



STRATEGIC PROCUREMENT UNIT

23 September 2021

**NOTICE FOR CANCELLATION OF CSIR REQUEST FOR  
QUOTATIONS**

**RFQ NO: 9310/31/08/2021**

**THE PROVISION OF A VIRTUAL CONFERENCING PLATFORM FOR  
THE CHPC NATIONAL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD FROM 1  
DECEMBER TO 3 DECEMBER 2021 IN  
MPUMALANGA PROVINCE**

On Tuesday, 17 August 2021, the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) invited suitably qualified and experienced service providers to submit quotations for the above-mentioned RFQ. The closing/submission date for the tender was Tuesday, 31 August 2021 at 16:30

The CSIR appreciates your interest in responding to the Request for Quotation however, we regret to inform you that the tender has been cancelled due to “**changed circumstances, i.e. there is no longer a need for the services as specified**”, as is defined in section 13, - *point number 1 sub-section (b)* of the 2017 Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act Regulations.

Due to changed circumstances, there is no longer a need for the conference to be hosted in Mpumalanga. It will be virtual only

The CSIR wishes to thank all the bidders that showed interest in this RFQ, and to apologise for any inconvenience caused as a result of this cancellation.

The CSIR will issue a new RFQ in due course and the RFQ will be published on <https://www.csir.co.za/tender> for the services.

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