



Transnet Freight Rail, a division of

TRANSNET SOC LTD

Registration Number 1990/000900/30

[hereinafter referred to as **Transnet**]

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION [RFQ] No BFX/52467

FOR THE PROVISION OF: AS AND WHEN MAINTENANCE AND EMERGENCY OF CIVIL WORK TO VARIOUS WATER AND SEWER NETWORKS BLOEMFONTEIN REGION FOR A PERIOD OF 24 MONTHS OR R9 MILLION WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST

FOR DELIVERY TO: REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT

ISSUE DATE: 30 SEPTEMBER 2013

CLOSING DATE: 08 October 2013

CLOSING TIME: 10:00

COMPULSARY SITE BRIEFING

VENUE : Real Estate Management Building, Nathan Street Bloemfontein

DATE : 19 September 2013

TIME : 11H00

ANNEXURE A : Special Conditions Part A

ANNEXURE B : Particular Specifications Part B

ANNEXURE C : Safety Arrangements (Act 85 of 1993)

ANNEXURE D : Railway Lines and High Voltage Equipment E7/1

Section 1
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Quotations which must be completed as indicated in Section 2 of this RFQ are to be submitted as follows:

METHOD: **COURRIER OR BY HAND**

CLOSING VENUE: The Secretariat
Acquisition Council
Admin Support Office
Tender Box
Office no 2
Real Estate Management Building
Austin Street
Beaconsfield
Kimberley
Contact Person Maggie Pain Tel 051 – 838 3341

1 Responses to RFQ

Responses to this RFQ [Quotations] must not include documents or reference relating to any other quotation or proposal. Any additional conditions must be embodied in an accompanying letter.

2 Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment [B-BBEE]

Transnet fully endorses and supports the Government's Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Programme and it would therefore prefer to do business with local business enterprises who share these same values. Transnet will accordingly allow a "preference" to companies who provide a valid B-BBEE Verification Certificate. All procurement transactions will be evaluated accordingly.

2.1 B-BBEE Scorecard and Rating

As prescribed in terms of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), Act 5 of 2000 and its Regulations, Respondents are to note the following:

- Proposals will be evaluated on price which will be allocated 80 or 90 points and preference which will be allocated 20 or 10 points, dependent on the value of the Services.
- The 80/20 preference point system applies where the acquisition of the Services will be less than R1 000 000.00.
- The 90/10 preference point system applies where acquisition of the Services will exceed R1 000 000.00.
- In this RFQ, Transnet will apply **90/10** preference point system prescribed in the PPPFA depending on the value .

In compliance with the Government Gazette No 34612, Notice No. 754 dated 23 September 2011, as from 1 October 2011 valid B-BBEE Verification Certificates must be issued by:

- (i) Verification Agencies accredited by the South African National Accreditation System [SANAS]; or
- (ii) Registered Auditors approved by the Independent Regulatory Board of Auditors [IRBA], in accordance with the approval granted by the Department of Trade and Industry.

Enterprises will be rated by such agencies based on the following:

a) Large Enterprises [i.e. annual turnover greater than R35 million]:

- Rating level based on all seven elements of the B-BBEE scorecard

b) Qualifying Small Enterprises – QSE [i.e. annual turnover between R5 million and R35 million]:

- Rating based on any four of the elements of the B-BBEE scorecard

c) Exempted Micro Enterprises – EME [i.e. annual turnover less than R5 million]:

In accordance with B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice [Statement 900, Section 4], any enterprise with an annual total revenue of R 5 million or less qualifies as an EME.

- Automatic rating of B-BBEE Level 4 irrespective of race or ownership
- Black ownership greater than 50% or Black Women ownership greater than 50% automatically qualify as B-BBEE Level 3

Sufficient evidence to qualify as an EME would be a certificate (which may be in the form of a letter) from an auditor or accounting officer or a certificate from a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS. The certificate must confirm the company's turnover, black ownership / black female ownership, B-BBEE status level and validity date.

Respondents are required to furnish proof of the above to Transnet. [i.e. a valid detailed scorecard as stipulated above in respect of Large Enterprises and QSEs, or a valid certificate in respect of EMEs].

Transnet will accordingly allocate a maximum of **10 [ten] points** to the Respondent's final score based on an entity's B-BBEE scorecard rating.

N.B. Failure to submit a B-BBEE certificate, which is valid as at the Closing Date of this RFP, will result in a score of zero being allocated for B-BBEE.

[Refer clause Error! Reference source not found. below for Returnable Documents required]

3 Communication

Respondents are warned that a response will be liable for disqualification should any attempt be made by a Respondent either directly or indirectly to canvass any officer(s) or employee of Transnet in respect of this RFQ between the closing date and the date of the award of the business.

A Respondent may, however, before the closing date and time, direct any written enquiries relating to the RFQ to the following Transnet employee:

Name: Jakkie Kotze
 Email: Jakkie.kotze@transnet.net

Respondents may also, at any time after the closing date of the RFQ, communicate with the Secretariat of the Transnet Acquisition Council on any matter relating to its RFQ response:

Telephone 053 -- 838 3341
 Email Maggie.pain@yransnet.net

4 Tax Clearance

The Respondent's original valid Tax Clearance Certificate must accompany the Quotation. Failure to provide this document with the RFQ submission will result in disqualification.

5 VAT Registration

The valid VAT registration number must be stated here: _____ [if applicable].

6 Legal Compliance

The successful Respondent shall be in full and complete compliance with any and all applicable national and local laws and regulations.

7 Changes to Quotations

Changes by the Respondent to its submission will not be considered after the closing date and time.

8 Pricing

All prices must be quoted in South African Rand on a fixed price basis, excluding VAT.

9 Prices Subject to Confirmation

Prices quoted which are subject to confirmation will not be considered.

10 Negotiations

Transnet reserves the right to undertake post-tender negotiations with selected Respondents or any number of short-listed Respondents.

11 Binding Offer

Any Quotation furnished pursuant to this Request shall be deemed to be an offer. Any exceptions to this statement must be clearly and specifically indicated.

12 Disclaimers

Transnet is not committed to any course of action as a result of its issuance of this RFQ and/or its receipt of a Quotation in response to it. Please note that Transnet reserves the right to:

- modify the RFQ's goods / service(s) and request Respondents to re-bid on any changes;
- reject any Quotation which does not conform to instructions and specifications which are detailed herein;
- disqualify Quotations submitted after the stated submission deadline;
- not necessarily accept the lowest priced Quotation;
- reject all Quotations, if it so decides;
- place an order in connection with this Quotation at any time after the RFQ's closing date;

- award only a portion of the proposed goods / service/s which are reflected in the scope of this RFQ;
- split the award of the order/s between more than one Supplier/Service Provider; or
- make no award at all.

In addition, Transnet reserves the right to exclude any Respondent from the bidding process who has been convicted of a serious breach of law during the preceding 5 [five] years, including but not limited to breaches of the Competition Act 89 of 1998. Respondents are required to indicate below whether or not they have been found guilty of a serious breach of law during the past 5 [five] years:

I/We _____ do hereby certify that I/we **have/have not been** found guilty during the preceding 5 [five] years of a serious breach of law, including but not limited to a breach of the Competition Act, 89 of 1998, by a court of law, tribunal or other administrative body. The type of breach that the Respondent is required to disclose excludes relatively minor offences or misdemeanours, e.g. traffic offences.

Where found guilty of such a serious breach, please disclose:

NATURE OF BREACH:

DATE OF BREACH: _____

Furthermore, I/we acknowledge that Transnet SOC Ltd reserves the right to exclude any Respondent from the bidding process, should that person or entity have been found guilty of a serious breach of law, tribunal or regulator prohibition.

13 EVALUATION CRITERIA

14 TRANSNET WILL UTILISE THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA [NOT NECESSARILY IN THIS ORDER] IN CHOOSING A SUPPLIER/SERVICE PROVIDER, IF SO REQUIRED:

Administrative responsiveness - Completeness of response and returnable documents

Substantive responsiveness – Prequalification criteria, if any, must be met and whether the Bid materially complies with the scope and/or specification given.

- Weighted evaluation based on 90/10 preference point system as indicated in paragraph 2:
 - Pricing and price basis [firm] - whilst not the sole factor for consideration, competitive pricing and overall level of unconditional discounts¹ will be critical
 - B-BBEE status of company

Preference points will be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

¹ Only unconditional discounts will be taken into account during evaluation. A discount which has been offered conditionally will, despite not being taken into account for evaluation purposes, be implemented when payment is effected.

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)
1	10
2	9
3	8
4	5
5	4
6	3
7	2
8	1
Non-compliant contributor	0

15 Validity Period

Transnet desires a validity period of 90 [NINETY] days from the closing date of this RFQ. This RFQ is valid until _____

16 Banking Details

BANK: _____
 BRANCH NAME / CODE: _____
 ACCOUNT HOLDER: _____
 ACCOUNT NUMBER: _____

17 Company Registration

Registration number of company / C.C. _____
 Registered name of company / C.C. _____

18 Disclosure of Prices Quoted

Respondents must indicate here whether Transnet may disclose their quoted prices and conditions to other Respondents:

YES NO

19 Returnable Documents

Returnable Documents means all the documents, Sections and Annexures, as listed in the tables below.

- a) Respondents are required to submit with their Quotations the **mandatory Returnable Documents**, as detailed below.

Failure to provide all these Returnable Documents at the Closing Date and time of this RFQ will result in a Respondent's disqualification. Respondents are therefore urged to ensure that all these Documents are returned with their Quotations.

All Sections, as indicated in the footer of each page, must be signed, stamped and dated by the Respondent. Please confirm submission of these mandatory Returnable Documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below:

Mandatory Returnable Documents	Submitted [Yes or No]
SECTION 2 : Quotation Form	
- Original valid Tax Clearance Certificate [Consortia / Joint Ventures must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate for each party]	

b) In addition to the requirements of section (a) above, Respondents are further required to submit with their Quotations the following **essential Returnable Documents** as detailed below.

Failure to provide all these Returnable Documents may result in a Respondent's disqualification. Respondents are therefore urged to ensure that all these documents are returned with their Quotations.

All Sections, as indicated in the footer of each page, must be signed, stamped and dated by the Respondent. Please confirm submission of these essential Returnable Documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below:

Essential Returnable Documents	Submitted [Yes or No]
SECTION 1 : Notice to Bidders	
- Valid B-BBEE Verification Certificate [RSA Large Enterprises and QSEs] Note: failure to provide a valid B-BBEE Verification Certificate at the closing date and time of the tender will result in an automatic score of zero being allocated for B-BBEE scorecard	
- Valid B-BBEE certificate from auditor/accounting officer or SANAS accredited Verification Agency [RSA LMEs] Note: failure to provide a valid B-BBEE Verification Certificate at the closing date and time of the tender will result in an automatic score of zero being allocated for B-BBEE scorecard	
- In the case of Joint Ventures, a copy of the Joint Venture Agreement or written confirmation of the intention to enter into a Joint Venture Agreement	
- SECTION 3 : Standard Terms and Conditions of Contract for the Supply of Goods or Services to Transnet	
SECTION 4 : Vendor Application Form	
- Original cancelled cheque or bank verification of banking details	
- Certified copies of IDs of shareholder/directors/members [as applicable]	
- Certified copy of Certificate of Incorporation [CM29/CM9 name change]	
- Certified copy of share certificates [CK1/CK2 if C.C.]	
- Entity's letterhead	
- Certified copy of VAT Registration Certificate [RSA entities only]	
- Certified copy of valid Company Registration Certificate [if applicable]	
- A signed letter from Respondent's auditor or accountant confirming most recent annual turnover figures	

- c) In addition to the requirements of paragraph a) and b) above, Respondents are further requested to submit with their Proposals the following additional documents as detailed below failure to provide all these Additional Documents may result in a Respondent's disqualification. Respondents are therefore urged to ensure that all these documents are returned with their Quotations.

Please confirm submission of these additional documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below:

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS	SUBMITTED [Yes or No]
CIDB Level and Category GB1 , 1CE and 1ME	
Certificate Registered as Asbestos Contractor	
Proof of staff qualifications , <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - trade test diploma (plumber) issued by Manpower or - completed contract of apprenticeship or - 15 years' experience in (plumber) work on pipe and sewer lines or - any competency as need and recognized by the Department of labour 	

Please confirm the following by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below: The non-availability of communication facilities or on a 24 hour basis may result in a Respondent's disqualification.

	[Yes or No]
Confirm communication facilities will be available	
Confirm bidder will be available on a twenty four hour basis	

Please indicate below the company names and contact details of existing customers whom Transnet may contact to seek third party evaluations of your current service levels

Name of Company	Contact Person	Telephone number

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Respondent's Signature

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Date & Company Stamp

Section 2 QUOTATION FORM

I/We _____
hereby offer to supply the goods/services at the prices quoted in the Price Schedule below, in accordance with the conditions related thereto.

I/We agree to be bound by those terms and conditions in:

- the Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Goods or Services to Transnet [Section 3 hereof]; and
- any other standard or special conditions mentioned and/or embodied in this Request for Quotation.

I/We accept that unless Transnet should otherwise decide and so inform me/us, this Quotation [and, if any, its covering letter and any subsequent exchange of correspondence], together with Transnet's acceptance thereof shall constitute a binding contract between Transnet and me/us.

I/We further agree that if, after I/we have been notified of the acceptance of my/our Quotation, I/we fail to deliver the said goods/service/s within the delivery lead-time quoted, Transnet may, without prejudice to any other legal remedy which it may have, cancel the order and recover from me/us any expenses incurred by Transnet in calling for Quotations afresh and/or having to accept any less favourable offer.

Price Schedule

I/We quote as follows for the goods required, on a "delivered nominated destination" basis, excluding VAT:

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Normal hours 07: 00 -- 17: 00				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only) (Only for outside of the 12km radius)		Km		R
Sub-Total (A)				R

.....
Respondent's Signature

.....
Date & Company Stamp

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Over time				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only)		Km		R
(Only for outside of the 12km radius)				
Sub-Total (B)				R

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Saturday				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only)		Km		R
(Only for outside of the 12km radius)				
Sub-Total (C)				R

.....
Respondent's Signature

.....
Date & Company Stamp

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Sunday/Public holiday				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only)		Km		R
(Only for outside of the 12km radius)				
Sub-Total (D)				R
Sub-Total (A+B+C+D)				R
Add 15% VAT				R
TOTAL:-				R

Percentage Mark Up for Handling of Material:

As per invoice from supplier plus _____ % handling charge (this invoice must be attached to VAT invoice from Contractor)

Percentage Mark Up for Hiring of Plant and Equipment:

As per invoice from supplier plus _____ % handling charge (this invoice must be attached to VAT invoice from Contractor)

Total price in words _____

Price firm until _____

Notes to Pricing:

- a) All Prices must be quoted in South African Rand, exclusive of VAT
- b) To facilitate like-for-like comparison bidders must submit pricing strictly in accordance with this price schedule and not utilise a different format. Deviation from this pricing schedule could result in a bid being disqualified.
- c) Please note that should you have offered a discounted price(s), Transnet will only consider such price discount(s) in the final evaluation stage if offered on an unconditional basis.

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Respondent's Signature

.....
Date & Company Stamp

Section 3

STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE SUPPLY OF GOODS OR SERVICES TO TRANSNET

A Supplier/Service Provider shall be obliged to adhere to the Standard Terms and Conditions for the Supply of Goods and Services to Transnet as expressed hereunder. Should the Respondent find any condition(s) unacceptable, it should indicate which condition(s) is/are unacceptable and offer an alternative(s). A Quotation submitted by a Respondent will be subjected to review and acceptance or rejection of its proposed contractual terms and conditions by Transnet's Legal Counsel, prior to consideration for an award of business.

1 SOLE AGREEMENT

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, these terms [Terms and each Term] and Transnet's purchase order(s) [Order or Orders] represent the only conditions upon which Transnet SOC Ltd [Transnet] procures goods [the Goods] or services [the Services] specified in the Order from the person to whom the Order is addressed [the Supplier/Service Provider]. Transnet does not accept any other conditions which the Supplier/Service Provider may specify, unless otherwise agreed to by Transnet in writing. In the event of any inconsistency between these Terms and any Order, these Terms shall take precedence.

2 CONFORMITY WITH ORDER

Goods/Services shall conform strictly with the order. The Supplier/Service Provider shall not vary the quantities specified and/or the specification, if any, stipulated in the Order, without the prior written consent of Transnet. The Supplier/Service Provider warrants that the Goods/Services shall be fit for their purpose and of satisfactory quality.

3 DELIVERY AND TITLE

3.1 The delivery times and addresses are those in the Order. Time shall be of the essence in respect of the Supplier/Service Provider's obligations under the Order.

3.2 The Supplier/Service Provider will not be excused for delay in delivery or performance except due to circumstances outside its control and then only subject to the Supplier/Service Provider having notified Transnet in writing on becoming aware of such circumstances. Transnet may terminate an Order, in whole or in part, without incurring any liability to the Supplier/Service Provider if such a delay becomes, in Transnet's absolute opinion, significant.

3.3 If on delivery, the Goods/Services do not conform to the Order, Transnet may reject the Goods/Services and the Supplier/Service Provider shall promptly rectify any defects or in Transnet's opinion, supply appropriate replacement Goods/Services at the Supplier's/Service Provider's expense within the specified delivery times, without any liability due by Transnet.

4 PRICE AND PAYMENT

4.1 Prices specified in an Order cannot be increased. Payment for the Goods/Services shall be made by Transnet against an original undisputed invoice(s) [a Tax Invoice], supporting documentation and month-end statement from the Supplier/Service Provider. Tax Invoices plus supporting documentation shall be posted to the address shown in the Order.

4.2 Payment of the Supplier's/Service Provider's valid Tax Invoice(s) will be made by Transnet in the South African currency and on the terms stated in the Order, the standard payment terms being 30 [thirty] days from date of receipt by Transnet of a month-end statement, unless otherwise agreed to in writing. Transnet shall arrange for payment of such Tax Invoices and any pre-authorized additional expenses incurred, provided that the authorised expenses are supported by acceptable documentary proof of expenditure incurred [where this is available]. Any amounts due in terms of these Terms shall be paid to the Supplier/Service Provider, taking into account any deduction or set-off and bank charges.

5 PROPRIETARY RIGHTS LIABILITY

If any allegations should be made or any claim asserted against Transnet that ownership of, or any act or omission by Transnet in relation to Goods/Services or any written material provided to Transnet relating to any Goods/Services or pursuant to an Order being a violation or infringement of any third party's contractual, industrial, commercial or intellectual property rights including but not limited to any patent, registered design, design right, trade mark, copyright or service mark on any application thereof, the Supplier/Service Provider hereby indemnifies Transnet against and hold it harmless from any and all losses, liabilities, costs, claims, damages and expenses [including any legal fees] arising directly or indirectly from such allegation or claim provided that this indemnity shall not apply where the allegation or claim arises solely as a result of the Supplier/Service Provider following a design or process originated and furnished by Transnet. The Supplier/Service Provider shall either

- a) procure for Transnet the right to continue using the infringing Goods; or
- b) modify or replace the Goods/Services so that they become non-infringing,

provided that in both cases the Goods/Services shall continue to meet Transnet's requirements and any specifications stipulated in the Order. Should neither option be possible, the Supplier/Service Provider may remove, with Transnet's prior written consent, such Goods/Services and will pay to Transnet a sum equivalent to the purchase price. If Transnet refuses to give such consent, the Supplier/Service Provider shall have no liability in respect of any continued use of the infringing Goods/Services after Supplier/Service Provider's prior written request to remove the same.

6 PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

All information which Transnet has divulged or may divulge to the Supplier/Service Provider and any information relating to Transnet's business which may have come into the Supplier's/Service Provider's possession whilst carrying out an Order, and the existence of the Order, shall be treated by the Supplier/Service Provider as confidential information and shall not, without Transnet's prior written consent, be disclosed to any third party, or be used or copied for any purposes other than to perform the Order. This clause does not apply to information which is public knowledge or available from other sources other than by breach of this Term. Upon request by Transnet, the Supplier/Service Provider shall return all materials issued pursuant to the Order and, pending this, shall protect Transnet's rights in any such materials. Such confidential information shall at all material times be the property of Transnet.

7 PUBLICITY

The Supplier/Service Provider shall not name Transnet or use its trademarks, service marks [whether registered or not] or Goods in connection with any publicity without Transnet's prior written consent..

8 TERMINATION OF ORDER

- 8.1 Transnet may cancel an Order in whole or in part at any time upon at least 7 [seven] days' written notice to the Supplier/Service Provider, or when there is a change in control of the Supplier/Service Provider or the Supplier/Service Provider commits any serious breach or any repeated or continued material breach of its obligations under these Terms and/or Order or shall have been guilty of conduct tending to bring itself into disrepute, on written notice to the Supplier/Service Provider when such work on the Order shall stop.
- 8.2 Transnet shall pay the Supplier/Service Provider a fair and reasonable price for justified work in progress, where such price reflects only those costs not otherwise recoverable by the Supplier/Service Provider, at the time of termination, and the Supplier/Service Provider shall give Transnet full assistance to check the extent of such work in progress. Payment of such price shall be in full and final satisfaction of any claims arising out of such termination and upon such payment the Supplier/Service Provider shall deliver to Transnet all work, including any materials, completed or in progress. The sum payable to the Supplier/Service Provider under this clause will not in any event exceed the total amount that would have been payable to the Supplier/Service Provider had the Order not been terminated.
- 8.3 In the event of termination, the Supplier/Service Provider must submit all claims within 2 [two] months of termination after which time claims will only be met in what Transnet considers exceptional circumstances.
- 8.4 If the Goods or Services are not provided in accordance with an Order, the Order shall be deemed terminated and the Supplier/Service Provider shall compensate Transnet for any costs incurred in obtaining substitute Goods or any damage caused due to the failure or delay in the delivery.

9 ACCESS

The Supplier/Service Provider shall be liable for the acts, omissions and defaults of its personnel or agents who, for the purposes of the Order, shall be treated as if they are the Supplier's/Service Provider's employees. The Supplier/Service Provider shall ensure that any such personnel or agents, whilst on Transnet's premises, shall comply with Transnet's health and safety, security and system security rules and procedures as and where required.

10 WARRANTY

The Supplier/Service Provider warrants that it is competent to supply the Goods/Services in accordance with these Terms to the reasonable satisfaction of Transnet and that all Goods/Services delivered under the Order: (a) conform and comply in all relevant legislation, standards, directives and orders related to [inter alia] the supply, manufacture and use of the Goods/Services in force at the time of delivery, and to any specifications referred to in the Order; (b) will not cause any deterioration in the functionality of any Transnet equipment; and (c) do not infringe any third party rights of any kind. The Supplier/Service Provider hereby indemnifies Transnet against all losses, liabilities, costs, claims, damages, expenses and awards of any kinds incurred or made against Transnet in connection with any breach of this warranty.

11 INSOLVENCY

If the Supplier/Service Provider shall have a receiver, manager, administrator, liquidator or like person appointed over all or any part of its assets or if the Supplier/Service Provider compounds with its creditors or passes a resolution for the winding up or administration of the Supplier/Service Provider, Transnet is at liberty to terminate the Order or Orders forthwith, or at its option, to seek performance by any such appointed person.

12 ASSIGNMENT

The Supplier/Service Provider shall not assign its obligations under an Order without Transnet's prior written consent, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

13 NOTICES

Notices under these Terms shall be delivered by hand to the relevant address of the parties in the Order or may be served by facsimile or by email, in which event notice shall be deemed served on acknowledgement of receipt by the recipient.

14 LAW

Orders shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with South African law and any disputes arising herein shall be subject to South African arbitration under the rules of the Arbitration Foundation of South Africa, which rules are deemed incorporated by reference in this clause. The reference to arbitration shall not prevent Transnet referring the matter to any South African courts, having jurisdiction, to which the Supplier/Service Provider hereby irrevocably submits but without prejudice to Transnet's right to take proceedings against the Supplier/Service Provider in other jurisdictions and/or obtaining interim relief on an urgent basis from a court of competent jurisdiction pending the decision in other courts or from instituting in any court of competent jurisdiction any proceedings for an interdict or any other injunctive relief. If the Supplier/Service Provider does not have a registered office in the South Africa it will at all times maintain an agent for service of process in South Africa and shall give Transnet the name and address of such agent as such may be amended, in writing, from time to time.

15 GENERAL

Completion or termination of an Order shall be without prejudice to any Term herein which by its nature would be deemed to continue after completion or termination, including but not limited to clauses **Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found.** and **Error! Reference source not found.** Headings are included herein for convenience only. If any Term herein be held illegal or unenforceable, the validity or enforceability of the remaining Terms shall not be affected. No failure or delay by Transnet to enforce any rights under these Terms will operate as a waiver thereof by Transnet. All rights and remedies available to either party under these Terms shall be in addition to, not to the exclusion of, rights otherwise available at law.

16 COUNTERPARTS

These Terms and conditions may be signed in any number of counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Any party may enter into this agreement by signing any such counterpart.

By signing this RFQ document, the Respondent is deemed to acknowledge that he/she has made himself/herself thoroughly familiar with all the conditions governing this RFQ, including those contained in any printed form stated to form part hereof and Transnet SOC Ltd will recognise no claim for relief based on an allegation that the Respondent overlooked any such condition or failed to properly take it into account for the purpose of calculating quoted prices or otherwise.

SIGNED at _____ on this _____ day of _____ 20__

.....
SIGNATURE OF RESPONDENT'S AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE

NAME: _____

DESIGNATION: _____

REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY: _____

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____

Respondent's contact person: [Please complete]

Name	:	_____
Designation	:	_____
Telephone	:	_____
Cell Phone	:	_____
Facsimile	:	_____
Email	:	_____
Website	:	_____



**Transnet urges its clients, suppliers and the general public to report any fraud or corruption to
TIP-OFFS ANONYMOUS : 0800 003 056**

.....
Respondent's Signature

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Date & Company Stamp

Section 4

VENDOR APPLICATION FORM

Transnet Supplier Declaration/Application

The Financial Director or Company Secretary

Transnet Vendor Management has received a request to load your company on to the Transnet vendor database. Please furnish us with the following to enable us to process this request:

1. Complete the "Supplier Declaration Form" (SDF) on page 2 of this letter
2. **Original** cancelled cheque **OR** letter from the bank verifying banking details (**with bank stamp**)
3. **Certified** copy of Identity document of Shareholders/Directors/Members (where applicable)
4. **Certified** copy of certificate of incorporation, CM29 / CM9 (name change)
5. **Certified** copy of share Certificates of Shareholders, CK1 / CK2 (if CC)
6. A letter with the company's letterhead confirming physical and postal addresses
7. **Original** or **certified** copy of SARS Tax Clearance certificate and Val registration certificate
8. A signed letter from the Auditor / Accountant confirming most recent annual turnover and percentage black ownership in the company **AND/OR** BBBEE certificate and detailed scorecard from an accredited rating agency (SANAS member).

NB:

- **Failure to submit the above documentation will delay the vendor creation process.**
- **Where applicable, the respective Transnet business unit processing your application may request further information from you. E.g. proof of an existence of a Service/Business contract between your business and the respective Transnet business unit etc.**

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- a) **If your annual turnover is less than R5 million**, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as an Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME). If your company is classified as an EME, please include in your submission, a signed letter from your Auditor / Accountant confirming your company's most recent annual turnover is less than R5 million and percentage of black ownership and black female ownership in the company **AND/OR** BBBEE certificate and detailed scorecard from an accredited rating agency (e.g. permanent SANAS member), should you feel you will be able to attain a better BBBEE score.
- b) **If your annual turnover is between R5 million and R35million**, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as a Qualifying Small Enterprise (QSE) and you claim a specific BBBEE level based on any 4 of the 7 elements of the BBBEE score-card, please include your BEE certificate in your submission as confirmation of your status.
NB: BBBEE certificate and detailed scorecard should be obtained from an accredited rating agency (e.g. permanent SANAS Member).
- c) **If your annual turnover is in excess of R35million**, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as a Large Enterprise and you claim a specific BEE level based on all seven elements of the BBBEE generic score-card. Please include your BEE certificate in your submission as confirmation of your status.
NB: BBBEE certificate and detailed scorecard should be obtained from an accredited rating agency (permanent SANAS Member).
- d) **To avoid PAYE tax being automatically deducted from any invoices received from you**, you must also contact the Transnet person who lodged this request on your behalf, so as to be correctly classified in terms of Tax legislation.
- e) Unfortunately, **No payments can be made to a vendor** until the vendor has been registered, and no vendor can be registered until the vendor application form, together with its supporting documentation, has been received and processed.
- f) **Please return the completed Supplier Declaration Form (SDF) together with the required supporting documents mentioned above to the Transnet Official who is intending to procure your company's services/products in order that he/she should complete and Internal Transnet Departmental Questionnaire before referring the matter to the appropriate Transnet Vendor Master Office.**

.....
Respondent's Signature

.....
Date & Company Stamp

Regards,

Supplier Declaration Form

Company Trading Name							
Company Registered Name							
Company Registration Number Or ID Number If A Sole Proprietor							
Form of entity	CC	Trust	Pty Ltd	Limited	Partnership	Sole Proprietor	
VAT number (if registered)							
Company Telephone Number							
Company Fax Number							
Company E-Mail Address							
Company Website Address							
Bank Name				Bank Account Number			
Postal Address						Code	
Physical Address						Code	
Contact Person							
Designation							
Telephone							
Email							
Annual Turnover Range (Last Financial Year)							
< R1 million		R1-5 million		R5-35 million		> R35 million	
Does Your Company Provide							
Products		Services		Both			
Area Of Delivery							
National		Provincial		Local			
Is Your Company A Public Or Private Entity							
Public		Private					
Does Your Company Have A Tax Director Or IRP30 Certificate							
Yes		No					
Main Product Or Service Supplied (E.G.: Stationery/Consulting)							
BEE Ownership Details							
% Black Ownership		% Black women ownership		% Disabled person/s ownership			
Does your company have a BEE certificate				Yes		No	
What is your Broad based BEE status (Level 1 to 9 / Unknown)							
How many personnel does the firm employ				Permanent		Part time	
Transnet Contact Person							
Contact number							
Transnet operating division							
Duly Authorised To Sign For And On Behalf Of Firm / Organisation							
Name				Designation			
Signature				Date			
Stamp And Signature Of Commissioner Of Oath							
Name				Date			
Signature				Telephone No.			

Respondent's Signature

Date & Company Stamp



ANNEXURE A

SPECIAL CONDITIONS PART A

1. Scope of work

1.1 This contract comprises the performance of general emergency repair work and minor "Day to Day" maintenance work (in the civil and water and sewer networks trades) to Transnet assets in Bloemfontein and within a 400 km radius of the Station...

1.2 The contract will be valid for a period of 24 months or until the total payment has reached an amount of R1 900 000 (excluding VAT), whichever occurs first.

1.2 The Contractor shall perform the work in accordance with this specification on an "as and when required" basis.

1.3 The Agreement referred to as the Main Agreement will be the binding document. Notwithstanding this the clauses in this Part A will take preference to that as in the Main Agreement.

1.4 The prices shall be ~~inclusive of traveling within 12 Km radius from the station~~. However, if the work is outside this 12 km then the contractor shall be compensated for this as per the Schedule of Rates and Prices under item 3.

Note this rate is from the 12 km radius to the requested work site and the price is inclusive of the return trip (only one way shall be paid for).

1.5 DEFINITIONS:

1.5.1 **Emergency Work** – means unforeseen maintenance work that needs to be repaired urgently and Emergency Work **MUST** commence within two hours of notification

1.5.2 **Day to Day work** – means maintenance work which unlike emergency work, is not classified as urgent and Day to Day work **MUST** commence within twenty-four hours of notification.

2. Site Location:

The sites are situated in the Bloemfontein area.



3. Contract documents:

A formal contract incorporating:-

- 3.1 Contract and General conditions of contract, and
- 3.2 Specification;
- 3.3 RFP Documents, and
- 3.4 Letter of confirmation of his RFP.

The bidders are required to acquaint themselves with the contents of the aforesaid documents and complete the following forms:

- **Notice to bidders**
- **Schedule of Rates and Prices**
- **Statement of work successfully completed.**
- **Vendor Declaration Form.**

4. Specification:

This specification comprises parts with headings as indicated: -

PART A - General & Special conditions	
PART B - Particular Specification	

The bidders are required to check the number of pages and should any be found to be missing or in duplicate or the figures or writing to be indistinct or should there be any doubt or obscurity as to the meaning of any particular word or phrase or descriptions or should bidders consider that any item is incorrectly or inadequately described they must inform the Senior Buyer, Supply Chain Services at once in writing under reference and have the matter rectified or explained as the case may be as no liability whatsoever will be admitted by Transnet in respect of errors in a tender due to the foregoing.

No alterations, erasures or additions of any kind shall be made by the bidder in, from or to any part of this specification unless expressly required to be made by written notice and should any unauthorized alterations, erasures or additions be made they will not be recognized by Transnet.

5. Conditions:

- 5.1 The Contractor shall provide sufficient communication facilities including a fax machine in order that he may be reached at any time and place during the duration of the contract. The Contractor must be available on a twenty-four hour basis and be able to respond to any emergency request within two hours after he is notified thereof;
- 5.2 The Contractor shall also provide:



5.2.1 Satisfactory proof of his or his staff's qualifications for the task required before Transnet will permit him/her to commence this task duty. Acceptable proof of qualifications shall be:

- a trade test diploma (plumber) from the Department of Manpower issued at a test centre; or
- a completed contract of apprenticeship; or 15 year experience in (plumber) work on pipelines and sewers lines
- Or any competency as need and recognized by the Department of Labour.

5.2.2 Proof that he is able to perform all kinds of general repair work:

If the workmanship is not of standard albeit that the incumbent who undertakes the work is qualified as per clause 3.2.1, Transnet reserves the right to ask that this incumbent be removed from doing work for Transnet.

The successful bidder shall give a list of his employees who shall perform the various tasks to Transnet.

5.2.3 Insurance cover and taxes/levies:

- The contractor is to ensure that he provides adequate insurance cover all as per that attached indemnity form, as Transnet shall not be liable for any claims that may arise due to the contractors neglect
- The Contractor shall pay any and all applicable taxes payable by the qualified artisans, workmen's compensation, duties of fees assessed or levied by the Central Government, Provincial or Local Authority or a regional service council as a result of the services provided by the Contractor in terms of this Agreement.

5.2.3 NB: THE CONTRACTORS DEPOT AND STAFF MUST BE STATIONED IN BLOEMFONTEIN.

6. Health and safety

The contractor shall perform all duties in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act 1993. The Form E4E is included and must be complied with.

7 Records to be kept:

The contractor shall keep daily records, time sheets and such other records or documents as may be necessary to enable the parties to determine exactly how many hours per day (including overtime) the Contractor has been in Transnet's service:



8. Sub-contractor

The Contractor shall not assign his obligations under the contract, nor sublet the contract work or any part thereof without the consent of the Manager. Breach of this condition will entitle Transnet to cancel the contract forthwith.

9. Price structure and payment

When making a claim for payment, the Contractor shall submit an informal claim for the consideration of the Technical Advisor. Only upon agreement being reached on the amount to be included in the payment certificate, will the Contractor be required to submit a complete and correct VAT invoice. Payment will be effected on or before the end of the calendar month following the calendar month in which the work was performed.

Please note: A maximum of 23 interim payments (based on work completed on a monthly basis, after the receipt of a VAT invoice) The Contractor must indicate on his Tax Invoice Transnet Freight Rail's reference number, description of the work, Labour amount, material amount, kilometers travelled and the amount claimed (attach copy of material tax invoice) and a final payment will be made.

10. VAT

Rates shall be quoted exclusive of Value Added Tax. Provision is made in the Summary of Prices for the lumpsum addition of Value Added Tax.

10. Impossibility of performance

Should any of the obligations of any party to this Agreement become objectively impossible of performance, such party shall be exempted from its obligations under this Agreement, if:

- The circumstances that rendered performance impossible was enforceable at the time of contracting and the party concerned displayed reasonable care and diligence in attempting to avoid the consequences thereof, or
- The circumstances that rendered performance impossible was foreseeable at the time of contracting but was beyond the control of the party concerned, provided that such party could not reasonably have expected to have taken it into account in undertaking his contractual obligations and displayed reasonable care and diligence in attempting to avoid the consequences thereof
- Such exemption shall, however, operate only for the period during which the relevant circumstance prevails. Notice of such circumstances shall be conveyed to the other party in writing without delay.



11. Breach

In the event of the Contractor failing to do the work or task as requested this will be a breach of the Agreement, and persisting or repeating such conduct, after having received written notice by the party to remedy such breach within seven (7) days after receiving the notice, the aggrieved party may forthwith cancel this Agreement by written notice to the other party. Furthermore all cost incurred by Transnet owing to this breach could be recovered by Transnet:

12. General

The parties choose as domicile citandi ex executandi and also to which any notice arising from the Agreement can be forwarded, the address as stated in the Agreement.

13. Advertising rights

The Contractor acknowledge that he is acquainted with the provisions of section 14(2) of the Merchandise Marks Act of 1941, in terms of which he is prohibited from advertising the fact that he is a Contractor to Transnet unless the written authority of Transnet thereto has first been obtained. Transnet reserves all advertising rights on Transnet's property.

The Contractor shall not trade on Transnet's property.

14. Compliance with statutes

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Workman's Compensation Act, 1941, as amended; the Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1993, (Act 85 of 1993)

Provincial Ordinances and Local Authority By-Laws, and all relevant Regulations framed there under. Compliance with all applicable legislation shall be entirely at the Contractor's cost.

15. Supervision

The Manager will delegate a responsible Project Manager to take control of the supervision and management of the agreement. The contractor shall only respond to instructions given by the appointed Project Manager writing, any instruction that is not given via the delegated manager will be null and void.

16. Damages to property

The successful bidder shall take adequate precautions against damage to existing assets during the course of the agreement. An Indemnity form shall be filled in by the successful bidder.

17. Validity period of tender

This RFP shall remain valid for a period of 90 days after the closing date of the RFP.



18. Inspection of work

During the progress of the agreement, all materials used and all work being undertaken by the Contractor shall be subjected to periodic inspections.

Should at any stage in the progress of the said works, an inspection visit or test reveal any defects due to improper materials or workmanship or any other fault or neglect on the part of the Contractor, such defective materials or workmanship shall immediately be replaced or remedied by the Contractor at his own expense and to the entire satisfaction of the authorized representative.

19. Period of appointment

The Contractor appointment in terms of this Agreement shall commence from the notification date and continue thereafter for a period of 24 months or R1 900 000.00 (excluding VAT) in monetary terms.

20. Penalties for delay

The contractor shall be required to complete each part of the work as given in the site instruction book within a period as agreed to by Transnet's representative.

Notwithstanding that above emergency work shall be reacted upon immediately and the situation made safe and if a burst pipe the water shutdown to prevent waste. Furthermore that repair work shall be then repaired as soon as practically possible.

Failing completion of the work within the period as stipulated above, the contractor shall pay to Transnet as penalty the sum of R200.00 (Two Hundred Rand) for every day or part thereof during which the works remain incomplete.

21. Water supply:

Water may be made available for the purpose of construction of the works only. The water shall be used conservatively and if not, this privilege shall be removed and the water shall be metered, and the cost of the metered water shall be borne by the Contractor as well as all charges as entertained by Transnet. The Contractor must supply all connections, hoses, etc., as necessary. The constant supply of water is not guaranteed

22. Electricity supply:

Electricity may be made available to the Contractor. The contractor must adhere to the safety standards as per the General Safety Regulations, Electrical Machine Regulations, Electrical Installation Regulations of the **Health and Safety Act**, (Act 85 of 1993) and SABS 0142. The Contractor must supply all connections, extension leads, etc., as necessary. The constant supply of electricity is not guaranteed



24. Access to site:

The areas are restricted and the contractor must ensure he complies with the regulations of Transnet in every way. Contractor and/or any sub-contractors shall be required to apply for permission to enter the restricted area in writing. A list of workmen shall be given to the manager to arrange for the necessary permits. 48 Hours minimum notice is necessary for the processing these permits. This includes changes to staff during the contract period.

25. Materials found on site:

The Contractor shall not use on the works any materials found on the site without the prior written consent of the manager. No material that is lying on the site (other than that from this agreement) or on Transnet's property, may be removed (even if deemed as scrap) by the contractor.

26. Clearing of site:

The Contractor shall provide for cleaning up and sorting all rubbish and debris of whatever kind throughout the duration of the agreement. Upon completion the Contractor shall clear away and remove all rubbish, unused material, plant and debris and leave the site and the whole of the works clean and tidy to the satisfaction of the Project Manager.

Working outside normal working hours:

Notwithstanding the Agreement the normal working hours are between 07:30 and 16:00 Mondays to Fridays. If it is required to work outside the stated normal working hours the Contractor must obtain written permission at least 24 hours before such work needs to be undertaken. Transnet will not unreasonably withhold permission; however the Contractor may have to pay for Transnet's supervisory personnel.

27. Safety precautions and Insurance:

27.1 Damage to Transnet's Assets and liability

The contractor shall provide the insurance for the following: -

- ◆ Contract Work; (this insurance excludes the old (scrap) material removed from the structure such as the roof sheeting)
- ◆ Public Liability;

27.2. Act 85

The contractor shall comply with the Occupational Health & Safety Act, 1993 (Act 85 of 1993).

27.3 Environment

The Contractor shall, at all times, comply with the statutes that prohibit pollution of any kind. These statutes are enacted in the following legislation.



- The National Environmental Management Act, 107/1998;
- The Environmental Conservation Act, 73/1989; and
- The National Water Act, 36/1998.

The Contractor shall appoint a responsible person to ensure that no incident shall occur on site that could cause pollution. Where the Contractor was negligent and caused any form of pollution the damage shall be rectified at the Contractors cost.

27.4 Additional documents and numbers to be supplied

Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, 1993

Registration number: _____

VAT Registration Number: _____

A certified copy of the Compensation form, VAT relevant form as well as the ID document must be submitted with tender documents.

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ANNEXURE B

PARTICULAR SPECIFICATION PART B

1. GENERAL

1.1 Standard Specification

In so far as they can be applied and where they are not inconsistent with the terms of this specification, the following specifications shall be regarded as being embodied in this specification.

1.1.1 Transnet's Specifications (Enclosed)

Specification for work on, over, under or adjacent to railway lines and near high voltage equipment E7/1

1.1.2 SABS Specifications (To be obtained by the tenderer)

CIVIL STANDARDS	SABS 1200
NATIONAL BUILDING REGULATIONS	SABS 0400
Water Supply and drainage for buildings:	
PART 1 WATER	SABS 0252-1
PART 2 DRAINAGE	SABS 0252-2

Guidelines for the provision of Engineering services in Residential Townships - by Department of Community Development

JASWICK Approval for all plumbing fittings and pipes.

1.2 To be supplied by the Contractor

1.2.1 Costs to be include in Labour Rates

The Contractor shall provide all labour, transport, consumable stores, plant, equipment, tools, services, and ingredients of every description required for the carrying out and the proper completion of the Works as required and the costs thereof shall be INCLUDED in the rates.

NOTE - Typical Plant and equipment to be supplied include.

An item such as a small portable generator to provide power for a "Light" or "electric hand tools", or small water pump required to empty a small excavation (60 minutes of pumping) is not consider as "Hired Plant" but such items are included in items to be supplied by the contractor as specified above.

1.2.2 Material (Will be paid for)

The Contractor shall purchase and provide all material required for the proper completion of the works.

These cost shall be paid for as per the amounts reflected on the Invoice of the supplier plus the percentage "Mark up for handling Charge" as per the Schedule of rates.

The suppliers Invoice will submitted when making a claim



1.2.3 Hire of Plant and Equipment (Will be paid for)

The Contractor shall hire and provide all Large items of Plant or Equipment, over and above the normal tools of the trade, required for the proper completion of the works.

These cost shall be paid for as per the amounts reflected on the Invoice of the supplier plus the percentage "Mark up for handling Charge" as per the Schedule of rates.

The suppliers Invoice will submitted when making a claim

Examples of "Hired Plant":-

The hire of and excavator.

Large Compressor with Jack Hammers or Concrete Mixer.

Large Water pump for continuous pumping of water over an extended period.

1.3. Instructions to the contractor

All instructions to the Contractor shall be confirmed in writing and only requests that are received in writing, (Fax or written in the recognized S book) will be accepted for payment.

Where work is of an emergency nature, the Project Manager may give a verbal instruction that must be confirmed in writing as soon as possible.

No work must be performed without a reference number.

The contractor shall then record in writing the event/incident in detail Using Annexure 1 (Claim /Quote form) detailing the work performed

Example, say a burst pipe:

- Date and time received the request
- Reaction Time :- Date and time that the work was started
- Date and time that the work was completed.
- The size of the pipe
- The depth of the pipe in the ground (top of pipe to ground level)
- The position of the pipe in relation to buildings (measure distance from corners of buildings, two measurements and give asset number of the building)
- State labour used to perform the work.
- State all the material used to repair the pipe (Invoice Required)
- State all the Plant that had to be hired (Invoice Required)

PLEASE NOTE:

- For "Day to Day work" a quote may be requested, before the work commences in which case the Contractor will fully complete the Annexure 1 and submit to the Project Manager for approval.:
- The Project Manger, if required, may request that a detailed Material quotation from a supplier be submitted.



- Should there be any disagreement between the Project Manager and the Contractor the items will be negotiable and agreed upon.

1.4 Site meetings

The Contractor shall be called upon to attend meetings on the site to ensure that the works is undertaking correctly and complies with the specification.

1.5 Recording of the works

The Contractor shall keep and maintain accurate records in the site diary of all work so that the extent of the work relative to tests carried out on the material can readily be determined.

1.6 Setting out of the works

The setting out of the work shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor and shall be done in accordance with the "Guidelines for the provision of Engineering Services in Residential Townships" by The Department of Community Development.

1.7 Keep site tidy:

The Contractor shall keep the site tidy at all times and remove all old material and such as rubble, off-cuts, demolished material, surplus material and carry away and dump or store onto or at an approved site.

A permit must be obtained from the Municipalities to transport material on their roads, when required.

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SECTION 2

2.1 EARTHWORKS

2.1.1 Disposal of soil

All excavated material, and other surplus material or backfill shall be cared and disposed of by the contractor to an approved dump site.

2.1.2 Excavation generally

The excavation to the base of the lowest layer of imported material shall be done to the cross slopes, net width, etcetera, all as indicated in the site instruction book or drawing (where given). Trench excavation to be in accordance with SABS 1200 - risk of collapse, dealing with ground water, seepage and keeping the excavation free from water, backfilling, working space.

2.1.3 Pipes, services, cables and fittings

The Contractor shall verify the location of underground services on site. The contractor shall take special precautions not to damage any water pipes, cables, sewer mains, services or fittings. If any of the aforementioned is damaged, it shall be for the contractors account.

2.1.4 Compaction of the insitu The contractor shall water and compact the upper 150mm of the insitu material, and as described in clauses 2.2.1, 2.2.2 and 2.2.3 before placement of any material in the next layer. (See Clause 10 of PART A) The insitu material shall have at least 93 % Mod AASHTO density.

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SECTION 3

3.1 Adhere to the time

Adhere to the time allowed per task/request given by representative, based on times as laid down in Transnet's bonus work manuals / schedules or on manufacturer's standard times, without neglecting the standard of workmanship.

Be subject to the control, authority and supervision of Transnet.

3.2 Quality

In the event of Transnet in its sole discretion, being dissatisfied for whatever reason with any or all of the work performed by the Contractor, Transnet shall forthwith notify the Contractor thereof. The Contractor shall then forthwith redo the complete work at his own expense to the satisfaction of Transnet.

Guarantee the quality of his workmanship for a period of four (4) months.

3.3 Traveling:

See clause 1.4 of the Part A as no traveling time is allowed for within the radius of 12 km from the station. Therefore, the price is inclusive of traveling in this zone.

If work is outside this zoning that the contractor shall be compensated for this via a rate as per the schedule of quantities. This shall be from the 12 km radius to the requested work. This price is inclusive of return trip. NOTE: rate is only for one way the return trip is not allowed for and must be included in the rate.

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WRITTEN INSTRUCTION FORM

FOR THE AS AND WHEN MAINTENANCE AND EMERGENCY OF CIVIL WORK TO VARIOUS AND SEWER NETWORKS, BLOEMFONTEIN REGION.

FAULTS.

<u>REFERENCE</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ASSET No.</u>

PLEASE NOTE:
Should the cumulative amount spent approach the **R1 900 000.00** limits, the issue of work will be curtailed.

MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR
PROPERTY

TECHNICAL

SERVICES

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Annexure 1

WR/

CLAIM FORM / QUOTE FORM PART B

REQUEST: _____

CONTRACTOR, TRADING AS: _____

TELEPHONE _____ FAX _____ CELL _____

REPORTED DATE _____ TIME _____ Via Fax or Site Construction Book _____

DATE STARTED _____ TIME _____ DATE COMPLETED _____ TIME _____

IF WATER PIPE OR SEWER OR STORM WATER

Depth of pipe _____ Size of pipe _____ Type of Pipe _____

Position of fault i.e. distance from building/structure/mast post/fence post, etc.
X _____ metre from _____ Y _____ metre from _____

COSTS:

Materials R C

Plant/equipment

Labour

Travel

For use by Transnet Freight Rail's Representative:

Approved _____ Adjustments if any _____

GL _____ CoCe _____ Asset _____

Purchase Order Number _____



ANNEXURE 2: QUOTATION/AUTHORITY FORM: PART B:				
RFQ No. WR/				
FROM:		TO:		
DISCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Material				
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
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				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
				R
			Material costs	R
			Plus handling costs %	R
Sub-Total (A)				R
TOTAL CARRIED FORWARD				R

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TOTAL BROUGHT FORWARD R

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Normal hours 07: 00 -- 17: 00				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only) (Only for outside of the 12km radius)		Km		R
Sub-Total (A)				R

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	
Over time				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only) (Only for outside of the 12km radius)		Km		R
Sub-Total (B)				R

Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Saturday				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only) (Only for outside of the 12km radius)		Km		R
Sub-Total (C)				R

TOTAL CARRIED FORWARD R



TOTAL BROUGHT FORWARD				R
Maintenance/breakdowns	QTY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	RATE
Sunday/Public holiday				
Foreman Standard rate		Hour		R
Bricklayer Standard rate		Hour		R
Plumber Standard rate		Hour		R
General Worker only		Hour		R
Traveling costs (One Way Only) (Only for outside of the 12km radius)		Km		R
Sub-Total (D)				R
Sub-Totals (A+B+C+D)				R
Add 14% VAT				R
TOTAL:-				R

Approved: _____ Adjustments if any: _____

GL _____ CoCe _____ Asset: _____ PO: _____

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APPLICATION AND INDEMNITY

I/We _____ in my/our capacity as _____
and being duly authorized to represent _____ hereby apply to
TRANSNET on my/our behalf for permission to enter into TRANSNET'S properties in the Free State
(hereinafter referred to as the "permission").

I/We hereby agree to accept liability and agree to pay all charges that may be raised by
TRANSNET in respect of labour, material, use of plant, vehicles or craft, etc. in connection with
or arising from the permission to work.

I/We hereby indemnify TRANSNET against liability for any damage caused to my/our property
or that of my/our client and also indemnify TRANSNET against:

- i) Any damage to its property;
- ii) Liability in respect of any damage to the property of third parties;
- iii) liability in respect of death of or injury to any employee of
TRANSNET or the death of or injury to any third party;
- iv) any legal costs or expenses reasonably incurred in connection with
Claims or actions arising out of any of the foregoing;

whenever the damage, injury or death contemplated above is due to or arises out of the
permission to work, or the use of any article or thing in connection with the performance of
the work; provided that the party giving this indemnity shall incur no liability hereunder for
any damage, injury or death which is due to willful misconduct or gross negligence on the part
of TRANSNET or any of its employees.

SIGNED _____ on this _____ day of _____ 20

(CONTRACTOR)

AS WITNESSES:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____



ANNEXTURE C

Safety Arrangements – Act 85 of 1993 and Regulations E4E

SAFETY ARRANGEMENTS AND PROCEDURAL COMPLIANCE WITH THE OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT (ACT 85 OF 1993) AND APPLICABLE REGULATIONS

1. General

- 1.1 The Contractor and Transnet Limited (hereinafter referred to as "Transnet") are individual employers, each in its own right, with their respective duties and obligations set out in the Occupational Health and Safety Act, Act 85 of 1993 (the Act) and applicable Regulations.
- 1.2 The Contractor accepts, in terms of the General Conditions of Contract and in terms of the Act, his obligations as an employer in respect of all persons in his employ, other persons on the premises or the Site or place of work or on the work to be executed by him, and under his control. He shall, before commencement with the execution of the contract work, comply with the provisions set out in the Act, and shall implement and maintain a Health and Safety Plan as described in the Construction Regulations, 2003 and as approved by Transnet on the Site and place of work for the duration of the Contract.
- 1.3 The Contractor accepts his obligation to complying fully with the Act and applicable Regulations notwithstanding the omission of some of the provisions of the Act and the Regulations from this document.
- 1.4 Transnet accepts, in terms of the Act, its obligations as an employer of its own employees working on or associated with the site or place of work, and the Contractor and Technical Officer or his deputy shall at all times cooperate in respect of the health and safety management of the site, and shall agree on the practical arrangements and procedures to be implemented and maintained during execution of the Work.
- 1.5 In the event of any discrepancies between any legislation and this specification, the applicable legislation will take precedence.

2. Definitions

- 2.1 In this Specification any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Construction Regulations, shall have the meaning so assigned to it, unless the context otherwise indicates: -
- 2.2 The work included in this Contract shall for the purposes of compliance with the Act be deemed to be "**Construction Work**", which, in terms of the Construction Regulations, 2003 means any work in connection with: -



- (a) The erection, maintenance, alteration, renovation, repair, demolition or dismantling of or addition to a building or any similar structure;
 - (b) the installation, erection, dismantling or maintenance of fixed plant where such work includes the risk of a person falling;
 - (c) the construction, maintenance, demolition or dismantling of any bridge, dam, canal, road, railway, runway, sewer or water reticulation system or any similar civil engineering structure; or
 - (d) the moving of earth, clearing of land, the making of an excavation, piling, or any similar type of work;
- 2.3 **"competent person"** in relation to construction work, means any person having the knowledge, training and experience specific to the work or task being performed: Provided that where appropriate qualifications and training are registered as per the South African Qualifications Authority Act, 1995 these qualifications and training shall be deemed to be the required qualifications and training;
- 2.4 **"Contractor"** means principal contractor and "subcontractor" means contractor as defined by the Construction Regulations, 2003.
- 2.5 **"fall protection plan"** means a documented plan, of all risks relating to working from an elevated position, considering the nature of work undertaken, and setting out the procedures and methods applied to eliminate the risk;
- 2.6 **"health and safety file"** means a file, or other record in permanent form, containing the information required to be kept on site in accordance with the Act and applicable Regulations;
- 2.7 **"Health and Safety Plan "** means a documented plan which addresses the hazards identified and include safe work procedures to mitigate, reduce or control the hazards identified;
- 2.8 **"Risk Assessment"** means a programme to determine any risk associated with any hazard at a construction site, in order to identify the steps needed to be taken to remove, reduce or control such hazard;
- 2.9 **"the Act"** means the Occupational Health and Safety Act No. 85 of 1993.

3. Procedural Compliance

- 3.1 The Contractor who intends to carry out any construction work shall, before carrying out such work, notify the Provincial Director in writing if the construction work:-

Includes the demolition of a structure exceeding a height of 3 meters; or

Includes the use of explosives to perform construction work; or



- (c) includes the dismantling of fixed plant at a height greater than 3m, and shall also notify the Provincial Director in writing when the construction work exceeds 30 days or will involve more than 300 person days of construction work and if the construction work:-
- (d) Includes excavation work deeper than 1m; or
- (e) Includes working at a height greater than 3 meters above ground or a landing.

The notification to the Provincial Director shall be on a form similar to Annexure A of the Construction Regulations, 2003, also shown in Annexure 1 of this Specification. The Contractor shall ensure that a copy of the completed notification form is kept on site for inspection by an inspector, Technical Officer or employee.

The Contractor shall, in accordance with the Act and applicable Regulations, make all the necessary appointments of competent persons in writing on a form similar to Annexure 2 of this Specification and deliver copies thereof to the Technical Officer. Copies should also be retained on the health and safety file.

Subcontractors shall also make the above written appointments and the Contractor shall deliver copies thereof to the Technical Officer.

In the case of a self-employed Contractor or any subcontractor who has the appropriate competencies and supervises the work himself, the appointment of a construction supervisor in terms of regulation 6.1 of the Construction Regulations, 2003 will not be necessary. The Contractor shall in such a case execute and sign a declaration, as in Annexure 3, by which he personally undertakes the duties and obligations of the "Chief Executive Officer" in terms of section 16(1) of the Act.

The Contractor shall, before commencing any work, obtain from the Technical Officer an access certificate as in Annexure 4 executed and signed by him, permitting and limiting access to the designated site or place of work by the Contractor and any subcontractors under his control.

Procedures for compliance with Act and Regulations, as above, shall also apply to any subcontractors as employers in their own right. The Contractor shall furnish the Technical Officer with full particulars of such subcontractors and shall ensure that they comply with the Act and Regulations and Protekon's safety requirements and procedures.

4. Special Permits

Where special permits are required before work may be carried out such as for hot work, isolation permits, work permits and occupations, the Contractor shall apply to the Technical Officer or the relevant authority for such permits to be issued. The Contractor shall strictly comply with the conditions and requirements pertaining to the issue of such permits.

5. Health and Safety Programme



- 5.1 The Tenderer shall, with his tender, submit a Health and Safety Programme setting out the practical arrangements and procedures to be implemented by him to ensure compliance by him with the Act and Regulations and particularly in respect of: -
- (i) The provision, as far as is reasonably practical, of a working environment that is safe and without risk to the health of his employees and subcontractors in terms of section 8 of the Act;
 - (ii) the execution of the contract work in such a manner as to ensure in terms of section 9 of the Act that persons other than those in the Contractor's employment, who may be directly affected by the contract work are not thereby exposed to hazards to their health and safety;
 - (iii) ensuring, as far as is reasonably practical, in terms of section 37 of the Act that no employee or subcontractor of the Contractor does or omits to do any act which would be an offence for the Contractor to do or omit to do.
- 5.2 The Contractor's Health and Safety Programme shall be based on a risk assessment in respect of the hazards to health and safety of his employees and other persons under his control that are associated with or directly affected by the Contractor's activities in performing the contract work and shall establish precautionary measures as are reasonable and practical in protecting the safety and health of such employees and persons.
- 5.3 The Contractor shall cause a risk assessment contemplated in clause 5.2 above to be performed by a competent person, appointed in writing, before commencement of any Construction Work and reviewed during construction. The Risk Assessments shall form part of the Health and Safety programme to be applied on the site and shall include at least the following:
- (a) The identification of the risks and hazards that persons may be exposed to;
 - (b) The analysis and evaluation of the hazards identified;
 - (c) A documented Health and Safety Plan, including safe work procedures to mitigate, reduce or control the risks identified;
 - (d) A monitoring and review plan.
- 5.4 The Health and Safety Plan shall include full particulars in respect of: -
- (a) The safety management structure to be instituted on site or place of work and the names of the Contractor's health and safety representatives and members of safety committees where applicable;
 - (b) The safe working methods and procedures to be implemented to ensure the work are performed in compliance with the Act and Regulations;
 - (c) The safety equipment, devices and clothing to be made available by the Contractor to his



employees;

- (d) The site access control measures pertaining to health and safety to be implemented;
- (e) the arrangements in respect of communication of health and safety related matters and incidents between the Contractor, his employees, subcontractors and the Technical Officer with particular reference to the reporting of incidents in compliance with Section 24 and General Administrative Regulation 8 of the Act and with the pertinent clause of the General Conditions of Contract forming part of the Contract and
- (f) The introduction of control measures for ensuring that the Safety Plan is maintained and monitored for the duration of the Contract.

5.4 The Health and Safety programme shall be subject to the Technical Officer's approval and he may, in consultation with the Contractor, order that additional and/or supplementary practical arrangements and procedures be implemented and maintained by the Contractor or that different working methods or safety equipment be used or safety clothes be issued (which, in the Technical Officer's opinion, are necessary to ensure full compliance by the Contractor with his obligations as an employer in terms of the Act and Regulations. The Technical Officer or his deputy shall be allowed to attend meetings of the Contractor's safety committee as an observer.

5.5 The Contractor shall take reasonable steps to ensure that each subcontractor's Health and Safety Plan is implemented and maintained on the construction site: Provided that the steps taken shall include periodic audits at intervals mutually agreed to between them, but at least once every month.

5.6 The Contractor shall stop any subcontractor from executing any construction work, which is not in accordance with the Contractor's and/or subcontractor's Health and Safety Plan for the site or which poses a threat to the health and safety of persons.

5.7 The Contractor shall ensure that a copy of the Health and Safety Plan is available on site for inspection by an inspector, Technical Officer, agent, subcontractor, employee, registered employee organization, health and safety representative or any member of the health and safety committee.

5.8 The Contractor shall consult with the health and safety committee or, if no health and safety committee exists, with a representative group of employees, on the development, monitoring and review of the Risk Assessment.

5.9 The Contractor shall ensure that all employees under his control are informed, instructed and trained by a competent person regarding any hazard and the related work procedures before any work commences, and thereafter at such times as may be determined in the Risk Assessment.

5.10 The Contractor shall ensure that all subcontractors are informed regarding any hazard as stipulated in the Risk Assessment before any work commences, and thereafter at such times as may be determined in the Risk Assessment.



5.11 The Contractor shall ensure that all visitors to a construction site undergoes health and safety induction pertaining to the hazards prevalent on the site and shall be provided with the necessary personal protective equipment.

6. Fall Protection Plan

6.1 In the event of the risk and hazard identification, as required in terms of clause 5.3 of this Specification, revealing risks relating to working from an elevated position the contractor shall cause the designation of a competent person, responsible for the preparation of a fall protection plan;

6.2 The Contractor shall implement, maintain and monitor the fall protection plan for the duration of Contract. The Contractor shall also take such steps to ensure the continued adherence to the fall protection plan.

6.3 The fall protection plan shall include:-

- (a) A Risk Assessment of all work carried out from an elevated position;
- (b) the procedures and methods to address all the identified risks per location;
- (c) the evaluation of the employees physical and psychological fitness necessary to work at elevated positions;
- (d) the training of employees working from elevated positions; and
- (e) The procedure addressing the inspection, testing and maintenance of all fall protection equipment

7. Hazards and Potential Hazardous Situations

The Contractor and the Technical Officer shall immediately notify one another of any hazardous or potentially hazardous situations which may arise during performance of the Contract by the Contractor or any subcontractor and, in particular, of such hazards as may be caused by the design, execution and/or location and any other aspect pertaining to the contract work.

8. Health and Safety File

8.1 The Contractor shall ensure that a health and safety file is opened and kept on site and shall include all documentation required as per the Act and applicable regulations, and made available to an inspector, the Technical Officer, or subcontractor upon request.

8.2 The Contractor shall ensure that a copy of the both his Health and Safety Plan as well as any subcontractor's Health and Safety Plan is available on request to an employee, inspector, contractor or the Technical Officer.



- 8.3 The Contractor shall hand over a consolidated health and safety file to the Technical Officer upon completion of the Construction Work and shall in addition to documentation mentioned in the Act and applicable Regulations include a record of all drawings, designs, materials used and other similar information concerning the completed structure.

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ANNEXTURE D

Railway Lines and High Voltage Equipment E7/1

E7/1 (July 1998)

SPECIFICATION FOR WORKS ON, OVER, UNDER OR ADJACENT TO RAILWAY LINES AND NEAR HIGH VOLTAGE EQUIPMENT

(This Specification shall be used in Transnet Contracts)

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1 DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply:

Authorised Person. A person whether an employee of Transnet or not, who has been specially authorised to undertake specific duties in terms of Transnet's publication SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS: HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, and who holds a certificate or letter of authority to that effect.

Barrier. Any device designed to restrict access to "live" high-voltage electrical equipment.

Bond. A short conductor installed to provide electrical continuity.

Contractor. Any person or organisation appointed by Transnet to carry out work on its behalf.

Dead. Isolated and earthed.

Electrical Officer (Contracts). The person appointed in writing by the responsible Electrical Engineer in Transnet as the person who shall be consulted by the Contractor in all electrical matters to ensure that adequate safety precautions are taken by the Contractor.

Executive Officer. The person appointed by Transnet from time to time as the Executive Officer to act according to the rights and powers held by and obligations placed upon him in terms of the Contract.

High-Voltage. A voltage normally exceeding 1 000 volts.

Live. A conductor is said to be "live" when it is at a potential different from that of the earth or any other conductor of the system of which it forms a part.

Near. To be in such a position that a person's body or the tools he is using or any equipment he is handling may come within 3 metres of live exposed high-voltage electrical equipment.

Occupation. An authorisation granted by Transnet for work to be carried out under specified conditions on, over, under or adjacent to railway lines.

Occupation between Trains. An occupation during an interval between successive trains.

Project Manager. The person or juristic person appointed by Transnet from time to time as the Project Manager, to administer the Contract according to the powers and rights held by and obligations placed upon him in terms of the Contract.

Responsible Representative. The responsible person in charge, appointed by a contractor, who has undergone specific training (and holds a certificate) to supervise staff under his control to work on, over, under or adjacent to railway lines and in the vicinity of high-voltage electrical equipment.



Technical Officer. The person or juristic person appointed by Transnet from time to time as the Technical Officer, to administer the Contractor's performance and execution of the Works according to the powers and rights held by and obligations placed upon the Technical Officer in terms of the Contract.

Total Occupation. An occupation for a period when trains are not to traverse the section of line covered by the occupation.

Work on. Work undertaken on or so close to the equipment that the specified working clearances to the live equipment cannot be maintained.

Work Permit. A combined written application and authority to proceed with work on or near dead electrical equipment.

PART A - GENERAL SPECIFICATION

2. AUTHORITY OF OFFICERS OF TRANSNET

- 2.1 The Contractor shall co-operate with the officers of Transnet and shall comply with all instructions issued and restrictions imposed with respect to the Works which bear on the existence and operation of Transnet's railway lines and high-voltage equipment.
- 2.2 Without limiting the generality of the provisions of 2.1, any duly authorised representative of Transnet, having identified himself, may stop the work if, in his opinion, the safe passage of trains or the safety of Transnet assets or any person is affected. **CONSIDERATIONS OF SAFETY SHALL TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER ALL OTHER CONSIDERATIONS.**

3. CONTRACTOR'S REPRESENTATIVES

- 3.1 The Contractor shall nominate Responsible Representatives of whom at least one shall be available at any hour for call out in cases of emergency. The Contractor shall provide the Technical Officer with the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the representatives.
- 3.2 The Contractor guarantees that he has satisfied himself that the Responsible Representative is fully conversant with this specification and that he shall comply with all his obligations in respect thereof.

4. OCCUPATIONS AND WORK PERMITS

- 4.1 Work to be done during total occupation or during an occupation between trains or under a work permit shall be done in a manner decided by the Technical Officer and at times to suit Transnet requirements.
- 4.2 The Contractor shall organise the Works in a manner, which will minimise the number and duration of occupations and work permits required.
- 4.3 Transnet will not be liable for any financial or other loss suffered by the Contractor arising from his failure to complete any work scheduled during the period of an occupation or work permit.



- 4.4 The Contractor shall submit to the Technical Officer, in writing, requests for occupations or work permits together with details of the work to be undertaken, at least 14 days before they are required. Transnet does not undertake to grant an occupation or work permit for any particular date, time or duration.
- 4.5 Transnet reserves the right to cancel any occupation or work permit at any time before or during the period of occupation or work permit. If, due to cancellation or change in date or time, the Contractor is not permitted to start work under conditions of total occupation or work permit at the time arranged, all costs caused by the cancellation shall be born by the Contractor except as provided for in clauses 4.6 to 4.8.
- 4.6 When the Contractor is notified less than 2 hours before the scheduled starting time that the occupation or work permit is cancelled, he may claim reimbursement of his direct financial losses caused by the loss of working time up to the time his labour and plant are employed on other work, but not exceeding the period of the cancelled occupation or work permit.
- 4.7 When the Contractor is notified less than 2 hours before the schedule starting time, or during an occupation or work permit, that the duration of the occupation or work permit is reduced, he may claim reimbursement of his direct financial losses caused by the loss of working time due to the reduced duration of the occupation or work permit.
- 4.8 Reimbursement the Contractor for any loss of working time in terms of 4.6 and 4.7, shall be subject to his claims being submitted within 14 days of the event with full details of labour and plant involved, and provided that the Technical Officer certifies that no other work on which the labour and plant could be employed was immediately available.
- 4.9 Before starting any work for which an occupation has been arranged, the Contractor shall obtain from the Technical Officer written confirmation of the date, time and duration of the occupation.
- 4.10 Before starting any work for which a work permit has been arranged, the Responsible Representative shall read and sign portion C of form no. T.1276 signifying that he is aware of the limits within which work may be undertaken. After the work for which the permit was granted has been completed, or when the work permit is due to be terminated, or if the permit is cancelled after the start, the same person who signed portion C shall sign portion D of the T.1276 form, thereby acknowledging that he is aware that the electrical equipment is to be made "live". The Contractor shall advise all his workmen accordingly.

5. **SPEED RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTION**

- 5.1 When speed restrictions are imposed by Transnet because of the Contractor's activities, the Contractor shall organise and carry out his work so as to permit the removal of the restrictions as soon as possible.
- 5.2 When the Technical Officer considers protection to be necessary the Contractor shall, unless otherwise agreed, provide all protection including flagmen, other personnel and all equipment for the protection of Transnet's and the Contractor's personnel and assets, the public and including trains. Transnet will provide



training free of charge of the Contractor's flagmen and other personnel performing protection duties. The Contractor shall consult with the Technical Officer, whenever he considers that protection will be necessary, taking into account the minimum permissible clearances set out in appendixes 1 to 4.

5.3 The Contractor shall appoint a Responsible Representative to receive and transmit any instruction, which may be given by Transnet personnel providing protection.

6. **ROADS ON TRANSNET PROPERTY**

The provision of clause 25 of the E.5, General Conditions of Contract or clause 23 of the E.5 (MW), General Conditions of Contract for Maintenance Works, shall apply to the use of existing roads on Transnet's property.

7. **CLEARANCES**

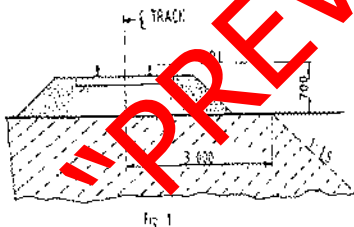
7.1 No temporary works shall encroach on the appropriate minimum clearances set out in Annexure 1 BE97-01 Sheets 1, 2, 3 and 5 of 5.

8. **STACKING OF MATERIAL**

8.1 The Contractor shall not stack any material closer than 3 m from the centre line of any railway line without prior approval of the Technical Officer.

9. **EXCAVATION, SHORING, DEWATERING AND DRAINAGE**

9.1 Unless otherwise approved by the Technical Officer any excavation adjacent to a railway line shall not encroach on the hatched area shown in Figure 1.



9.2 The Contractor shall provide at his own cost any shoring, dewatering or drainage of any excavation unless otherwise stipulated elsewhere in the Contract.

9.3 Where required by the Technical Officer, drawings of shoring for any excavation under or adjacent to a railway line shall be submitted and permission to proceed obtained, before the excavation is commenced.



9.4 The Contractor shall prevent ingress of water to the excavation but where water does enter, he shall dispose of it as directed by the Technical Officer.

9.5 The Contractor shall not block, obstruct or damage any existing drains either above or below ground level unless he has made adequate prior arrangements to deal with drainage.

10. **FALSEWORK FOR STRUCTURES**

10.1 Drawings of false work for the construction of any structure over, under or adjacent to any railway line shall be submitted to the Technical Officer and his permission to proceed obtained before the false work is erected. Each drawing shall be given a title and a distinguishing number and shall be signed by a registered professional engineer certifying that he has checked the design of the false work and that the drawings are correct and in accordance with the design.

10.2 After the false work has been erected and before any load is applied, the Contractor shall submit to the Technical Officer a certificate signed by a registered professional engineer certifying that he has checked the false work and that it has been erected in accordance with the drawings. Titles and numbers of the drawings shall be stated in the certificate. Notwithstanding permission given by the Technical Officer to proceed, the Contractor shall be entirely responsible for the safety and adequacy of the false work.

11. **PILING**

11.1 The Technical Officer will specify the conditions under which piles may be installed on Transnet property.

12. **UNDERGROUND SERVICES**

12.1 No pegs or stakes shall be driven or any excavation made before the Contractor has established that there are no underground services, which may be damaged thereby.

12.2 Any damage shall be reported immediately to the Technical Officer, or to the official in charge at the nearest station, or to the traffic controller in the case of centralised traffic control.

13. **BLASTING**

13.1 The provisions of clause 23 of the E.5, General Conditions of Contract or clause 21 of the E.5 (MW), General Conditions of Contract for Maintenance Work, shall apply to all blasting operations undertaken in terms of the Contract.

13.2 The Contractor shall provide proof that he has complied with the provisions of clauses 10.17.1 to 10.17.4 of the Explosives Regulations (Act 26 of 1956 as amended).

13.3 Blasting within 500m of a railway line will only be permitted during intervals between trains. A person appointed by the Technical Officer, assisted by flagmen with the necessary protective equipment, will be in communication with the controlling railway station.



Only this person will be authorised to give the Contractor permission to blast, and the Contractor shall obey his instructions implicitly regarding the time during which blasting may take place.

- 13.4 The flagmen described in 13.3, where provided by Transnet, are for the protection of trains and Transnet property only, and their presence does not relieve the Contractor in any manner of his responsibilities in terms of Explosives Act or Regulations, or any obligation in terms of this Contract.
- 13.5 The person described in 13.3 will record in a book provided and retained by Transnet the dates and times
- (i) When each request is made by him to the controlling station for permission to blast;
 - (ii) When blasting may take place;
 - (iii) When blasting actually takes place; and
 - (iv) When he advises the controlling station that the line is safe for the passage of trains.
- 13.6 Before each blast the Contractor shall record in the same book, the details of the blast to be carried out. The person appointed by the Technical Officer, and the person who will do the blasting shall both sign the book whenever an entry described in 13.5 is made.
- 13.7 The terms of clause 27 hereof shall be strictly adhered to.

14. **RAIL TROLLEYS**

- 14.1 The use of rail trolleys or trestle trolleys on a railway line for working on high voltage equipment will be permitted only if approved by the Technical Officer and under the conditions stipulated by him.
- 14.2 All costs in connection with such trolley working requested by the Contractor shall, unless otherwise agreed, be borne by the Contractor, excluding the costs of any train protection services normally provided free of charge by Transnet.

15. **SIGNAL TRACK CIRCUITS**

- 15.1 Where signal track circuits are installed, the Contractor shall ensure that no material capable of conducting an electrical current makes contact between rails of a railway line/lines.
- 15.2 No signal connections on track-circuited tracks shall be severed without the Technical Officer's knowledge and consent.

16. **PENALTY FOR DELAYS TO TRAINS**

- 16.1 If any trains are delayed by the Contractor and the Technical Officer is satisfied that the delay was avoidable, a penalty will be imposed on the Contractor of R5 000 per hour or part thereof for the period of delay, irrespective of the number of trains delayed.

PART B - ADDITIONAL SPECIFICATION FOR WORK NEAR HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT



17. **GENERAL**

- 17.1 This specification is based on the contents of Transnet's publication SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS, HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, as amended, a copy of which will be made available on loan to the Contractor for the duration of the contract. These instructions apply to all work near live high-voltage equipment maintained and/or operated by Transnet, and the onus rests on the Contractor to ensure that he obtains a copy.
- 17.2 The Contractor's attention is drawn in particular to the contents of Part I, sections 1 and 2 of the Safety Instructions: High-Voltage Electrical Equipment.
- 17.3 The Safety Instructions : High-Voltage Electrical Equipment cover the minimum safety precautions which must be taken to ensure safe working on or near high-voltage electrical equipment, and must be observed at all times. Should additional safety measures be considered necessary because of peculiar local conditions, these may be ordered by and at the discretion of the Electrical Officer (Contracts).
- 17.4 This specification must be read in conjunction with and not in lieu of the Safety Instructions: High-Voltage Electrical Equipment.
- 17.5 The Contractor shall obtain the approval of the Electrical Officer (Contracts) before any work is done which causes or could cause any portion of a person's body or the tools he is using or any equipment he is handling, to come within 3 metres of any live high-voltage equipment.
- 17.6 The Contractor shall regard all high-voltage equipment as live unless a work permit is in force.
- 17.7 Safety precautions taken or barriers erected shall comply with the requirements of the Electrical Officer (Contracts), and shall be approved by him before the work to be protected is undertaken by the Contractor. The Contractor shall, unless otherwise agreed, bear the cost of the provision of the barriers and other safety precautions required, including the attendance of Transnet staff where this is necessary.
- 17.8 No barrier shall be removed unless authorised by the Electrical Officer (Contracts).

18. **WORK ON BUILDINGS OR FIXED STRUCTURES**

- Before any work is carried out or measurements are taken on any part of a building, fixed structure or earthworks of any kind above ground level situated within 3 metres of live high-voltage equipment, the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be consulted to ascertain the conditions under which the work may be carried out.
- 18.2 No barrier erected to comply with the requirements of the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be used as temporary staging or shuttering for any part of the Works.
- 18.3 The shuttering for bridge piers, abutments, retaining walls or parapets adjacent to or over any track may be permitted to serve as a barrier, provided that it extends at least 2, 5 metres above any working level



in the case of piers, abutments and retaining walls and 1, 5 metres above any working level in the case of parapets.

19. **WORK DONE ON OR OUTSIDE OF ROLLING STOCK, INCLUDING LOADING OR UNLOADING**

19.1 No person shall stand, climb or work whilst on any platform, surface or foothold higher than the normal unrestricted places of access, namely -

- (i) the floor level of trucks;
- (ii) external walkways on diesel, steam and electric locomotives, steam heat vans, etc. and
- (iii) walkways between coaches and locomotives.

When in these positions, no person may raise his hand or any equipment or material he is handling above his head.

19.2 In cases where the Contractor operates his own self-mounted equipment, he shall arrange for the walkways on this plant to be inspected by the Electrical Officer (Contracts) and approved, before commencement of work.

19.3 The handling of long lengths of material such as metal pipes, reinforcing bars, etc should be avoided, but if essential they shall be handled as nearly as possible in a horizontal position below head height.

19.4 The Responsible Representative shall warn all persons under his control of the danger of being near live high-voltage equipment, and shall ensure that the warning is fully understood.

19.5 Where the conditions in 19.1 to 19.3 cannot be observed the Electrical Officer (Contracts), shall be notified. He will arrange for suitable Safety measures to be taken. The Electrical Officer (Contracts) may in his discretion and in appropriate circumstances, arrange for a suitable employee of the Contractor to be specially trained by Transnet and at its costs, as an Authorised Person to work closer than 3 metres from live overhead conductors and under such conditions as may be imposed by the Senior responsible Electrical Engineer in Transnet.

20. **USE OF EQUIPMENT**

20.1 Measuring Tapes and Devices

20.1.1 Measuring tapes may be used near live high-voltage equipment provided that no part of any tape or a person's body comes within 3 metres of the live equipment.

20.1.2 In windy conditions the distance shall be increased to ensure that if the tape should fall it will not be blown nearer than 3 metres from the live high-voltage equipment.



- 20.1.3 Special measuring devices longer than 2 metres such as survey staves and rods may be used if these are of non-conducting material and approved by the responsible Electrical Engineer in Transnet, but these devices must not be used within 3 metres of live high-voltage equipment in rainy or wet conditions.
- 20.1.4 The assistance of the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be requested when measurements within the limits defined in 20.1.1 to 20.1.3 are required.
- 20.1.5 The restrictions described in 20.1.1 to 20.1.3 do not apply on a bridge deck between permanent parapets nor in other situations where a barrier effectively prevents contact with the live high-voltage equipment.

20.2 Portable Ladders

- 20.2.1 Any type of portable ladder longer than 2 metres may only be used near live high-voltage equipment under the direct supervision of the Responsible Representative. He shall ensure that the ladder is always used in such a manner that the distance from the base of the ladder to any live high-voltage equipment is greater than the fully extended length of the ladder plus 3 metres. Where these conditions cannot be observed, the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be advised, and he will arrange for suitable safety measures to be taken.

21. **CARRYING AND HANDLING MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT**

- 21.1 Pipes, scaffolding, iron sheets, reinforcing bars and other material, which exceeds 2 metres in length, shall be carried completely below head height near live high-voltage equipment. For maximum safety two or more persons so as to maintain it as nearly as possible in a horizontal position should carry such material. The utmost care must be taken to ensure that no part of the material comes within 3 metres of any live high-voltage equipment.
- 21.2 Long lengths of wire or cable shall never be run out in conditions where a part of a wire or cable can come within 3 metres of any live high-voltage equipment unless the Electrical Officer (Contracts) has been advised and has approved appropriate safety precautions.
- 21.3 The presence of overhead power lines shall always be taken account of especially when communications lines or cables or aerial cables, stay wires, etc. are being erected above ground level.

22. **PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN WHEN ERECTING OR REMOVING POLES, ANTENNAE, TREES ETC.**

- 22.1 A pole may be handled for the purpose of erection or removal near high-voltage equipment under the following conditions:
 - (i) If the distance between the point at which the pole is to be erected or removed and the nearest live high-voltage equipment is more than the length of the pole plus 3 metres, the work shall be supervised by the Responsible Representative.



- (ii) If the distance described in (i) is less than the length of the pole plus 3 meters, the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be consulted to arrange for an Authorized Person to supervise the work and to ensure that the pole is earthed where possible. The pole shall be kept in contact with the point of erection, and adequate precautions shall be taken to prevent contact with live high-voltage equipment.

22.2 The cost of supervision by an Authorised Person and the provision of earthing shall, unless otherwise agreed, be borne by the Contractor.

22.3 The provisions of clauses 22.1 and 22.2 shall also apply to the erection or removal of columns, antennae, trees, posts, etc.

23. **USE OF WATER**

23.1 No water shall be used in the form of a jet if it can make contact with any live high-voltage equipment or with any person working on such equipment.

24. **USE OF CONSTRUCTION PLANT**

24.1 "Construction plant" entails all types of plant including cranes, piling frames, boring machines, excavators, draglines, dewatering equipment and road vehicles with or without lifting equipment.

24.2 When work is being undertaken in such a position that it is possible for construction plant or its load to come within 3 metres of live high-voltage equipment, the Electrical Officer (Contracts) shall be consulted. He will arrange for an Authorised Person to supervise the work and to ensure that the plant is adequately earthed. The Electrical Officer (Contracts) will decide whether further safety measures are necessary.

24.3 The cost of any supervision by an Authorised Person and the provision of earthing shall, unless otherwise agreed, be borne by the Contractor.

24.4 When loads are handled by cranes, non-metallic rope hand lines shall be used, affixed to such loads so as to prevent their swinging and coming within 3 metres of live high-voltage equipment.

24.5 Clauses 24.1 to 24.4 shall apply mutatis mutandis to the use of maintenance machines of any nature.

25. **WORK PERFORMED UNDER DEAD CONDITIONS UNDER COVER OF A WORK PERMIT**

25.1 If the Responsible Representative finds that the work cannot be done in safety with the high-voltage electrical equipment live, he shall consult the Electrical Officer (Contracts) who will decide on the action to be taken.

25.2 If a work permit is issued the Responsible Representative shall -



- (i) before commencement of work ensure that the limits within which work may be carried out have been explained to him by the Authorized Person who issued the permit to him, and that he fully understands these limits.
- (ii) Sign portion C of the permit before commencement of work;
- (iii) Explain to all persons under his control the limits within which work may be carried out, and ensure that they fully understand these limits;
- (iv) Care for the safety of all persons under his control whilst work is in progress; and
- (v) withdraw all personnel under his control from the equipment on completion of the work before he signs portion D of the work permit.

26. **TRACTION RETURN CIRCUITS IN RAILS**

26.1 DANGEROUS CONDITIONS CAN BE CREATED BY REMOVING OR SEVERING ANY BOND.

26.2 Broken rails with an air gap between the ends, and joints, at which fishplates are removed under "broken bond" conditions, are potentially lethal. The rails on either side of an air gap between rail ends on electrified lines shall not be touched simultaneously until rendered safe by Transnet personnel.

26.3 The Contractor shall not break any permanent bonds between rails or between rails and any structure. He shall give the Technical Office at least 7 days written notice when removal of such bonds is necessary.

26.4 No work on the track which involves interference with the traction return rail circuit either by cutting or removing the rails, or by removal of bonds shall be done unless the Electrical Officer (Contracts) is consulted. He will take such precautions as may be necessary to ensure continuity of the return circuit before permitting the work to be commenced.

27. **BLASTING**

27.1 The Contractor shall obtain the permission of the Electrical Officer (Contracts) before blasting, and shall give at least 14 days notice of his intention to blast.

27.2 No blasting shall be done in the vicinity of electrified lines unless a member of Transnet's electrical personnel is present.

27.3 The terms of clause 13 hereof shall be strictly adhered to.

28. **HIGH-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT NOT MAINTAINED AND/OR OPERATED BY TRANSNET**

Where the work is undertaken on or near high-voltage electrical equipment which is not maintained and/or operated by Transnet, the Occupational Health and Safety Act No. 85 of 1993, and Regulations and Instructions, or the Mines Health and Safety Act (Act 29 of 1996), shall apply.

Such equipment includes: -



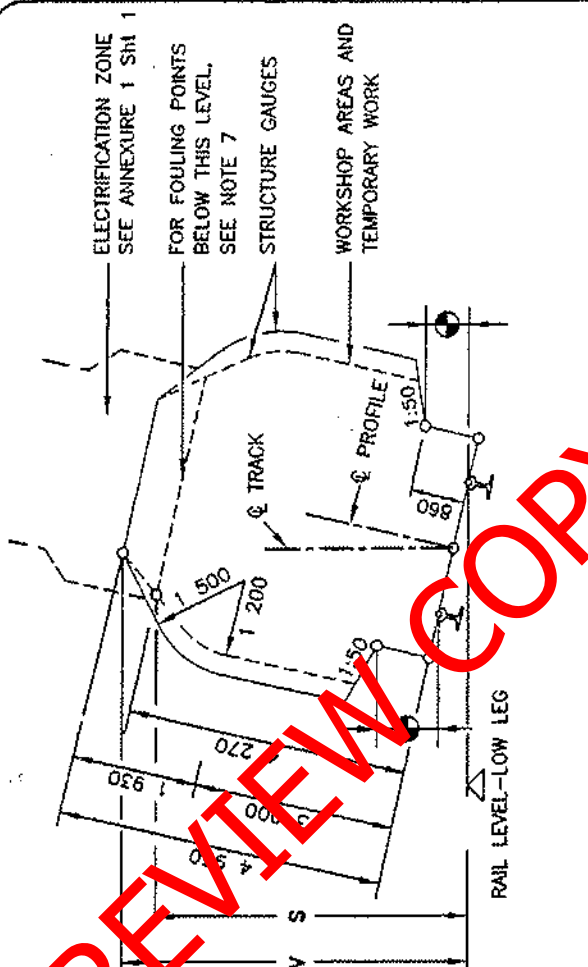
RADIUS (m)	WITH CANT		NO CANT		WITH CANT	
	H (mm)	L (mm)	H (mm)	L (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)
90	2 730	3 090	2 730	3 090	1 130	2 100
100	2 700	3 030	2 700	3 030	1 140	2 050
120	2 650	2 970	2 700	3 000	1 160	2 010
140	2 620	2 920	2 660	2 960	1 175	1 990
170	2 590	2 870	2 630	2 910	1 190	1 970
200	2 570	2 820	2 600	2 860	1 205	1 950
250	2 550	2 790	2 580	2 830	1 230	1 920
300	2 540	2 760	2 560	2 800	1 250	1 900
350	2 530	2 730	2 540	2 770	1 270	1 890
400	2 520	2 710	2 530	2 750	1 290	1 875
500	2 510	2 680	2 520	2 720	1 320	1 850
600	2 500	2 660	2 510	2 700	1 340	1 830
800	2 490	2 620	2 500	2 660	1 365	1 790
1 000	2 480	2 600	2 490	2 640	1 380	1 760
1 200	2 480	2 580	2 490	2 620	1 200	1 730
1 500	2 480	2 550	2 480	2 590	1 415	1 700
2 000	2 480	2 500	2 480	2 540	1 440	1 660
3 000	2 470	2 470	2 470	2 470	1 500	1 600
>5 000	2 460	2 460	2 460	2 460	1 600	1 600

REMARKS:

- H AND B IS THE REQUIRED HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE CURVE BASED ON MINIMUM CANT.
- L AND C IS THE REQUIRED HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE ON THE INSIDE OF THE CURVE BASED ON MAXIMUM CANT.
- INTERMEDIATE VALUES MAY BE INTERPOLATED BY THE ENGINEER IN CHARGE.
- FOR WORKSHOP AREAS AND TEMPORARY WORK, CLEARANCES H AND L MAY BE REDUCED BY 300mm.
- SEE ANNEXURE 1 SHEET 3 FOR PLATFORM CLEARANCES.
- ALSO REFER TO REMARKS 4 TO 8 OF ANNEXURE 1 SHEET 2.

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VERTICAL CLEARANCES :
 1 065mm TRACK GAUGE



LOCATION	ELECTRIFIED (PRESENT OR FUTURE)	
	3KV & 25KV S (mm)	50KV V (mm)
ALL AREAS OTHER THAN THOSE INDICATED BY * BELOW	100	5 400
	300	5 370
	600	5 350
	1 000	5 340
	1 500	5 310
	2 000	5 290
	> 3 000	5 280
* OVER OR NEAR POINTS AND CROSSING IF REQUIRED BY ELECTRICAL IRRESPECTIVE OF RADIUS	5 650	6 000

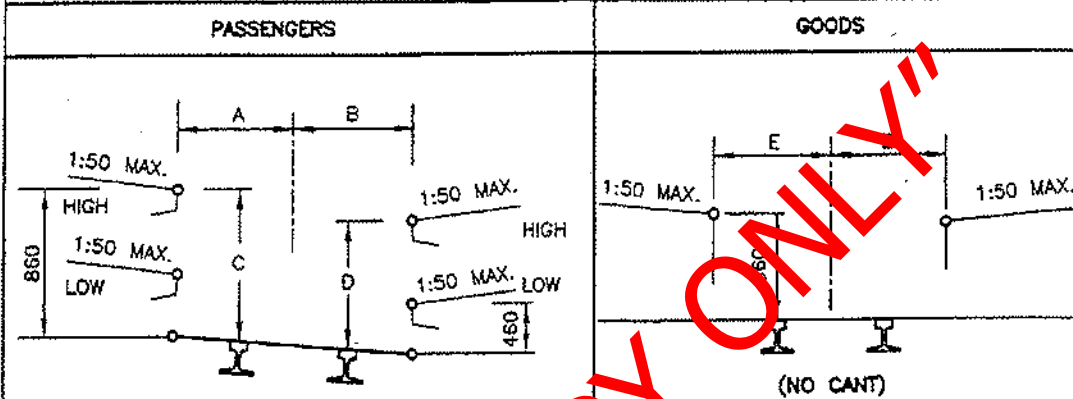
REMARKS:

1. V IS THE REQUIRED VERTICAL CLEARANCE EXCEPT WHERE REDUCED CLEARANCE S APPLIES.
2. S IS THE MINIMUM VERTICAL CLEARANCE FOR STRUCTURES AND TEMPORARY WORK OVER NON-ELECTRIFIED LINE.
3. INTERMEDIATE VALUES MAY BE INTERPOLATED BY THE ENGINEER IN CHARGE.
4. FOR APPLICATION AT CURVES
 - 4.1 APPLY INCREASED CLEARANCES FOR CURVES TO POINTS 3m BEYOND THE ENDS OF THE CIRCULAR CURVE.
 - 4.2 REDUCE CLEARANCES AT A UNIFORM RATE OVER THE REMAINDER OF THE TRANSITION CURVE.
 - 4.3 FOR NON-TRANSITIONED CURVES REDUCE AT A UNIFORM RATE OVER A LENGTH OF 15m ALONG STRAIGHTS.
5. NEW STRUCTURES: SEE BRIDGE CODE.
6. TUNNELS: SEE DRAWING BE 82-35.
7. FOULING POINTS: SEE CLAUSE 8.1.
8. CLEARANCES ARE BASED ON 15m BOGIE CENTRES AND 21.2m VEHICLE BODY LENGTH.
9. SEE ANNEXURE 1 SHEET 3 FOR PLATFORM CLEARANCES.

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CLEARANCES : PLATFORMS

PLATFORMS : TRACK GAUGE 1 065mm

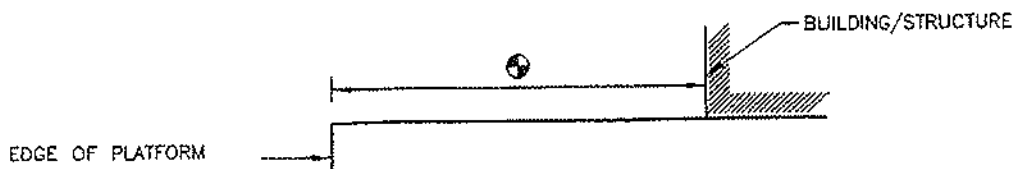


RADIUS (m)	A (mm)	B (mm)	C (mm)	D (mm)	E (mm)
90	1 690	1 820	890	810	1 840
100	1 650	1 790	890	810	1 810
120	1 610	1 740	890	810	1 760
140	1 580	1 700	890	810	1 720
170	1 550	1 660	890	810	1 690
200	1 530	1 630	890	820	1 670
250	1 520	1 600	890	820	1 640
300	1 520	1 580	890	830	1 620
350	1 520	1 560	880	830	1 600
400	1 520	1 550	880	840	1 590
500	1 520	1 540	880	850	1 580
600	1 520	1 530	870	850	1 570
800	1 520	1 520	860	860	1 560
1 200	1 520	1 520	860	860	1 550
2 000	1 520	1 520	860	860	1 540
3 000	1 520	1 520	860	860	1 530
STRAIGHT	1 520	1 520	860	860	1 520

REMARKS:

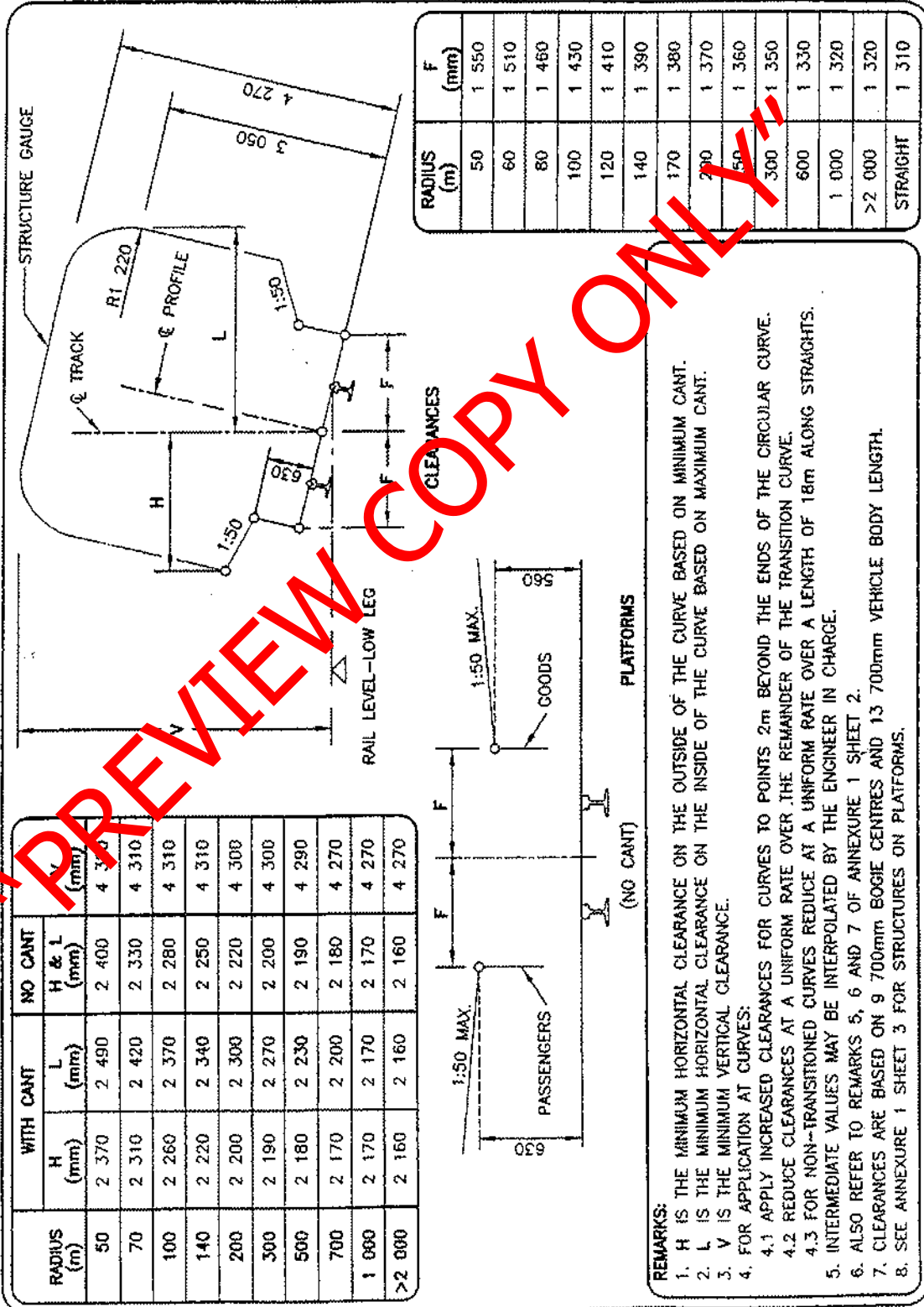
1. NO CANT TO BE APPLIED EXCEPT WHEN THE GOODS PLATFORM IS ON A RUNNING LINE.
2. INTERMEDIATE VALUES MAY BE INTERPOLATED BY THE ENGINEER IN CHARGE.
3. 8m TO MAIN STATION-BUILDINGS AND 3m TO ALL OTHER STRUCTURES.
4. TOLERANCES : SEE CLAUSE 8.0.10.

STRUCTURES ON PLATFORMS : 1 065mm AND 610mm TRACK GAUGE



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CLEARANCES : 610mm TRACK GAUGE



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REMARKS:
 1. H IS THE MINIMUM HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE CURVE BASED ON MINIMUM CANT.
 2. L IS THE MINIMUM HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE ON THE INSIDE OF THE CURVE BASED ON MAXIMUM CANT.
 3. V IS THE MINIMUM VERTICAL CLEARANCE.
 4. FOR APPLICATION AT CURVES:
 4.1 APPLY INCREASED CLEARANCES FOR CURVES TO POINTS 2m BEYOND THE ENDS OF THE CIRCULAR CURVE.
 4.2 REDUCE CLEARANCES AT A UNIFORM RATE OVER THE REMAINDER OF THE TRANSITION CURVE.
 4.3 FOR NON-TRANSITIONED CURVES REDUCE AT A UNIFORM RATE OVER A LENGTH OF 18m ALONG STRAIGHTS.
 5. INTERMEDIATE VALUES MAY BE INTERPOLATED BY THE ENGINEER IN CHARGE.
 6. ALSO REFER TO REMARKS 5, 6 AND 7 OF ANNEXURE 1 SHEET 2.
 7. CLEARANCES ARE BASED ON 9 700mm BOGIE CENTRES AND 13 700mm VEHICLE BODY LENGTH.
 8. SEE ANNEXURE 1 SHEET 3 FOR STRUCTURES ON PLATFORMS.

Partch. Req.	Req. Date	Item	Rel. Val.	Price	Total Val.	Material	Short Desc	Quantity	Unit	Matl. Group	Plant	For. Created	PO Date	Regimen
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