

#### PROVINCE OF THE FREE STATE

#### **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

DELEGATION OF POWERS ENTRUSTED OR DELEGATED TO THE MEC OF AGRICULTURE, TO THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE AUTHORISATION TO FURTHER SUB-DELEGATE THE SAID POWERS TO AGRICULTURE OFFICIALS, THE HOLDER OF A SPECIFIC POST IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Under the powers vested in me by section 17(2) of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (1 of 1999), as amended by the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (29 of 1999)-[the Act], I, MC Mokitlane, Member of the Executive Council of the province of the Free State responsible for financial matters and as the Acting Member of Executive Council of Department of Agriculture, hereby delegate to the Deputy Director General of the Department of Agriculture, the powers entrusted or delegated to me by the Act, as well as to authorise in terms of section 20(2)(b) of the Act the further sub-delegation of the delegated powers to Department of Agriculture officials, the holder of a specific post in the Agriculture, as attached in the schedule.

Signed at BLOEMFONTEIN this 215t day of RPRIM 2006

MEMBER OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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| ITEM | PROVISION  | POWERS<br>VESTS IN    | AUTHORITY<br>FOR<br>DELEGATION | MONETARY<br>LIMITS   | DELEGATION TO<br>LOWEST RANK<br>OF OFFICIAL | CONDITIONS   |
|------|--|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1.   | Approval of submissions related to Capital Expenditure (e.g. CASP, LandCare Production Inputs, Food Security and Drought Relief funds)   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA             | Up to R15 000<br>Up to R200 000<br>Up to R500 000<br>Over R500 000 | Deputy Dir Director CD AO                   | <ul> <li>No submission is required for purchases up to R5000</li> <li>Submission up to R200 000 to be recommended by Director: Finance</li> <li>Ensure that Supplier bank details are registered with SCM</li> <li>Submission over R200 000 to be recommended by CFO</li> <li>Preference to be given to BEE companies</li> <li>PPPFA applies to quotations from R30 000</li> </ul> |
| 2.   | Approval of Sole Supplier (i.e. Sole supplier also applies to cases where not more than two quotations can be obtained and there is no competition and only one bidder exists (for example, sole distribution rights)) | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA          | Up to R5000<br>Up to R100 000<br>Over R100 000                     | Directors CD AO                             | <ul> <li>In case of Sole Supplier a recorded motivation is required and confirmed by SCM Director</li> <li>No motivation is required for services procured from:         <ul> <li>Eskom</li> <li>Municipalities</li> <li>National Contracts</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   |
| 3.   | Manual approval of Purchase<br>Requisition (Log 1)   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA          | Up to R200 000<br>Up to R500 000<br>Over R500 000                  | Directors CD                                | Log 1 (Purchases requisition) up to R200 000 to be checked for correctness and accuracy by Director: Finance and or Director: SCM Log 1 (Purchase requisition) over R200 000 to be checked for accuracy and correctness by CFO   |

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|    |   |                       |                       |  |                                      | <ul> <li>Written approved submission</li> <li>At least three written quotations</li> <li>Letter of appointment of chief users based on the budget structure</li> <li>Approved list of chief users entailing names, signature specimen, contact numbers and the sections</li> <li>Up to R5000 – two telephonic &amp; one written quotations</li> <li>Up to 100 000.00 – three written quotations</li> <li>Over R100 000.00 tender procedures applies</li> <li>PPPFA applies o quotations from R30 000.00</li> <li>Preference to be given to BEE Companies</li> </ul> |
| 4. | Authorisation of purchase requisition (Log 1) on Logis system | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Up to R100 000 Up to R500 000 Up to R1 000 000 | PAO/CPAC  AM: Ass Dir: SCM  M:DD:SCM | Authorisation of Log 1 on Logis supported by:  Written approved submission. (Where applicable)  |
|    |   |                       |                       | Over R1 000 000                                | Director: SCM                        | Three written quotations (Where applicable)  A duly completed and approved log1   |
| 5. | Approval of purchase order on Logis System                    | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited                                      | SCM Officials                        | Printing of purchase order is supported by:  Written approved submission (Where applicable)  Three written quotations (Where applicable)  A duly completed and approved log1  |

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| 6. | Appointment of Departmental Bid Evaluation, Disposal, Specifications & Bid adjudication Committee Members | Officer               | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited   | Not delegated                        | Committees must be independent of each other. (To ensure impartiality Bid Evaluation Committee members may not serve as Adjudication Committee Members   |
| 7. | Manual approval of procurement advice   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Up to R500 000<br>Up to R500 000<br>Over R700 000 | AM: Ass Dir: SCM M (DD:SCM) Dir: SCM | Purchase order to be supported by  Written submission  Approved purchase requisition  At least three written quotations  In case of less than three quotations, a motivation is required   |
| 8. | Call for tender   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Over R100 000                                     | SCM Unit                             | Normal tender procedures applies   |
| 9. | Approval for the appointment of consultancy services  | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited   | Not delegated                        | <ul> <li>Contracts to be entered into must be cleared by Legal services.</li> <li>A written submission is a definite prerequisite due to the complexity of contracting such services</li> <li>General conditions of Contract must apply The PPPFA applies to quotations from R30 000 (preference point claim systems)</li> </ul>   |

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| 10. | Approval to purchase urgent and/ or emergency goods and services. | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Up to R15 000<br>Up to R200 000<br>Over R200 000 | Director CD AO | <ul> <li>Urgent and Emergency cases are:         <ul> <li>early delivery is of critical importance and invitation of bids is either impossible or impractical</li> <li>immediate action is necessary in order to avoid a dangerous or risky situation or misery</li> </ul> </li> <li>Reasons should be clearly recorded and approved by the HOD         <ul> <li>(NB! Lack of proper planning should not be constituted as an urgent and emergency case)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
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| 11. | Approval to obtain deviation from the normal tender procedures    | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited  | Not Delegated  | Deviation from normal tender procedures will be allowed under the following conditions:  - There is no competition and only one bidder exist after a thorough market research has been done and confirmed by Director: SCM  - There is limited competition, hence only a few prospective bidders are allowed to make a proposal  - Early delivery is of critical importance and the invitation of competitive bids is either impossible or impractical  - Immediate action is necessary in order to avoid a dangerous or risky situation or misery  Lack of proper Planning should not be constituted as a reason to deviate form normal tender procedures. Reasons to deviate from normal tender procedures must clearly recorded in a submission and approved by HOD |

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| 12. | Approval to:  | Accounting Officer    | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited | CFO           | Written specification and motivation must be draw  |
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|     | <ul> <li>Invite bids and/or tenders</li> <li>Special Conditions to bids</li> </ul>  |                       |                       |           | AO            | and approved by the specifications Committee   |
|     | Bid evaluation criteria   |                       |                       |           |               |  |
|     |   |                       |                       |           | AO            |  |
|     |   |                       |                       |           |               |  |
| 13. | Communication with all possible bidders after the closing date of the bid in order to provide additional information or to clear up points in the bid invitations that are not clear with regard to the following:  Information is incomplete  Where a lack of clarity exists about technical | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited | Not delegated | <ul> <li>Contracts to be entered into must be cleared by Legal Services.</li> <li>A written submission is a definite prerequisite due to the complexity of contracting such services</li> <li>General conditions of Contract must apply</li> <li>The PPPFA applies to quotations from R30 000 (preference point claim system)</li> </ul> |
|     | aspects of the offer.  Additional information is needed to do a recommendation  Bids prices must be confirmed due to a typing error of obvious mistake  |                       |                       |           |               |  |

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| 14. | Approval to postpone the closing date of the bid                                  | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited | Not delegated                    | Bids must be advertised before the closing date  Cancellation must be advertised in the |
|-----|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|---|
|     |   |                       |                       |           |                                  | Government/Provincial Tender (bid) Bulletin   |
| 15. | Cancellation of bid invitations<br>before the closing date and<br>time of the bid | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited | Not delegated                    |   |
| 16. | Closing of bids and opening of bids in public                                     | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited | M:(DD SCM)<br>AM: (Ass Dir. SCM) | Bid box must be opened by at least two members of<br>the DBAC and/or SCM Unit           |
| 17. | Acceptance/approval of bid subsequent to DBAC recommendations                     | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited | Not delegated                    | On recommendation of the DBAC   |
| 18. | Notification of acceptance of bid   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited | Not delegated                    |   |

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| 19. | Signing of formal contracts other than the FSBF 7 forms,   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited      | Not delegated       | On recommendation of Legal Support                                     |
|     | which resulted form the acceptance of a bid (Excluding PPP agreements)                               |                       |                       |                |                     |  |
| 20. | Approval to extend current contract period   | Accounting Officer    | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited      | Not delegated       | On recommendation of the Legal Support                                 |
|     |  |                       |                       |                |                     |  |
| 21. | To decide on the handling of Penalties for late deliveries Non/unsatisfactory                        | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited      | Not delegated       | On recommendation of the Legal support and the relevant Chief Director |
|     | performance of bidders Legal remedies Impose/consider restrictions                                   |                       |                       |                |                     |  |
| 22. | Verifying the ability of bidders to carry out a contract successfully before adjudication of the bid | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>FMA  | Unlimited      | SCM                 | On recommendation of DBAC and/or specific line functionary             |
| 23. | Disclosure of information regarding adjudication of the  | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Up to R100 000 | Chief users         |  |
|     | Bid/Quotations   |                       |                       | Over R100 000  | Chairperson of DBAC |  |

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| 24.        | Correction of an incorrect acceptance of a bid  | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited               | Not delegated | On recommendation of the DBAC  |
|------------|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--|
| <b>25.</b> | Amendment of a contract to:  Increase/decrease the quantities within the contract Extension of delivery periods Cession of contracts Transfer of contract payments Increase contract prices | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited               | Not delegated | On recommendation of the DBAC  The estimated value of the envisaged change in purchases must not exceed 20% of the total value of the original contract. |
| 26.        | Cancellation of contracts   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Unlimited               | Not delegated |  |
| 27.        | Purchasing of works of art  | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of PFMA    | Up to R200 000 per item | AO            | Procurement procedure to be followed   |
| 28.        | Purchase outside transversal<br>Provincial and National<br>Contract   | Accounting<br>Officer | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Unlimited               | AO            |  |
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| 29 | Approval of "multiple source" supplier (i.e. There is limited                     | Section 44 of<br>PFMA | Up to R200 000 | CD | To apply this method of procurement the following applies:   |
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|    | competition, hence only a few prospective bidders are allowed to make a proposal) |                       | Over R200 000  | AO | A thorough analysis of the market must be done     Submission to use "multiple source" supplier to be checked, verified and recommended by Director SCM and Finance for purchase up to R100 000     Submission to use "multiple source" supplier to be checked, verified and recommended by CFO for purchase over R200 000 |

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# SCM DELEGATIONS FOR CAPITAL EXPENDITURE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ACCOUNTING OFFICER IN TERMS OF THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT (DELEGATED IN TERMS OF SECTION 44 OF THE PFMA)

## **LEGENDS:**

AO: Accounting Officer

CD: Chief Director

CFO: Chief Financial Officer

PAO: Provincial Administration Officer

AM: Assistant Director: SCM M: Deputy Director SCM

DBAC: Departmental Bid Adjudication Committee

SCM: Supply Chain Management

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