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**FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT**

**ANNUAL TENDER (OPEN)**

**TENDER FOR SUPPLIES**

**FOR THE YEAR 2026/2028**

**REF. NO: NHS/17/2026-28: BINDING OF TEXT BOOKS**

**JUNE 2026**

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### **1.1 Project objective**

The main objective of this tender is to identify a suitable service provider to Ndururumo High School (NHS) for year 2026/2028.

### **1.2 Selection of Suppliers/Service Providers**

NHS will only select those candidates who meet the criteria as spelt out in this document. All candidates who are currently engaged by NHS need to reapply in order to comply with conditions stipulated in this document.

### **1.3 Invitation to tender**

Qualified suppliers are invited to submit their tender documents to the **Principal, Ndururumo High School**, so that they may be evaluated for the tender. NHS requires prospective suppliers to supply mandatory information for tender.

### **1.4 Experience**

Potential suppliers and contractors must demonstrate that they are willing to meet the tender criteria set out in the document.

### **1.5 Tender Document**

This document includes a confidential business questionnaire and documents required from prospective suppliers. In order to be considered for the tender, a prospective supplier must submit the information required herein.

### **1.6 Distribution of tender Document**

The completed tender data and other required information shall be submitted to:

**The Principal,  
Ndururumo High School,  
P.O. Box 120 - 20300,  
NYAHURURU**

Completed TENDER documents, in plain sealed envelope clearly marked

**“TENDER FOR SUPPLIERS OF GOODS (G) or SERVICES (S) FOR YEAR 2026/2028”** and bearing the respective reference number and category but no indication of the applicant, should be deposited in that Administration block reception area so as to reach not later than **18<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 10:00 AM.**

**SECTION I INVITATION TO TENDER**

**DATE 03/ 06/ 2026**

**FRAMEWORK NO.NHS/.....**

**1.1** Interested eligible candidates may obtain further information from and inspect the tender documents at **NDURURUMO HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE** during normal working hours from **03/ 06/ 2026**

- 1.1** A complete set of tender documents may be obtained in soft copy by interested candidates free of charge via **website [www.ndururumohigh.co.ke](http://www.ndururumohigh.co.ke)** or via **school email [ndururumo@gmail.com](mailto:ndururumo@gmail.com)** on request
- 1.2** Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes marked with tender reference number and be deposited in the Tender Box at the main Administration block or sent via P.O.Box 120 nyahururu before **18/06/ 2026 at 10:00 a.m)**
- 1.3** Prices quoted should be net inclusive of all taxes and delivery must be in Kenya Shillings and shall remain valid for (90) days from the closing date of the tender.
- 1.4** Tenders will be awarded on basis of Framework Agreement.

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## **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 Invitation to Tender. Successful tenderers shall complete the supply of goods by the intended completion date specified in the Schedule of Requirements.

2.1.2 Tenderers shall provide the qualification information 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 a firm or any of its affiliates 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 procurement of the goods under this Invitation for tenders.

2.1.3 Tenderers shall not be under a declaration of ineligibility for corrupt and fraudulent practices.

### **2.2 Eligible Goods**

2.2.1 All goods to be supplied under the contract shall have their origin in eligible source countries.*(where applicable)*

2.2.2 For purposes of this clause, “origin” means the place where the goods are mined, grown, or produced. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing, or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially-recognized product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components

2.2.3 The origin of goods is distinct from the nationality of the tenderer.

### **2.3 Cost of Tendering**

2.3.1 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.

2.3.2 There shall be no price to be charged for the tender document .

## 2.4. The Tender Document

2.4.1 The tender document comprises the documents listed below and addenda issued in accordance with clauses of these instructions to Tenderers

- (i) Invitation to Tender
- (ii) Instructions to tenderers
- (iii) General Conditions of Contract
- (iv) Special Conditions of Contract
- (v) Schedule of requirements
- (vi) Technical Specifications
- (vii) Tender Form and Price Schedules
- (viii) Contract Form
- (ix) Manufacturer's Authorization Form (*where applicable*)
- (x) Confidential Business Questionnaire

2.4.2 The Tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications 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.

## 2.5 Clarification of Documents

2.5.1 A prospective tenderer requiring any clarification of the tender Document may notify the Procuring entity in writing or by post at the 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 not 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 prospective tenderers that have received the tender document.

2.5.2 The procuring entity shall reply to any clarifications sought by the tenderer within 3 days of receiving the request to enable the tenderer to make timely submission of its tender.

## 2.6 Amendment of Documents

2.6.1 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 amendment.

2.6.2 All prospective candidates that have received the tender documents will be notified of the amendment in writing or by post and will be binding on them.

2.6.3 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.

## 2.7 **Language of Tender**

2.7.1 The tender prepared by the tenderer, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchange by the tenderer and the Procuring entity, shall be written in English language, provided that 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.

## 2.8 **Documents Comprising of Tender**

2.8.1 The tender prepared by the tenderers shall comprise the following components

- (a) a Tender Form and a Price Schedule completed in accordance with this document.
- (b) documentary evidence established in accordance with paragraphs in ITT that the tenderer is eligible to tender and is qualified to perform the contract if its tender is accepted;
- (c) documentary evidence established in accordance with this ITT that the goods and ancillary services to be supplied by the tenderer are eligible goods and services and conform to the tender documents;

## 2.9 **Tender Forms**

2.9.1 The tenderer shall complete the Tender Form and the appropriate Price Schedule furnished in the tender documents, indicating the goods to be supplied, a brief description of the goods, their country of origin, quantity, and prices.

## 2.10 **Tender Prices**

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2.10.1 The tenderer shall indicate on the appropriate Price Schedule the unit prices and total tender price of the goods it proposes to supply under the contract

2.10.2 Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall include all costs including taxes, insurances and delivery to the premises of the entity.

2.10.3 Prices quoted by the tenderer shall be fixed during the Tender's performance of the contract and not subject to variation on any account. A tender submitted with an adjustable price quotation will be treated as non-responsive and will be rejected, pursuant to ITT

2.10.4 The validity period of the tender shall be 90 days from the date of opening of the tender.

## 2.11 **Tender Currencies**

2.11.1 Prices shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings unless otherwise specified in the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers.

## 2.12 Tenderers Eligibility and Qualifications

2.12.1 Pursuant to ITT. The tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, documents establishing the tenderers eligibility to tender and its qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted.

2.12.2 The documentary evidence of the tenderers eligibility to tender shall establish to the Procuring entity's satisfaction that the tenderer, at the time of submission of its tender, is from an eligible source country as defined by this ITT

2.12.3 The documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted shall be established to the Procuring entity's satisfaction;

- (a) that the tenderer has the financial, technical, and production capability necessary to perform the contract;

## 2.13 Goods Eligibility and Conformity to Tender Documents

2.13.1 Pursuant to this ITT, the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender documents establishing the eligibility and conformity to the tender documents of all goods which the tenderer proposes to supply under the contract

2.13.2 The documentary evidence of conformity of the goods to the tender documents may be in the form of literature, drawings, and data, and shall consist of:

- (a) a detailed description of the essential technical and performance characteristic of the goods;(where applicable)
- (b) a clause-by-clause commentary on the Procuring entity's Technical Specifications demonstrating substantial responsiveness of the goods and service to those specifications, or a statement of deviations and exceptions to the provisions of the Technical Specifications.(where applicable)

2.13.3 For purposes of the documentary evidence to be furnished pursuant to this ITT the tenderer shall note that standards for workmanship, material, and equipment, as well as references to brand names or catalogue numbers designated by the Procurement entity in its Technical Specifications, are intended to be descriptive only and not restrictive. The tenderer may substitute alternative standards, brand names, and/or catalogue numbers in its tender, provided that it demonstrates to the Procurement entity's satisfaction that the substitutions ensure substantial equivalence to those designated in the Technical Specifications.

## **2.14 Tender Security**

**No tender security required .**

## **2.15 Validity of Tenders**

2.15.1 Tenders shall remain valid for 90 days or as specified in the Invitation to tender after the date of tender opening prescribed by the Procuring entity, pursuant to this ITT A tender valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by the Procuring entity as non-responsive.

2.15.2 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 2.14 shall also be suitably extended. A tenderer may refuse the request without forfeiting its tender security. A tenderer granting the request will not be required nor permitted to modify its tender.

## **2.16 Format and Signing of Tender**

2.16.1 The Procuring entity shall prepare one copy of the tender, which shall be forwarded to procuring entity as the original and final.

2.16.2 The original copy 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. The latter authorization shall be indicated by written power-of-attorney accompanying the tender. All pages of the tender, except for unlamented printed literature, shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.

2.16.3 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.

## **2.17 Sealing and Marking of Tenders**

2.17.1 The Tenderer shall seal the original and address it as instructed by this ITT.

2.17.2 The original in an envelope envelopes shall:

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

(b) Bear, tender number and name in the Invitation for Tenders and the words, so as to reach the addressee on or before (18/06/ 2026 at 10.00am)

2.17.3 If the outer envelope is not sealed and marked as required by this ITT, the Procuring entity will assume no responsibility for the tender's misplacement or premature opening.

## 2.18 **Deadline for Submission of Tenders**

2.18.1 Tenders must be received by the Procuring entity at the address specified under this ITT no later than (18/06/2026 at 10.00am).

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

## 2.19 **Modification and Withdrawal of Tenders**

2.19.1 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.

2.19.2 The Tenderer's modification or withdrawal notice shall be prepared, sealed, marked, and dispatched in accordance with the provisions of this ITT. A withdrawal notice may also be sent by email but followed by a signed confirmation copy, postmarked not later than the deadline for submission of tenders.

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

2.19.4 No tender may be withdrawn in the interval between the deadline for submission of tenders and the expiration of the period of tender validity specified by the tenderer on the Tender Form.

2.19.5 The procuring entity may at any time terminate procurement proceedings before contract award and shall not be liable to any person for the termination.

2.19.6 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.

## 2.20 **Opening of Tenders**

2.20.1 The Procuring entity will open all tenders in the presence of tenderers' representatives who choose to attend, at 10.00am (18/06/ 2026 at the Board room).

The tenderers' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.

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

2.20.3 The Procuring entity will prepare minutes of the tender opening.

## **2.21 Clarification of Tenders**

- 2.21.1 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.
- 2.21.2 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.

## **2.22 Preliminary Examination**

- 2.22.1 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.
- 2.22.2 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 quantify, 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. If there is a discrepancy between words and figures the tender shall be rejected.
- 2.22.3 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 effect the relative ranking of any tenderer.
- 2.22.4 Prior to the detailed evaluation, pursuant to this ITT 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.
- 2.22.5 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 non-conformity.

## **2.23 Conversion to Single Currency**

- 2.23.1 Where other currencies are used, the procuring entity will convert these currencies to Kenya Shillings using the selling exchange rate on the rate of tender closing provided by the Central Bank of Kenya.

## **2.24 Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders**

- 2.24.1 The Procuring entity will evaluate and compare the tenders which have been determined to be substantially responsive, pursuant to this ITT

2.24.2 The tender evaluation committee shall evaluate the tender within 30 days of the validity period from the date of opening the tender.

2.24.3 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 may be considered for debarment from participating in future public procurement.

## **2.25 Contacting the Procuring entity**

2.25.1 Subject to this ITT, no tenderer shall contact the Procuring entity on any matter related to its tender, from the time of the tender opening to the time the contract is awarded.

2.25.2 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 Tenderer's tender.

## **2.26 Award of Contract**

### **(a) Post-qualification**

2.26.1 In the absence of pre-qualification, the Procuring entity will 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.

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

2.26.3 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.

### **(b) Award Criteria**

2.26.4 The Procuring entity will award the contract to the successful tenderer(s) whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive and has been determined to be the lowest evaluated tender, provided further that the tenderer is determined to be qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

### **(c) Procuring entity's Right to Vary quantities**

2.26.5 The Procuring entity reserves the right at the time of contract award to increase or decrease the quantity of goods originally specified in the Schedule of requirements without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions

(d) **Procuring entity's Right to accept or Reject any or All Tenders**

2.26.6 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

**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 process of formation of the Contract but will have to wait until the contract is finally signed by both parties

**2.28 Signing of Framework Agreement**

2.28.1 At the same time as the Procuring entity notifies the successful tenderer that its tender has been accepted, the Procuring entity will send the tenderer the Contract Form provided in the tender documents, incorporating all agreements between the parties.

2.28.2 The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 14 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.

2.28.3 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 Performance**

2.29.1 Failure of the successful tenderer to comply with the requirements of this ITT Shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and, in which event the Procuring entity may make the award to the next lowest evaluated Candidate or call for new tenders.

## **2.30 Corrupt or Fraudulent Practices**

2.30.1 The Procuring entity requires that tenderers observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and execution of contracts when used in the present regulations, the following terms are defined as follows;

- (i) “corrupt practice” means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution; and
  
- (ii) “fraudulent practice” means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of the Procuring entity, and includes collusive practice among tenderer (prior to or after tender submission) designed to establish tender prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the Procuring entity of the benefits of free and open competition;

2.30.2 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.

2.30.3 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 on the Appendix to the Instruction to Tenderers**

1. The Appendix to instructions to tenderers is intended to assist the procuring entity in providing specific information in relation to the corresponding clause 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 goods to be procured 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 goods to be procured to be also incorporated
4. Section II should remain unchanged and can only be amended through the Appendix.
5. Clauses to be included in this part must be consistent with the public procurement law and the regulations.

## Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers

The following information regarding the particulars of the tender shall complement supplement or amend the provisions of the instructions to tenderers. Wherever there is a conflict between the provision 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 TENDERS		
2.1.1	The invitation is open to all interested suppliers to apply and who meets the tender instructions		
2.12.2	<b>Preliminary &amp; mandatory evaluation Criteria</b>		
	<b>REQUIRED INFORMATION</b>		<b>TENDERERS COMPLIANCE (yes or no)</b>
	1. Business Registration documents (if not natural person)		
	2. KRA Pin		
	3. Tax compliance certificate		
	4. Valid trading licence		
	5. Valid AGPO (where applicable)		
	6. CR12/13 or name of sole proprietor (for sole proprietor businesses) or names of partners(partnerships)		
	7. Duly completed forms		
	8. Signed and stamped statement of verification not barred from matters public procurement		
	9. Declaration that the firm has not been convicted of corrupt or fraudrent practices and will not engage in fraudrent practice		

<b>2.20.1</b>	The bids will be opened in the presence of bidder's representatives, who choose to attend at <b>10.00 a.m. on 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2026.</b>
<b>2.27.4</b>	The School reserves the right to award the contract in whole or in part without any change in the unit price
<b>2.27.5</b>	The School reserves the right at any given time of after evaluation and award of contracts will be based on packages to decide the quantities required at any given time on as when required basis.
<b>2.27.6</b>	<i>Signing of Contract – contract to be valid for 2yr</i>

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## **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 tenderer under the Contract for the full and proper performance of its contractual obligations
- (c) “The Goods” means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials, which the tenderer is required to supply to the Procuring entity under the Framework Agreement
- (d) “The Procuring entity” means the organization purchasing the Goods under this Framework Agreement.
- (e) “The Tenderer” means the individual or firm supplying the Goods under this Framework Agreement.

### **3.2 Application**

3.2.1 These General Conditions shall apply in all Framework Agreement made by the Procuring entity for the procurement installation and commissioning of equipment

### **3.3 Country of Origin**

3.3.1 For purposes of this clause, “Origin” means the place where the Goods were mined, grown or produced.

3.3.2 The origin of Goods and Services is distinct from the nationality of the tenderer.

### **3.4 Standards**

3.4.1 The Goods supplied under this Contract shall conform to the standards mentioned in the Technical Specifications.

### **3.5 Use of Contract Documents and Information**

- 3.5.1 The tenderer 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 tenderer in the performance of the Contract.
- 3.5.2 The tenderer shall not, without the Procuring entity's prior written consent, make use of any document or information enumerated in paragraph 3.5.1 above
- 3.5.3 Any document, other than the Contract itself, enumerated in paragraph 3.5.1 shall remain the property of the Procuring entity and shall be returned (all copies) to the Procuring entity on completion of the Tenderer's performance under the Contract if so required by the Procuring entity

### **3.6 Patent Rights**

- 3.6.1 The tenderer shall indemnify the Procuring entity against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the Goods or any part thereof in the Procuring entity's country

### **3.7 Inspection and Tests**

- 3.7.1 The Procuring entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the goods to confirm their conformity to the Contract specifications. The Procuring entity shall notify the tenderer in writing in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.
- 3.7.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted in the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s), at point of delivery, and/or at the Goods' final destination. If conducted on the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s), all reasonable facilities and assistance, including access to drawings and production data, shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to the Procuring entity.
- 3.7.3 Should any inspected or tested goods fail to conform to the Specifications, the Procuring entity may reject the equipment, and the tenderer shall either replace the rejected equipment or make alterations necessary to make specification requirements free of costs to the Procuring entity.
- 3.7.4 The Procuring entity's right to inspect, test and where necessary, reject the goods after the Goods' arrival shall in no way be limited or waived by reason of the equipment having previously been inspected, tested and passed by the Procuring entity or its representative prior to the equipment delivery.
- 3.7.5 Nothing in ITT shall in any way release the tenderer from any warranty or other obligations under this Contract.

### **3.8 Packing**

3.8.1 The tenderer shall provide such packing of the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the Contract.

3.8.2 The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the Contract

### **3.9 Delivery and Documents**

3.9.1 Delivery of the Goods shall be made by the tenderer in accordance with the terms specified by Procuring entity in its Schedule of Requirements and the Special Conditions of Contract

### **3.10 Insurance**

3.10.1 The Goods supplied under the Contract shall be fully insured against loss or damage incidental to manufacturer or acquisition, transportation, storage, and delivery in the manner specified in the Special conditions of contract.

### **3.11 Payment**

3.11.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the tenderer under this Contract shall be specified in Special Conditions of Contract

3.11.2 Payments shall be made by the Procuring entity as specified in the contract/as agreed between the parties.

### **3.12 Prices**

3.12.1 Prices charged by the tenderer for goods delivered and services performed under the Contract shall not, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in Special Conditions of Contract, vary from the prices by the tenderer in its tender.

3.12.2 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months)

3.12.3 Where contract price variation is allowed, the variation shall not exceed 25% of the original contract price.

3.12.4 Price variation request shall be processed by the procuring entity within 30 days of receiving the request.

### **3.14. Assignment**

3.14.1 The tenderer shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under this Contract, except with the Procuring entity's prior written consent

### **3.15 Subcontracts**

3.15.1 The tenderer shall notify the Procuring entity in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this Contract if not already specified in the tender. Such notification, in the original tender or later, shall not relieve the tenderer from any liability or obligation under the Contract

### **3.16 Termination for default**

3.16.1 The Procuring entity may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the tenderer, terminate this Contract in whole or in part

- (a) if the tenderer fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the Procuring entity
- (b) if the tenderer fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract
- (c) if the tenderer, in the judgment of the Procuring entity has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the Contract

3.16.2 In the event 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, equipment similar to those undelivered, and the tenderer shall be liable to the Procuring entity for any excess costs for such similar goods.

### **3.17 Liquidated Damages**

3.17.1. If the tenderer fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, the procuring entity shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract prices liquidated damages sum equivalent to 0.5% of the delivered price of the delayed items up to a maximum deduction of 10% of the delayed goods. After this the tenderer may consider termination of the contract.

### **3.18 Resolution of Disputes**

3.18.1 The procuring entity and the tenderer shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiation and disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the contract

3.18.2 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 adjudication in an agreed national and/or as guided by the PP&DA 2015 and subsequent legislations.

### **3.19 Language and Law**

3.19.1 The language of the contract and the law governing the contract shall be English language and the Laws of Kenya respectively unless otherwise stated.

### **3.20 Force Majeure**

3.20.1 The tenderer shall not be liable for termination for default if and to the extent that it's delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.

## **SECTION IV - SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT**

### **Notes on Special Conditions of Contract**

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.

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 goods being procured. 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 goods being procured must also be incorporated.

**SECTION IV - SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT**

4.1. Special Conditions 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 these in the GCC.

42. Special conditions of contract as relates to the GCC

**CONDITIONS TO BE MET BY THE TENDERER**

**4.1.1** *Must submit copies of the following documents;*

- (a) Certificate of Registration / incorporation**
- (b) Valid Tax Compliance or Exemption Certificate.**
- (c) Valid Single Business Permit**
- (d) Duly filled, signed and stamped business questionnaire.**
- (e) Bidders are required to provide evidence of availability of financial resources to support the resulting contractual obligations in either form of liquid assets, line of credit or any other financial means eg active bank statements**
- (f) Indicate delivery timelines after being given an LPO**

*(Complete as necessary)*

## **SECTION V - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

### **5.1 General**

- 5.1.1 These specifications describe the requirements for goods. Tenderers are requested to submit with their offers the detailed specifications, drawings, catalogues, etc for the products they intend to supply
- 5.1.2 Tenderers must indicate on the specifications sheets whether the equipment offered comply with each specified requirement.
- 5.1.3 All the dimensions and capacities of the equipment to be supplied shall not be less than those required in these specifications. Deviations from the basic requirements, if any shall be explained in detail in writing with the offer, with supporting data such as calculation sheets, etc. The procuring entity reserves the right to reject the products, if such deviations shall be found critical to the use and operation of the products.
- 5.1.4 The tenderers are requested to present information along with their offers as follows:
- (i) Shortest possible delivery period of each product
  - (ii) Information on proper representative and/or workshop for back-up service/repair and maintenance including their names and addresses.

### TECHNICAL EVALUATION

No.	Experience	Score	Maximum	Remarks
	Evidence of having undertaken similar assignment (attach copies of LPO/LSO max 3yrs)		15	
	Evidence of successful execution of the assignment (attach copies of signed delivery notes max 3yrs)		15	
	Financial capability (attach latest bank statements – 1page) or credit line letter or last audited accounts.		10	
	Business efficiency (attach feedback or recommendation letter, from at least one client)		5	
	Delivery period (indicate the maximum lead time from receiving LPO/LSO to supply)		5	
	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>50</b>	

A bidder must score at least 35 out of 50 to proceed to the next stage of financial analysis.

### **FINANCIAL ANALYSIS -**

Technical responsive bids shall undergo financial analysis with the lowest priced bid being recommended for award as per this ITT.

## 1.0 TENDER INSTRUCTIONS

### 1.1 Introduction

Ndururumo high school wishes to invite interested and competent bidders from reputable firms/ persons to tender for the supply of **BINDING OF TEXT BOOKS SERVICES**, as listed below for the period 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2026 to 30<sup>TH</sup> June, 2028.

#### BOOK BINDING SERVICES

ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	UNIT COST	QTY
OLD TEXT BOOK	COPY		AWR
NEW TEXT BOOKS	COPY		AWR
NEWS PAPERS	COPY		AWR

#### **Please indicate:**

Maximum credit amount allowable (Kshs).....

Maximum Credit Period allowable (Days).....

#### **NB:**

1. Late applications will be disqualified.
2. Opening of the tender(s) will be thereafter in the school's Boardroom.
3. The school reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tender document either in whole or part.
4. Tender documents are not transferrable
5. Prices of goods and services quoted shall remain in force for **at least 90days, before any review.**

The detailed tender documents can be obtained from the main office at the school's administration block. Completed tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked.

#### **TENDER REF. NO: NHS/17/2026-28 BINDING OF TEXT BOOKS**

And addressed to: **THE PRINCIPAL**  
**NDURURUMO HIGH SCHOOL,**  
**P.O. BOX 120-20300**  
**NYAHURURU**

To reach him **on or before 18<sup>TH</sup> June, 2026 at 10:00 a.m (E.A.T.).**

**CHEGE KARIUKI**  
**PRINCIPAL**

Prices to include all taxes applicable and delivery must be quoted in Kenya Shillings (No special delivery costs shall be accepted)

Tenderer's name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** In case of discrepancy between unit price and total, the unit price shall prevail.

## **SECTION VIII - STANDARD FORMS**

### **Notes on the sample Forms**

1. Form of Tender - The form of tender must be completed by the tenderer and submitted with the tender documents. It must also be duly signed by duly authorized representatives of the tenderer.
2. Confidential Business Questionnaire Form - This form must be completed by the tenderer and submitted with the tender documents.
3. Tender Security Form - When required by the tender documents the tender shall provide the tender security either in the form included herein or in another format acceptable to the procuring entity.
4. Contract Form - The Contract Form shall not be completed by the tenderer at the time of submitting the tender. The Contract Form shall be completed after contract award and should incorporate the accepted contract price.
5. Performance Security Form - The performance security form should not be completed by the tenderers at the time of tender preparation. Only the successful tenderer will be required to provide performance security in the form provided herein or in another form acceptable to the procuring entity.
6. Bank Guarantee for Advance Payment Form - When Advance payment is requested for by the successful bidder and agreed by the procuring entity, this form must be completed fully and duly signed by the authorized officials of the bank.
7. Manufacturers Authorization Form - When required by the tender documents this form must be completed and submitted with the tender documents. This form will be completed by the manufacturer of the goods where the tenderer is an agent.

8.1 **FORM OF TENDER**

To: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Tender No. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*[name and address of procuring entity]*

Gentlemen and/or Ladies:

1. Having examined the tender documents including Addenda Nos. .... *[insert numbers]*.the receipt of which is hereby duly acknowledged, we, the undersigned, offer to supply deliver, install and commission ( ..... *(insert equipment description)* in conformity With the said tender documents for the sum of .....*(total tender amount in words and figures)* or such other sums as may be ascertained in accordance with the Schedule of Prices attached herewith and made part of this Tender.

2. We undertake, if our Tender is accepted, to deliver install and commission the equipment in accordance with the delivery schedule specified in the Schedule of Requirements.

3. If our Tender is accepted, we will obtain the guarantee of a bank in a sum of equivalent to \_\_\_\_\_percent of the Contract Price for the due performance of the Contract , in the form prescribed by .....*( Procuring entity)*.

4. We agree to abide by this Tender for a period of ..... *[number]* days from the date fixed for tender opening of the Instructions to tenderers, and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before the expiration of that period.

5. This Tender, together with your written acceptance thereof and your notification of award, shall constitute a Contract, between us. Subject to signing of the Contract by the parties.

6. We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest or any tender you may receive.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
[signature]

\_\_\_\_\_  
[in the capacity of]

Duly authorized to sign tender for an on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_

8.2 **CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE FORM**

You are requested to give the particulars indicated in Part 1 and either Part 2(a), 2(b) or 2 (c ) whichever applied to your type of business

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

*Part 1 – General:*

Business Name  
 .....  
 .....

Location of business premises.  
 ..... Plot  
 No..... Street/Road  
 .....

Postal Address ..... Tel No ..... Fax  
 ..... E mail ..... Nature of  
 Business  
 .....  
 .....

Registration Certificate No.  
 ..... Maximum value of  
 business which you can handle at any one time – Kshs.  
 .....

Name of your bankers .....Branch  
 .....

	<p>Part 2 (a) – Sole Proprietor</p> <p>Your name in full ..... Age          .....</p> <p>Nationality ..... Country of origin          .....</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Citizenship details              .....</li> <li>• Contact person.....</li> </ul>
	<p>Part 2 (b) Partnership</p> <p>Given details of partners as follows:</p> <p>Name..... Nationality.....</p>

NO	NAME	ID/PASSPORT NO	SHARES
1			
2			
3			
4			

Part 2 (c) – Registered Company Private or Public

.....  
 .....

State the nominal and issued capital of company-Nominal  
 Kshs. .... Issued Kshs.

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Given details of all directors as follows

	NAME	ID/PASSPORT NO	SHARES
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			

Date..... Signature of Candidate

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**PAST EXPERIENCE**

**NAMES OF THE APPLICANTS CLIENTS IN THE LAST THREE YEARS**

**1. Name of 1<sup>st</sup> Client (Organization)**

- (i) Name of Client Organization.....
- (ii) Name of Contact Person at the Client Organization.....
- (iii) Address.....
- (iv) Telephone No.....
- (v) Value of Contract.....
- (vi) Duration of Contract (Dates).....

**2. Name of 2<sup>nd</sup> Client (Organization)**

- (i) Name of Client Organization.....
- (ii) Name of Contact Person at the Client Organization.....
- (iii) Address.....
- (iv) Telephone No.....
- (v) Value of Contract.....
- (vi) Duration of Contract (Dates).....

**3. Name of 3<sup>rd</sup> Client (Organization)**

- (i) Name of Client Organization.....
- (ii) Name of Contact Person at the Client Organization.....
- (iii) Address.....
- (iv) Telephone No.....
- (v) Value of Contract.....
- (vi) Duration of Contract (Dates).....

**8.3 CONTRACT FORM (not to be filled)**

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 certain goods ] and has accepted a tender by  
the tenderer for the supply of those goods in the sum of  
..... [contract price in words and figures] (hereinafter called “the Contract Price).

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH 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 ,

- (a) the Tender Form and the Price Schedule submitted by the tenderer
- (b) the Schedule of Requirements
- (c) the Technical Specifications
- (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 tender hereby covenants with the Procuring entity to provide the goods 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 provisions of  
the goods 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 \_\_\_\_\_

*(Amend accordingly if provided by Insurance Company)*

**8.4 MANUFACTURER'S AUTHORIZATION FORM (where applicable)**

To *[name of the Procuring entity]* .....

WHEREAS .....*[name of the manufacturer]* who are established and reputable manufacturers of ..... *[name and/or description of the goods]* having factories at ..... *[address of factory]* do hereby authorize ..... *[name and address of Agent]* to submit a tender, and subsequently negotiate and sign the Contract with you against tender No. .... *[reference of the Tender]* for the above goods manufactured by us.

We hereby extend our full guarantee and warranty as per the General Conditions of Contract for the goods offered for supply by the above firm against this Invitation for Tenders.

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*[Signature for and on behalf of manufacturer]*

*Note:* This letter of authority should be on the letterhead of the Manufacturer and should be signed by a person competent.

**8.5 LETTER OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD**

Address of Procuring Entity

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To: \_\_\_\_\_

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RE: Tender No. \_\_\_\_\_

Tender Name \_\_\_\_\_

This is to notify that the contract/s stated below under the above mentioned tender have been awarded to you.

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1. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter of notification signifying your acceptance.
2. The contract/contracts shall be signed by the parties within 30 days of the date of this letter but not earlier than 14 days from the date of the letter.
3. You may contact the officer(s) whose particulars appear below on the subject matter of this letter of notification of award.

*(FULL PARTICULARS)* \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(c) **SIGNED FOR ACCOUNTING OFFICER**

**8.6 FORM RB 1**

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW BOARD**

APPLICATION NO.....OF.....20.....

BETWEEN

.....APPLICANT

AND

.....RESPONDENT (*Procuring Entity*)

Request for review of the decision of the..... (*Name of the Procuring Entity*) of  
.....dated the...day..... of .....20.....in                   the matter of Tender  
No.....of..... 20...

**REQUEST FOR REVIEW**

I/We.....,the above named Applicant(s), of address: Physical address.....Fax No.....Tel. No.....Email ....., hereby request the Public Procurement Administrative Review Board to review the whole/part of the above mentioned decision on the following grounds , namely:-

- 1.
- 2.
- etc.

By this memorandum, the Applicant requests the Board for an order/orders that: -1.

- 2.
- etc

SIGNED ..... (Applicant)

Dated on.....day of ...../...20...

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**FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY**

Lodged with the Secretary Public Procurement Administrative Review Board on ..... day of .....20.....

SIGNED  
Board Secretary

**SELF DECLARATION THAT THE PERSON/TENDERER WILL NOT ENGAGE IN ANY CORRUPT OR FRAUDULENT PRACTICE.**

I, ..... of P. O. Box ..... being a resident of

..... in the Republic of ..... do hereby make a statement as follows: -

1. THAT I am the Chief Executive/Managing Director/Principal Officer/Director of .....

..... (insert name of the Company) who is a Bidder in respect of above

**Tender No.** for ..... and duly authorized and competent to make this statement.

2. THAT the aforesaid Bidder, its servants and/or agents /subcontractors will not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practice and has not been requested to pay any inducement to any member of the Board, Management, Staff and/ or employees and/or agents of the ..... which is the procuring entity.

4. THAT the aforesaid Bidder will not engage /has not engaged in any corrosive practice with other bidders participating in the subject tender

5. THAT what is deboned to hereinabove is true to the best of my knowledge information and belief.

.....  
..... (Title) (Signature) (Date)

Bidder's Official Stamp

**6. NON-DEBARMENT DECLARATION**

We (insert the name of the company/ supplier)

.....declares and guarantees that no director or any person who has any controlling interest in our organization has been debarred from participating in a procurement proceeding.

**Name.....Signature..... Date.....**

**Company Seal/Business Stamp**