

CSIR

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CLARIFICATIONS, QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) FOR SUPPLY, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF TWO BACK-UP GENERATORS, DIESEL STORAGE TANK AND UPGRADE OF THE EXISTING MLV DISTRIBUTION BOARD AT THE CSIR PRETORIA CAMPUS.

NO.	Items	Clarifications/Response
1.	Please clarify the generators power rating definition and correct EPA requirements for your application	These gensets are classified as "mission critical" hence the sole purpose is for "emergency" supply during grid failure. TIER level 3 is acceptable. The difference is between the acceptable emissions of a standby set that will run longer hours versus emergency sets. In short, the bid request is for Mission critical emergency sets with a TIER level of 3.
2.	Item 6.1.1 calls for an onboard ATS and 6.1.2 calls for a free-standing ground mounted ATS. Which one do you prefer?	Each generator set needs an onboard ATS. The request under point 6.1.2 refers to the common transfer switch panel between the two sets. Please refer to electrical drawings that will clarify this point.