JAMAICA NATIONAL HERITAGE TRUST

Job Description & Specification

JOB TITLE :	PROCUREMENT OFFICER		
JOB CLASSIFICATION:	GMG/ AM 3	JOB CODE:	
DEPARTMENT:	Corporate Services		
REPORTS TO:	Corporate Services Director		
DIRECT SUPERVISION GIVEN TO:	N/A		
AUTHORITY TO:	Request information and data related	to responsibiliti	ies.
	 Maintain close collaboration with Department's output. 	internal and e	external stakeholders of the

CONTEXT		
JOB PURPOSE	Under the direct supervision of the Corporate Services Director, the Procurement	
	Officer is responsible for conducting researches, checks, verifies and maintains records	
	of all goods and services procured and delivered to the Divisions/Units.	
SPECIAL CONDITION ASSOCIATED WITH THE JOB	• This is a typical office environment, with no adverse working conditions however, there can be some pressure on a periodic basis.	
	• Extended working hours are expected and Travelling is required.	

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY

ACCOUNTABILITIES:	Key Activities	
MANAGEMENT/ ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES	 Ensure that the Department's output conforms to JNHT's policies and guidelines as well as acceptable standards and practices. 	
TECHNICAL & PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES	 Prepares tender documents (RFQ, RFP, LOIs) in keeping with GOJ Guidelines. Responds to customers and suppliers inquiries about status, changes or cancellations. Sources suitable and registered suppliers from which to purchase office products, services and /or equipment. Locates suppliers, using sources as the National Contracts Commission (NCC) Register, the internet, and interview them to gather information about products to be ordered. Verifies that Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) and or JNHT's compliance status of 	

	that street addresses and TRNS exists for all vendors on the system.
RESPONSIBILITIES OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES	Creates, maintains vendors profile database in the relevant system and ensures
DEPARTMENTAL HUMAN RESOURCE	N/A
	• Perform any other related duties which may be assigned from time to time.
	Generates and submits monthly procurement reports.
	goods are received as per the purchase order and according to specification.
	• Collects goods/items and check to ensure that the right quality and quantity of
	goods.
	• Liaise with internal/external customers to ensure efficiency in the delivery of
	Requests pro-forma invoices from reputable suppliers.
	 Arranges tender to include tender opening, tender evaluations and reports.
	• Examines requirements for accuracy and compliance.
	 Acquires quotations and proposals from suppliers/contractors.
	 Schedules site visits where necessary.
	 Follow-up with contractors to ensure timely completion of work.
	 Prepares tender submissions for procurement committee meetings.
	 Compares supplier's bills with bids and purchase orders to verify accuracy.
	• Calculates costs of orders and charge of forward involces to appropriate personnel.
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	 Evaluates prices, specifications and delivery dates in order to determine the best bid among potential suppliers.
	 Reviews requisition orders to verify accuracy, terminology and specifications. Evaluates prices, specifications and delivery dates in order to determine the best
	prices.
	• Investigates supplier's performance, capabilities and the competitiveness of the
	shortages, missed or late deliveries and other problems.
	• Contacts suppliers in order to schedule or expedite deliveries and to resolve
	payments.
	• Contacts suppliers by phone, email, fax, face to face to deliver goods and collects
	suppliers where necessary.

	•	Attends Procurement committee meetings and make representations as required.
Key Result Areas/Output	•	Procurement of goods and services adhere to JNHT's policies and GOJ guidelines.

MEASURES OF SUCCESS

ACCOUNTABILITIES	Key Performance Indicators	
PERFORMANCE	Service delivery from providers is consistent and conforms to contractual	
MEASURES	arrangements and agreed standards.	
	Goods and services are procured and consistently conform to established policies	
	and procedures.	
	Confidentiality and integrity is exercised at all times.	

COMPETENCIES		
FUNCTIONAL	DEFINITION	
REQUIRED SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES	Good written communication skills	
	Good oral communication skills	
	Good interpersonal skills	
	Good problem solving-skills	
	Ability to work on own initiative	
	Ability to work in teams	
	• Demonstrates sound personal and professional integrity, reflecting high ethical and	
	moral values.	
	• Is a competent user of computer hardware with knowledge of relevant software	
	applications.	
	Proficiency in the relevant computer applications	
REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE SPECIFIC TO THE POSITION	Good knowledge of the Procurement Guidelines.	
	Good knowledge of the stipulations of the FAA Act.	
	Good knowledge of the Ministry's Policies, Practices and Procedures.	

COMPETENCIES

QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:	 Diploma/Certificate in Public Administration/Management Studies Sound knowledge in Government Procurement Procedures and Financial Regulations
	OR
	Diploma in Supplies Management
	A minimum of three (3) years experience in Procurement
	A minimum of two (2) years experience in Administration

COMMUNICATION

LIAISE INTERNALLY	Purpose of Communication
The Director Corporate Services	To provide information and request information.
Directors and Department Heads	To provide information and request information.
LIAISE EXTERNALLY	PURPOSE OF COMMUNICATION
Suppliers	To obtain quotations and receive supplies.