## PRESENT

| 1. Peter Waweru   | Quality Assurance | Chair        |
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| 2. George Wambua  | AD-SCM            | Co- Chairing |
| 3. Hilmark Obanda | SPSCMA            | Panelist     |

## Bidders Representatives -

| MIN.<br>NO.                      | DISCUSSION/ACTION  |
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| 01/17/03/2022 Opening<br>Remarks | The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 1015hrs with a word of prayer<br>thereafter welcoming all members for the meeting. He requested the<br>panelists to introduce themselves, giving a chance to the Assistant Director<br>Supply Chain Management to make his opening remarks.   |
| 02/17/03/2022 Presentations      | The Assistant Director Supply Chain Management welcomed the participants to the meeting thanking them for their continued show of interest in KWS Tenders, noting their presence and commitment despite the fact that attendance was not mandatory<br>He reminded participants that the tender for the supply of the uniform items was retendered as the specifications in the initial tender (KWS/OT/SEC/28/2021-2022) were insufficient to enable award and culmination of a contract<br>He also insisted on adherence to the mandatory requirements as advertised in MyGov publication and the Instructions to Tenderers (ITTs) in the tender document, urging bidders to thoroughly scrutinize the document reminding them that it is the new standard tender document as authorized by the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority ( <i>PPRA</i> ). |

|               | Q & A Session | The Chairperson welcomed the participants to ask or post questions on the chat box adding that minutes of the virtual meeting will be published on the KWS official Website <u>www.kws.go.ke</u> |   |                |               |  |  |
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| 03/17/03/2022 |               | #  | Question  | Firms'<br>Name | Reps'<br>name | Answer(s)  |  |
|               |               | 1.   | Is manufacturers'<br>authorization<br>mandatory?  | Tradewise      | Andrew        | manufacturers'<br>authorization is<br>mandatory as per the<br>Tender data Sheet  |  |
|               |               | 2.   | You have requested<br>audited accounts for<br>2019/2020 and2021,<br>whereas most firms have<br>not yet audited their<br>2021 accounts, how will<br>you go about this? | Tradewise      | Andrew        | You can submit<br>2018, 2019 and<br>2020 or  |  |
|               |               | 3.   | Can international<br>manufacturers bid?   | Turk<br>Tech   |               | In adherence to the<br>government directive<br>of developing local<br>industries i.e. 'Buy<br>Kenya Build Kenya'<br>international<br>companies are not<br>eligible to bid in the<br>tender |  |
|               |               | 4.   | Is manufacturers'<br>authorization<br>mandatory?  | Tradewise      | Andrew        | manufacturers'<br>authorization is<br>mandatory as per the<br>Tender data Sheet  |  |
| 04/17/03/2022 | AOB           | There being no other business the meeting was adjourned at 1048hrs with a word of prayer from Andrew (TradeWise)   |   |                |               |  |  |

## SIGNED: -

| Peter Waweru   | Date | Chair       |
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| George Wambua  | Date | Secretary   |
| Hilmark Obanda | Date | Secretariat |