



SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

To: All Bidders

BID NUMBER: SMU/010/2026 - APPOINTMENT OF A QUALIFIED, EXPERIENCED, AND COMPETENT SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE STUDENT BUS SERVICES FOR SEFAKO MAKGATHO HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY ON A SCHEDULED AND AD HOC BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY-FOUR (24) MONTHS WITH AN OPTION TO EXTEND BY ONE (1) YEAR

SUBJECT: CANCELLATION OF TENDER DUE TO MATERIAL IRREGULARITY TO THE TENDER PROCESS

Sefako Makgatho Health Sciences University (SMU) acknowledges your submission and participation in the tender process for the provision of student bus services at SMU (Bid Reference: SMU/010/2026).

The bid was advertised in the *Sunday Times*, *The Star* newspapers and on the SMU website, and PURCOSA website on 27, 28 and 29 September 2026. A compulsory briefing session was held on 06 October 2026, and the closing date is 19 October 2026.

This decision to cancel this bid due to the material irregularity to the process and the bid will be re-advertised in due course.

We acknowledge and appreciate your time, effort, and resources that your company invested in responding to this tender, and we sincerely thank you for your interest in partnering with SMU.



Should you have any questions or require further clarification, please contact the Supply Chain Management Office at: walter.maleyana@smu.ac.za or setimpu.mamabolo@smu.ac.za.

We look forward to future opportunities to work together.

Yours sincerely,

Mahlatholle Masha

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Sefako Makgatho Health Sciences University

12 October 2026

