

**FREE STATE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
ERRATUM**

MEDIA ADVERTISED: E-TENDER PORTAL, PROVINCIAL TENDER BULLETIN AND FDC WEBSITE

1. This notice serves to inform prospective bidders of minor amendments to the bid document and the extension of the bid closing date for the above-mentioned tender, originally advertised on **03 July 2026**.
2. Page 14 and 15 Commercial law is included as one of the required areas of expertise.
3. Page 16. Evaluation Criteria 1. The criterion has been amended as follows: Bidders experience supported by evidence of the firm's engagement for services rendered or relevant reference letters from an Organ of state(s) or any other company registered in terms of Companies Act 71 of 2008 or professional body or registered council. Bidders will be evaluated based on the quality and number of relevant reference letters submitted. The bidders must submit relevant reference letters from current and previous clients where legal services were successfully provided. All relevant reference letters must be on the company letter head of the referee and signed by referee. The referee must be contactable. Relevant reference letters must be accompanied by corresponding appointment letter or purchase order or remittance advice. Reference letters must not be older than Five (5) years from the closing date of the bid.
4. Extension of Bid Closing Date: The original bid closing date of 29 July 2026 at 12:00 has been extended **07 August 2026 at 12:00**.