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QUERIES & CLARIFICATIONS 2

PROCUREMENT REFERENCE NUMBER: DOMESTIC/CB/ZIMSTAT/05/2024

PROVISION OF THE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE REFURBISHMENT OF ATHOL HOUSE BUILDING

CLOSING DATE: 16th April 2024 (1000 HOURS ZIMBABWEAN TIME)

CLOSES AT: ZIMSTAT HEAD OFFICE

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Reference is made to the queries raised for procurement reference DOMESTIC/ZIMSTAT/CB/05/2024. Accordingly, please find the below queries and ZIMSTAT's clarifications thereto:

Query 1

According to the tender document under currency, page 7, which stipulates payments to be made in ZWL, we kindly seek clarity on the payment terms. It seems the new currency that was introduced last Friday is still setting in and pricing of goods and services are being revised by suppliers which forms the basis for our pricing.

Clarification 1

With reference to the recently gazetted Monetary policy dated 5th of April 2024, payment shall be made using the newly introduced local currency (ZiG). In addition, tenderers should kindly note that, payment structure shall be **progressive**. Thus, payment shall be made after the **completion, inspection and acceptance** of the works for each stage.

Further, bids must be quoted in **USD Currency** and payment shall be made in **ZiG** at the prevailing rate on the date of payment. Kindly be guided accordingly.

NB: THESE CLARIFICATIONS SHALL CONFORM AS PART AND PARCEL OF THE OF THE STANDARD BIDDING DOCUMENT. THUS, THE SAME SHALL BE APPLIED ON TENDER EVALUATION AND CONTRACT. AS SUCH, THEY ARE BINDING.