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NOTICE OF TENDER CANCELLATION

Tender Number: <u>RFQ No 9360/11/02/2022</u>

Tender Description: The provision of advisory services on the development of a separate prospectus for the top technologies and for a commercialisation vehicle as part of the CSIR's commercialisation strategy

On Friday, 28 January 2022, the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) invited bidders to submit proposals for the above-mentioned RFP. The original closing/submission date for the tender was Friday, 18 March 2022 at 16h30.

This notice serves as a formal notification that the invitation for the referenced tender has been officially cancelled. The published RFP is cancelled, in line with Regulation 13 (1) (a) of the 2017, Preferential Procurement Regulations. Due to changed circumstances/Requirements, there is no longer a need for the goods or services specified in the invitation.

The CSIR sincerely apologizes for any inconvenience caused as a result of this cancellation and appreciates your understanding. We hope this will not deter you from tendering in future.

Please be advised that this tender will be re-issued in due course.

Any enquiries may be directed to tender@csir.co.za

Yours sincerely

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