

RESPONSE SCHEDULES

Response Schedule E – Tasmanian Industry Participation Plan

Tasmanian Industry Participation Plan (template/guide)

The Tasmanian Government is committed to maximising opportunities for local SME¹ businesses to compete for and win Government procurements. Suppliers/proponents are requested to prepare a Tasmanian Industry Participation Plan:

- For all procurements with a value exceeding \$5 million;
- For nominated procurements (at the discretion of the procuring Government entity) greater than \$2 million and up to \$5 million; and
- For private sector projects valued at over \$5 million that receive support, including in-kind support, valued at or greater than \$500 000 from the Government.

This Plan is your opportunity to demonstrate how your submission will positively impact on the local industry/economy. You do not need to answer all of the questions below and your submission may not necessarily be limited to these issues (which are provided as prompts). You will need to ensure you can verify the information you submit and where possible should provide actual numbers of staff (full-time equivalent)/values of goods and/or services.

For procurements, the Tasmanian Industry Participation Plan is an essential part of your submission and will be used by the procuring entity to evaluate your submission. In these circumstances, the Plan will contribute a minimum of 10% of the procurement evaluation. Suppliers that fail to submit a Plan will receive a zero score in relation to this criterion.

Procurement details

Procurement Reference No.	DHHS-5689S
Procurement title	Supply of PROSTHESES
Name of Responsible Agency/Entity	Tasmanian Health Service

Supplier details

¹ Local SME are Australian and New Zealand businesses employing less than 200 people.

Name of supplier	Device Technologies
Contact details for supplier	Bede Cunneen 02 9975 5755 bcunneen@device.com.au

Local SME industry impact

What is the direct local impact of your business?

We have one full time employee in Tasmania.

Goods and services to be utilised in the contract

Identify the goods and/or services you expect to purchase in order to complete the contract and provide the requested information in relation to same, where known.

Identified goods or services	Total estimated value	Name of supplier anticipated to be used (if already determined through existing supply chain arrangements)	Location of supplier (where already determined through existing supply chain arrangements)	If supplier not yet determined, is there a local SME market for same? (Yes/No)
Accommodation	Up to \$250 per night			Yes
Restaurants	variable			Yes

Opportunity for local SME involvement

Will you source components of your offer from other local SME companies/sub-contractors or is there new work to be undertaken locally as a result of you fulfilling the contract or workers travelling to the local area to undertake the work? How much?

We will service this contract primarily from our Melbourne and Sydney offices however there will be opportunities for our staff to travel to Tasmania as part of servicing this contract. Certain businesses (e.g Spine) may utilise the services of contracted specialist agents in order to provide the best service possible.

Detail how you intend to identify and engage with sub-contractors and/or other SMEs in relation to the delivery of the contract including your supply chain ie use of existing supply chains, advertising of sub-contracting or supply opportunities, liaison with industry groups, etc.

In general, this contract will be serviced directly and completely by Device Technologies. Where specialist agents are engaged (e.g Spine), the representing agent is chosen for their expertise in the specific field and are trained and managed as though they were an employee of Device Technologies.

Detail the process that you are to undertake to ensure that local SMEs are not to be disadvantaged where competing with other suppliers in the provision of goods or services to be used as part of this contract (ie unpacking of procurements into smaller components so that local SMEs can compete more effectively etc).

Not applicable.

Broader economic opportunities

Are there any other impacts that your business and/or this specific supply will provide to the local/regional economy?

Should we be successful in this contract, there will be training opportunities for staff within Tasmanian Health Service Hospitals.

Note: Where determined appropriate by the procuring entity, the supplier's obligations under this Plan are to be captured in the contract and monitored as part of the contract performance.

Completed and endorsed (Supplier)

Bede Cunneen – Contracts Manager
(Name and position – print)



(Signature)

23/01/2017
(Date)