



# INVITATION TO TENDER

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Suitably qualified, experienced, and fully registered **100% Citizen Owned** entities are hereby invited to tender for the following services to Debswana Diamond Company (Pty) Ltd at Jwaneng Mine.

## **Doc1936279352 – RFP – Operation of Slimes Dams and Return Water Structures**

### **Brief**

Jwaneng mine operates six (6) slimes dams and 1 return water dam located to the south and southwest of the Re-crush plant and the Open Pit. The use of the dams is cyclic, involving a period of dam wall construction, slimes deposition, slimes consolidation for a specified number of months. Four (4) of the slime's dams adjoin each other and form the original sand wall dam complex where deposition occurred in the early years of mining. These four (4) original complex dams are upstream constructed with the outer wall comprising Kalahari sand. The original complex dams (referenced FRD/dams 1-4) are presently dormant, relatively inactive, but are not closed. Based on the forgoing, the mine would like to engage a reputable and experienced contractor to undertake the operation, maintenance and surveillance of Jwaneng Mine Slimes dams and housekeeping around the return water structure as well as Sedudu Pump Station.

### **The purpose of the scope is to:**

Jwaneng is seeking proposals from capable service providers to undertake the operation, maintenance, and monitoring of slimes dams at Jwaneng Mine.

### **Compulsory site visit**

Prospective tenderers are required to attend a Compulsory Pre-Bid Meeting in order to get more clarity on the scope of services and the conditions under which the services are to be executed. Tenderers will also have an opportunity to ask questions on the scope of services. The site visit details are as follows;

**Date:** Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2024

**Time:** 10:30 – 12:00 hrs

**Venue:** Blue Area

## Tendering on Ariba

Debswana has adopted SAP Ariba – an online bidding and supplier management solution for all its tendering and supplier registration requirements. There is no requirement to purchase the Tender document. Please Contact Chipo Raboloko at [CRaboloko@debswana.bw](mailto:CRaboloko@debswana.bw) , Telephone +267 361 4302/374 8083 specifically for supplier registration on SAP Ariba Platform and Mr. Ezekiel Dihentse go at [EDihentse@debswana.bw](mailto:EDihentse@debswana.bw), Tell: +267 588 4934 for support around SAP ARIBA Platform.

Interested tenderers who wish to participate in the tender should follow the Steps in Part 2 and/or Part 1.

Tenderers who are already registered with Debswana on SAP Ariba should just register their interest on the RFP as per instructions on Part 2 below. Those not registered as Debswana Suppliers on SAP Ariba platform will need to complete the following steps in Part 1 & 2.

### Part 1: Registering as a vendor on SAP Ariba

To participate in any event on SAP Ariba, a supplier will need to be registered on SAP Ariba and have a valid SAP Ariba Network Supplier account and profile by following the steps below:

1. Go to Debswana SAP Ariba self-registration page:  
(<https://s1-eu.ariba.com/Sourcing/Main/ad/selfRegistration/?realm=debswana>)
2. Initiate Account creation
3. Complete account registration
4. Once you have SAP Ariba Network Supplier Account and access credentials, proceed to Part 2 below:

### Part 2: Indicating Interest to Participate in the RFP (for Ariba Registered Suppliers)

1. Register your interest by completing the form using the following link:  
<https://forms.office.com/r/OHes4CjDgA> before **1630hrs on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024**:

## Submission

Tenderers are required to submit their respective bids on or before the **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 at 1600hrs** through the Debswana SAP Ariba platform as per the instructions to be provided.

Tenders received via telephone, telex, email or facsimile will not be considered. Debswana reserves the right to accept or reject any tender and does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any portion of any tender.

*For any enquiries, please contact **Mr. Ezekiel Dihentse** at – Tel: +267 588 4934 or e-mail: [EDihentse@debswana.bw](mailto:EDihentse@debswana.bw)*

This tender notice can also be viewed at: <http://www.debswana.com/Supply-Chain/Pages/Current-Public-Tenders.aspx>