



ADDENDUM – 5

To: Bidders: **AE/VLAK012/2023**
From: Supply Chain Management (SCM) Department
Date: **January 21, 2025**

Notification of Extension of the Bid Validity Date

APPOINTMENT OF A PANEL OF SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR LEGAL TRANSACTIONAL ADVISORS FOR AFRICAN EXPLORATION MINING AND FINANCE CORPORATION (SOC) LTD (“AEMFC”) FOR A PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS.

1. PURPOSE

Notification of **Bid Validity Extension date:**

2. BACKGROUND/ DISCUSSION

The above bid was published in the market on **17 October 2023** for the Appointment of a Panel of Service Providers for Legal Transactional Advisors for African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation (SOC) LTD (“AEMFC”) for a period of three (3) years.

Tender No: **AE/VLAK012/2023**
Advertised date: **17 October 2023**
Closing Date: **09 November 2023**

The RFP was published with a validity of 120 days from closing. Bidders are to note that the internal evaluation process has not been finalised within the validity period of 120 days. The bid validity has been extended from **21 January 2025 to 31 March 2025** to enable AEMFC to conclude the evaluation process under the same terms and conditions as set out in the RFP document.

The bid extension validity notification date has been uploaded on both the National Treasury's eTender Publication Portal at www.etenders.gov.za and the African Exploration Mining and Finance Corporation at www.aemfc.co.za.

The new date for bid validity is as follows:

From Date: **21 January 2025**
To Date: **31 March 2025**

The delivery instructions are as per the RFP published.

