## RFQ Number: T26/07/19 Tender description: REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS TO EVALUATE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF CURRENT TRADE POLICY MEASURES IN THE CHEMICAL SECTOR AND DEVELOP A PROPO

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1	Specifically, under point 7 of Section 2, it is stated that;  "The project scope will include 8 of these sub-sectors: liquid fuels, organic chemicals, inorganic chemicals, primary polymers and rubbers, fine chemicals, speciality chemicals, bulk chemicals, and consumer chemicals, all these fall within Chapters 28-38." emphasis added  We note the trade data published by the South African Revenue Services (SARS) is organised by the Harmonised System (HS) codes in line with the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC).  We proceed under the assumption that the scope of work includes liquid fuels specified in Chapter 27, and primary polymers included in Subchapter 1 of Chapter 39.  Please confirm whether this is the case, or if it is necessary to focus our analysis only on the products of the specified sub-sectors which fall within Chapters 28-38.	Technical	The bidder can proceed inclusive of chapter 27 and 39 even though for these 2 chapters it won't be the whole chapter reviewed only specific products, due to the value chains we looking at cutting across to those 2 chapters.