

Bidvest Group

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Sale of Wits Football Club

Johannesburg, South Africa : Services, trading and distribution group, Bidvest, has ended its 15 year relationship with Wits Football Club. Over the past 15 years we have supported the club and helped it reach some incredible milestones including becoming the ABSA Premier League Champions of 2016/17, the winners of the 2016 MTN8 and the Telkom Cup of 2018.

“Bidvest joined this team in 2005/6, without their contribution Bidvest Wits Football Club would not have achieved the great number of victories we have - both on the field and off it. Our academy has changed the lives of many talented youngsters” says Jonathan Schloss, the club’s COO.

Our relationship comes to an end following a business decision to review all our ongoing sporting related sponsorship agreements. When we received an unsolicited offer for the purchase of the club in May this year we felt that the timing was right for both the business and the club.

We are proud to have been associated with the legacy brand of Wits Football Club and would like to thank all our supporters over the years for their commitment and spirit that has been part of our journey with the club.

Schloss continued to say “The Clever Boys have won the hearts of so many football fans across the country. It is with a heavy heart that we part ways. The journey’s been an amazing one”

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