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## **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

# **PROVISION OF POWERLINE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES**

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**Last Date for Receipt of EOI : Noon (Kenyan Time), Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023**



## 1.1. Introduction

Safaricom Limited is the leading integrated communication services provider in Kenya and has a steadily growing subscriber base. The company is continuously expanding and upgrading its systems and processes to meet the changing needs of its customers. To meet this objective, Safaricom continuously seeks to partner with competent suppliers and service providers for supply of various goods and services.

To this end, Safaricom intends to engage services of reputable **Power Connection and Transmission Systems Construction Contractors** for connections to its Base Stations and various key equipment hubs.

Safaricom is therefore soliciting for Expressions of Interest from interested companies clearly showing the following:

- The principal place of business.
- Financial capability to deliver the scope
- Necessary approvals required to offer the service.
- Any additional information that supports your submission.

## 1.2. Submission of Responses

Interested suppliers should submit their responses to this EOI in soft copy addressed to [PGathura@safaricom.co.ke](mailto:PGathura@safaricom.co.ke) not later than **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023 at Noon**.

Prospective suppliers should attach a separate excel document with specific responses to each of the requirements below:

	Requirement	Comments
1	State the principal place of business and separately attache the Local Authority Trade License	
2	KRA Tax Compliance Certificate	
3	Three years audited accounts. Attach 3 separate files for each year	
4	List of personnel with CVs of key personnel. Also attach your organisation's organogram	
5	Letter of Assignment or prequalification confirmation from Kenya Power, Rural Electrification Authority for power lines construction.  Also share details of EPRA registration, if any.	
6	List of past power line construction projects (not more than 5 years) with Kenya Power or Rural Electrification Authority or any other works of similar nature, if any	
7	Any additional information that Safaricom should be aware of.	



For item 4, attach a document with the details in the format below:

Name	Title/ Position	Years of experience (attach CV separately)	Qualification/s (List all relevant professional certifications)	Additional comments if any

## IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS ON DOCUMENTS SUBMISSION:

1. Ensure you share your response in excel format (with text explanation only).
2. Have all the attachments supporting your submission in a separate zipped file/s. If your submission is above 20MB, share the files through Microsoft OneDrive (it's free up to 5GB). Ensure you provide access to the email [PGathura@safaricom.co.ke](mailto:PGathura@safaricom.co.ke) after creating the link.

The attachments should be submitted in folders properly labelled as per the index listed above. You will have folders 1 to 7 as listed above. Ensure you properly label the attachments and have them referred to in the excel containing the response. **DO NOT APPEND ATTACHMENTS IN THE EXCEL.**

The submission format will be an email with the excel attached and a Microsoft OneDrive link with the supporting attachments.

**NB:** Response attachments to be shared via Microsoft OneDrive and **NOT** GoogleDrive or WeTransfer or Dropbox. Submissions sent via GoogleDrive, or WeTransfer or Dropbox will automatically be disqualified.

### 1.3. NEXT STEPS

- Review of submitted Expressions of Interest.
- Prequalification of shortlisted suppliers.
- Issuing of tender to prequalified suppliers.
- Award to successful bidders.

#### NOTE:

- Only the suppliers who meet our minimum requirements will be considered for further discussions.
- **No prices should be provided with this EOI.**
- Safaricom reserves, at its sole discretion, the right to select or reject, either in totality or partially, any or all proposals made in the context of this EOI. Any such decisions made will be final and no correspondence will be engaged into, other than for the purpose of informing the bidders of the outcome of the process.