



## INVITATION TO TENDER

### Tender No. 2010/101

#### South Coast Pipeline Phase 2A: Park Rynie to Kelso Beach

Umgeni Water is a state owned business enterprise and it operates within the South African legislative parameters of the Water Services Act 108 of 1997, Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999 and Public Audit Act 25 of 2004. In terms of the PFMA, the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs is the executive authority. The primary function of Umgeni Water is to supply treated water in bulk to its municipal customers.

Competent and experienced service providers are invited to tender for the **Supply & Delivery of Coated & Lined Steel Pipe for Bulk Water Main for the South Coast Pipeline Phase 2A: Park Rynie to Kelso Beach: Mainly 4.2km of approximately 600 Diameter Coated and Lined Steel Pipe.**

Only tenderers who fulfil the following criteria are eligible to submit tenders:

**Standard Eligibility Criteria:**

- a) the tenderer submits **an original valid** Tax Clearance Certificate issued by SARS
- b) the tenderer or any of its directors/shareholders is not listed on the Register of Tender Defaulters in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004
- c) the tenderer has not:
  - i) abused the Employer's Supply Chain Management System; or
  - ii) failed to perform on any previous contract and has been given a written notice to this effect;
- d) the tenderer has completed the Declaration of Interest and there are no conflicts of interest which may impact on the tenderer's ability to perform the contract in the best interests of the employer or potentially compromise the tender process and persona in the employ of the state are permitted to submit tenders or participate in the contract.
- e) the tenderer is in Good Standing with the Compensation Commissioner (Please provide a valid letter of good standing).

**Evaluation method:** SANS Method 2 (Price and Preference) – 90/10 point scoring system as per PPPFA.

**Tender documents may be collected from and submitted to:** Umgeni Water Head Office, 310 Burger Street, Pietermaritzburg 3201. Documents may be collected during working hours from **09h00 – 15h00** on Tuesday, 23 March to 25 March 2010.

A **non-refundable deposit fee of R250.00**, payable in cash or by bank certified cheque made out in favour of Umgeni Water, is required on collection of the tender documents.

**Queries relating to the issue of these documents may be addressed to:** Mr Sibusiso Mkhize, tel.: (033) 341 1095, fax (033) 341 1101 or e-mail: sibusiso.mkhize@umgeni.co.za

**Technical queries may be addressed to:** Mr Vivek Beekram tel.: (033) 341 1286; e-mail: vivek.beekram@umgeni.co.za

**CLOSING TIME AND DATE FOR RECEIPT OF TENDERS: 12h00 on 15 April 2010.**

Tenders are to be deposited in the tender box located outside the main entrance at **Umgeni Water, 310 Burger Street, Pietermaritzburg 3201.**

Telephonic, telegraphic, facsimile, electronic, e-mail and late tenders will not be accepted. Requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of tenders are stated in the Tender Data. It is the tenderer's sole responsibility to ensure that tenders are placed in the tender box and only tenders that have been placed in the tender box before the stipulated closing date will be considered. The tender box is available to the public 24 hours per day and 7 days per week. Umgeni Water reserves the right to award the contract in whole or in part.

**Umgeni Water's standard conditions of tender and conditions of contract are available on the website: [www.umgeni.co.za/Sustainable Development/Supply Chain Management/Tenders](http://www.umgeni.co.za/Sustainable Development/Supply Chain Management/Tenders).**

**For any other tenders, please visit this website.**