

PART 2
REQUIREMENT SPECIFICATIONS

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1. PROVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES TO SGNIC

SGNIC is inviting proposals from suitable law firms for the provision of legal services to SGNIC.

2. AREAS OF PRACTICE

2.1 The Proposer is required to have the experience, ability and resources to provide legal services in relation to:

- (a) SGNIC's business of operating a national registry of Internet Domain Names (i.e. DotSG country-code Top-Level Domain or ccTLD); and
- (b) SGNIC's dealings with international organisations pertaining to domain name management, Internet Protocol (IP) addresses management and Autonomous System Number (ASN) management.

2.2 The legal services required under clause 2.1 of the Requirement Specifications may relate to:

- (a) Information Technology (IT) law in general, including but not limited to:
 - (i) data protection and privacy law; and
 - (ii) the law of electronic commerce, including issues relating to the internet, electronic contracts, computer crime and domain names; and
- (b) Commercial/corporate and litigation matters, including but not limited to:
 - (i) IT contracts and projects;
 - (ii) procurement issues and contracts for sale and purchase of goods and services;
 - (iii) intellectual property matters (particularly in relation to trademarks and patents); and
 - (iv) general corporate / commercial law.

3. RATES FOR SERVICES

3.1 SGNIC requires each Proposer to include in its Proposal a Price Schedule setting out its general hourly rates for each grade of lawyers in each respective firm (e.g. Senior Partner, Partner, Associate, etc).

- 3.2 The Proposer may also provide additional rates in its Price Schedule in relation to specific types of work (for example, in relation to preparing and filing trademark registrations) although this should be coupled with specific information in their Proposal concerning their expertise in the relevant areas of law (for example, in intellectual property).