time Kshs.
 Name of your bankers Branch

Part 2(a) – Sole Proprietor:

Your name in full Age
 Nationality Country of origin
 Citizenship details.....

Party 2(b) – Partnership

Give details of partners as follows

	Name	Nationality	Citizenship Details	Shares
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

Part 2(c) – Registered Company:

Private or public

State the nominal and issued capital of the company –

Nominal Kshs.

Issued Kshs.

Give details of all directors as follows

	Name	Nationality	Citizenship Details	Shares
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

Date..... Signature of Tenderer

CODE OF ETHICS

PART I STATEMENT OF INTENT

This Code of Ethics is made pursuant to the provisions of section 181 of the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015 and is intended to set minimum standards of ethical behavior for persons participating in public procurement and asset disposal activities in Kenya and to ensure compliance with the Act and the Regulations and the adoption of good business practices.

1. SCOPE OF APPLICATION.

The Code of Ethics shall apply to persons participating in public procurement or disposal of public assets

2. OBJECTIVE OF THE CODE.

The objective of the Code is to set minimum standards of ethical behavior for persons to ensure compliance with the Act and the Regulations and the adoption of good business practices.

3. COMMITMENT TO THE CODE

A person shall sign and commit to this Code in the form set out in the First Schedule to this Code and submit to the procuring entity as part of the bid documents.

PART II—REQUIREMENTS OR OBLIGATIONS

4. COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONSTITUTION, LAWS AND REGULATIONS

A person participating in public procurement and asset disposal activities shall, among others, comply with the Constitution, the Act and its attendant regulations, this Code of Ethics, rules and practices relating to ethics and integrity, and other laws related to taxation, labour, health and safety standards as well as environmental protection.

5. PROFESSIONALISM

(a) A person participating in public procurement and asset disposal activities shall comply with professional standards of their industry or of any professional body of which they are members.

(b) Where that person is a member of a professional body, the person shall uphold the code of ethics of the respective profession and be of good professional standing.

(c) A person who has been de-registered from a professional body shall not qualify for a tender or be engaged in public procurement.

6. ETHICS AND INTEGRITY

A person shall at all times maintain unquestionable standards of ethics and integrity in the public procurement and disposal process.

7. COURTESY AND RESPECT

A person participating in public procurement and disposal process shall accord respect and courtesy to the public officer(s) and other persons in all their dealings.

8. Impartiality

A person shall not engage in any act that may promote or encourage patronage, tribalism, cronyism and nepotism or any other form of preferential treatment in the public procurement or disposal proceeding.

9. Gifts, favors and other benefits

A person shall not offer or give gifts of any kind to public entities or the employees except as may be authorized by law, regulations, policies and codes of conduct from time to time issued by the Authority or any other relevant agencies.

10. Prohibition against corrupt, fraudulent, coercive, collusive and unethical practices

A person shall not —

- (a) contact, unduly influence or exert pressure on any member of a committee or any other employee, agent of a procuring entity to take a particular action which favors or tends to favor them;
- (b) engage in any form of corruption, collusive, coercive and or unethical practices;
- (c) engage in, nor be a party to, agreements, business practices or conduct that, as a matter of law, are anti-competition; or
- (d) directly or indirectly engage in any act that may interfere or have adverse effects on the procurement or disposal proceeding.

11. Conflict of interest and limitation to enter into contract

- (i) A person shall not enter into a contract with a procuring entity if the person —

- (a) is an employee of the procuring entity or a member of a board or committee of the procuring entity;
 - (b) is a State officer or public officer or a member of a committee or board of that state organ or public entity, or an officer of that public entity or state organ; or
 - (c) has not satisfied eligibility requirements outlined in section 55 of the Act.
- (ii) A person shall not accept a contract whose performance would constitute a conflict of interest arising from any other previous or the subject contract.
 - (iii) A person shall disclose any potential or actual conflict of interest to a procuring entity using a format provided in the bid document.

12. Performance of duties

(1) A person shall—

- (a,) sign and commit to Code of Ethics in a tender, proposal or quotation submitted and failure to commit to the Code of Ethics shall lead to automatic disqualification;
- (b) obtain and submit bid documents in the manner prescribed in the tender or disposal notice and tender documents;
- (c) ensure that certified copies of all mandatory documents required in procurement or disposal proceeding such as certificates are availed; and
- (d) supply the right quantity and quality of the contracted item, deliver at the stipulated time(s) and perform the obligations of the contract.

(2) A person shall —

- (a) ensure that competent persons carry out the contractual obligations of the person; and
- (b) accept full responsibility for all goods, works, services which have been provided.

13. Communication of information

A person shall —

- (a) observe communication requirements during the bidding process as provided for in the Act, Regulations, tender documents and practices;
- (b) respond promptly and courteously to all lawful requests for information, clarifications, and complaints in relation to the procurement or a contract;
- (c) ensure that all information provided to procuring entities is given in writing by authorized officers of the person; and

- (d) ensure that information given while participating in public procurement or disposal is true, accurate and fair, and not designed to mislead the procurement entity or the public.

14. Duty to disclose business information

A person shall at the times of bidding, provide a list of directors, beneficial owners and any other relevant information regarding the business entity through which the person seeks to trade with a procuring entity as may from time be provided in the bid document.

15. Duty not to give false, malicious or misleading information

A person shall not give false, malicious or misleading information to a procuring entity, Authority or any other entity regarding any matter involving the procurement or disposal process or a person involved in the procurement or disposal process.

16. Confidentiality of information

- (1) A person shall not disclose any information obtained in the course of participation or performance of a procurement or disposal

contract to any unauthorized person or use such information to further private interests.

- (2) The obligation under paragraph C1) shall continue even after the business or contractual relationship with the procuring entity has come to an end.

17. Duty to report impropriety or corruption

(I) A person shall reject and report to the Authority or the relevant agency any procurement or disposal practice which might be deemed to contrive the Constitution, laws, regulations and this Code.

(2) The report referred to under paragraph (1) shall be in the format prescribed under the Second Schedule.

PART III—COMPLIANCE AND MONITORING OF THE CODE

18. Compliance with the Code

A person shall at all times ensure compliance with all the requirements of this Code.

Structures for employees and agents

A person shall put in place proper structures for its employees and agents that are in line with the Act, Regulations and this Code.

19. Co-operation in conducting of due diligence

A person shall cooperate and assist in conducting of due diligence, where a procuring entity conducts on-site evaluations and inspections of the person's facilities or project site, including those of their subcontractors and Joint Venture partners to review their compliance to this Code during execution of the Contract.

20. The role of the Authority in enforcement of the Code

(a,) exercise oversight in the enforcement of this Code. including

taking remedial measures in case of breach of the Code;

(b) on its own motion or upon receipt of a complaint, inquire into the allegation of the violation of the Code of Ethics and take appropriate action including instituting debarment proceedings as provided under the Act and Regulations;

(c) establish a complaints management system for reporting and receiving of complaints on alleged violations Of the Constitution. relevant laws, Regulations and the Code of Ethics.

21. Prohibition against obstruction, hinderance, etc, to an officer of the Authority

A person shall not —

(a) obstruct or hinder an officer of the Authority or any other authorized person from carrying out a duty or function or exercising a power relating to procurement and disposal laws; or

(b) knowingly or in collusion with others lie to or mislead a person carrying out a duty or function or exercising a power relating to procurement and disposal laws.

DECLARATION AND COMMITMENT TO THE CODE OF
ETHICS COMMITMENT TO THE CODE OF ETHICS *(to be
submitted as part of any quotation or tender or proposal)*

I (person) on behalf of (Name of the
Business/Company/Firm) declare that I have read and fully understood the contents of the Public
Procurement and Asset Disposal Act. 2015, Regulations and the Code of Ethics for persons
participating in Public Procurement and Asset Disposal and my responsibilities under the Code.

I do hereby commit to abide by the provisions of the Code of Ethics for persons participating in
Public Procurement and Asset Disposal.

Name of Authorized signatory

.....

Sign

Position

Office address

Telephone

E-mail

Name of the Firm/Company

.....

Date

(Company Seal! Rubber Stamp where applicable)

Witness Name

Sign

Date

Contract Form

THIS AGREEMENT made the _____ day of _____ 20____ between
[name of Procurement entity] of [country of Procurement entity]
(hereinafter called “the Procuring entity”) of the one part and
[name of tenderer] of [city and country of tenderer] (hereinafter
called “the tenderer”) of the other part:

WHEREAS the Procuring entity invited tenders for the GPA cover and has accepted a
tender by the tenderer for the supply of the services in the sum of _____
_____ [contract price in words in
figures] (hereinafter called “the Contract Price”).

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSTH AS FOLLOWS:-

1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement, viz:
 - (a) the Tender Form and the Price Schedule submitted by the tenderer;
 - (b) the Schedule of Requirements
 - (c) the Details of cover
 - (d) the General Conditions of Contract
 - (e) the Special Conditions of Contract; and
 - (f) the Procuring entity’s Notification of Award
3. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Procuring entity to the tenderer as hereinafter mentioned, the tenderer hereby covenants with the Procuring entity to provide the GPA cover and to remedy defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract.
4. The Procuring entity hereby covenants to pay the tenderer in consideration of the provision of the services and the remedying of defects therein, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with their respective laws the day and year first above written

Signed, sealed, delivered by _____ the _____ (for the Procuring entity)

Signed, sealed, delivered by _____ the _____ (for the tenderer) in the presence of _____