

Transnet Freight Rail, a division of

TRANSNET SOC LTD

Registration Number 1990/000900/30 [hereinafter referred to as **Transnet**]

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION [RFQ] No BLE / 52318

FOR THE SUPPLY OF: PRINTING MATTER FOR THE BLUE TRAIN

FOR DELIVERY TO: SALVOKOP, PRETORIA

PERIOD OF CONTRACT: 24 MONTHS

ISSUE DATE: 28 MAY 2013

CLOSING DATE: 11 JUNE 2013

CLOSING TIME: 10:00

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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:

[post and/or courier]

CLOSING VENUE:

See below for closing venue and delivery address

A. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

Proposals must reach the Secretariat, Acquisition Council before the closing hour on the date shown below, and must be enclosed in a sealed envelope which must have inscribed on the outside:

RFP No:

BLE / 52318

Description

PRINTING MATTER FOR THE BLUE TRAIN

Closing date and time:

11 JUNE 2013 AT 10H00 Sharp

Closing address

[Refer to options in Delivery Instructions for RFQ below]

All envelopes must reflect the return address of the Respondent on the reverse side

B. DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS FOR RFQ

Delivery by hand

If delivered by hand, the envelope is to be deposited in the Transnet tender box which is located at the main entrance of Transnet Park, Modderdam Road, Bellville, and should be addressed as follows:

THE SECRETARIAT
ACQUISITION COUNCIL
TRANSNET PARK
TENDER BOX
MODDERDAM ROAD
BELLVILLE 7535

The measurements of the "tender slot" are 400mm wide x 100mm high, and Respondents must please ensure that response documents or files are no larger than the above dimensions. Responses which are too bulky [i.e. more than 100mm thick] must be split into two or more files, and placed in separate envelopes, each such envelope to be addressed as above.

Dispatch by courier

If dispatched by courier, the envelope must be addressed as follows and delivered to the Office of The Secretariat, Acquisition Council and a signature obtained from that Office:

THE SECRETARIAT
TRANSNET ACQUISITION COUNCIL
6TH FLOOR
TRANSNET PARK
MODDERDAM ROAD
BELLVILLE

Please note that this RFP closes punctually at 10:00 on Tuesday 11 June 2013.

- 1. If responses are not delivered as stipulated herein, such responses will not be considered and will be treated as "NON-RESPONSIVE" and will be disqualified.
- 2. No email or facsimile responses will be considered, unless otherwise stated herein.
- 3. The responses to this RFQ will be opened as soon as practicable after the expiry of the time advertised for receiving them.
- 4. Transnet shall not, at the opening of responses, disclose to any other company any confidential details pertaining to the Proposals / information received, i.e. pricing, delivery, etc. The names and locations of the Respondents will be divulged to other Respondents upon request.
- 5. Envelopes must not contain documents relating to any RFQ other than that shown on the envelope.

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 points and preference which will be allocated 20 points, dependent on the value of the Goods.
- The 80/20 preference point system applies where the acquisition of the Goods will be less than R1 000 000.00.
- If the 80/20 preference point system is stipulated and all Bids received exceed R1 000 000.00, the RFQ will be cancelled.
- In this RFQ, Transnet will apply 80/20 preference point system prescribed in the PPPFA.

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 000, 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 **20 [twenty] points** in accordance with the **80/20** preference point system prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), Act 5 of 2000 and its Regulations to the Respondent's final score based on an entity's B-BBEE scorecard rating. [Refer <u>Annexure A – B-BBFE Preference Points Claim Form</u> for further details].

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 19 below for Returnable Documents required]

3 Communication

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

Name:

Doepie du Preez

Email:

Doepie.dupreez@transnet.net

c) **SAMPLES of THE BLUE TRAIN PRINTING ITEMS** — Respondents can obtain samples of the various printed items from the following employee of The Blue Train:

Name:

Vincent Monyake - Tel 012 315 2048; Mobile 083 951 1622

d) Respondents may also, at any time after the closing date of the RFQ, communicate with Carol Swan on any matter relating to its RFQ response:

Telephone

021 940 3846

Email

carol.swan@transnet.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. Transnet requires that prices be held firm for a period of 12 months See section 2 for Firm prices and complete

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, Transfiel 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 regulatory obligation.

13 Respondent's Samples

Only in cases when the Respondent submit a sample(s) of the item/s quoted for, the sample(s) must be endorsed with the RFO number, description, name of bidder and be forwarded in a sealed envelope on or before the deadline date to the following address:

Mr. Vincent Monyake
Transnet Freight Rail - The Blue Train
ZASM Building
Second Floor Room 266
Corner Minaar and Paul Kruger Streets
PRETORIA

NB! The RFQ (with prices / your quote) must be submitted to the address under DELIVERY INSTRCUTIONS (Paragraph B above) and NOT to Vincent Monyake

Submission of samples - The Blue Train reserves the right to request, free of charge, samples of all items you have quoted for before making an award.

14 Evaluation Criteria

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
- Compliance to specification / quality, previous performance, delivery lead-time
- Weighted evaluation based on 80/20 preference point system as indicated in paragraph 2 above;
 - 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:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	16
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
Non-compliant contributor	0

15	Validity Period
	Transnet desires a validity period 90 ninety] days from the closing date of this RFQ.
	This RFQ is valid until
4.0	Banking Panil
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.

Respondent's Signature

Disclosure of Prices Quoted

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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.

Respondents must	indicate	here	whether	Transnet	may	disclose	their	quoted	prices	and	conditions	tc
other Respondents	:											
YES [NO.	o [

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 **Returnable Documents**, as detailed below.

Failure to provide all these Returnable Documents at the Closing Date and time of this RFQ may result in a Respondent's disqualification. Respondents are therefore urged to ensure that <u>all</u> 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 and mandatory Returnable Documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the tables below:

Returnable Documents	Submitted [Yes or No]
SECTION 1 : Notice to Bidders	100000000000000000000000000000000000000
 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 EMEs] 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 2: Quotation Form	
SECTION 3: 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]	

Returnable Documents	Submitted [Yes or No]
MANDATORY DOCUMENTS (RFQ will be disqualified if the under mentioned document/s do not accompany your RFQ / BID)	
 Original valid Tax Clearance Certificate [Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub- contractors must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate for each party] NB Refer Section 1 Para 4 re Tax Clearance 	



Section 2
QUOTATION FORM
I/We
hereby offer to supply the goods/services FOR THE NEXT 24 MONTHS 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 [available on request]; 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, any, its covering letter and any subsequent exchange of correspondence], together with Transnet 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 fat to deliver the said goods/service/s within the delivery lead-time quoted, Transnet may, without prejudic to any other legal remedy which it may have, cancel the order and recover from me/us any expense incurred by Transnet in calling for Quotations afresh and/or having to accept any less favourable offer.
SAMPLES OF THE BLUE TRAIN PRINTING ITEMS
Respondents can obtain samples of the various printed items from the following employee of The Blu Train - without these samples you will not be in a position to quote. Name: Vincent Monyake - Tel 012 315 2048; Mobile 083 951 1622
Firm Prices
I / We agree to keep the prices firm for a period of 12 months Yes No . ALTERNATIVELY
If not firm state period prices will be firm for
Delivery Lead-Time
Delivery lead time from date of purchase order: [days/weeks]
Delivery Address
All printed items must be delivered to the under mentioned address between office hours 07h30 to

16h30: The Blue Train

The Blue Train Sheds

3rd Avenue and Skietpoort Lane,

Salvokop PRETORIA

Att.: Tinashe Jeche - Tel: 012 315-4237.

Respondent's Signature

Price Schedule

I/We quote as follows for the goods required, on a "delivered basis to Salvokop Pretoria", excluding VAT:

Material	Description	Sample No.	uom	Estimate 12 month need	Unit Price
99001000	BOOK DIRECTORY OF SERVICES BLUE TRAIN	1	EA	200	
99001001	BOOK BROCHURE BLUE TRAIN	2	EA	2500	
99001006	LETTERHEAD A4 WRITING SHEET BLUE TRAIN	3	RM	8	
99001008	INFORMATION SHEET - LUXURY COMPARTMENT	4	EA_	100	
99001012	BOOK INFORMATION BROCHURE	5	EA	2500	
99001035	Z CARDS BLUE TRAIN ROUTE MAPS	6	EA	4000	
99001041	REMOTE CONTROL CARDS INSTRUCTIONS	7	EA	100	
99001046	TICKET HOLDER BLUE TRAIN	Q	EA	10000	
99001099	BUSINESS CARDS SHELL	9	EA	1000	
99001100	BUSINESS CARDS THE BLUE TRAIN PERSONNEL	10	EA	1500	
99001109	RIBBON, VARIOUS COLOURS	11	EA	2000	
99001112	PACKAGING BUBBLE 100M X 1.2M ROLL	12	EA	1	
99001116	BOOK STOCK CONTROL CREAM FOR ONBOARD U	13	EA	300	
99001123	BLUE TRAIN TICKETS	14	EA	10000	
99001130	DECAL FRAGILE HANDLE WITH CARE SELF ADHE	15	EA	2	
99001177	BROCHURE DL INFORMATION BOOKLET	17	EA	5000	
99001191	TAG WITH COMPLIMENTS THE BLUE TRAIN	18	EA	1000	
99002014	TICKET WALLET BLUE TRAIN	20	EA	10000	
99002016	SHEET BLANK SIZE A5 EMBOSSED BT LOGO	21	EA	5000	

Respondent's Signature

Material	Description	Sample No.	MOU	Estimate 12 month need	Unit Price
99002017	ENVELOPE LARGE C4 (320X230MM) BLUE TRAIN	22	EA	2000	
99002018	ENVELOPE BANKERS SHAPE (220X110MM)BLUE T	23	EA	2000	
99002019	ENVELOPE SMALL C6 (162X113MM) BLUE TRAIN	24	EA	2000	
99002020	POST CARD DEPICTING BLUE TRAIN	25	EA	3000	
99002021	POSTCARD DEPICTING INTERIOR	26	EA	3000	
99002022	HOUSEKEEPING SIGN COLOUR GOLD	27	EA	200	
99002023	HOUSEKEEPING SIGN COLOUR BLUE	28	EA	200	
99002024	LABEL BAGGAGE BLUE TRAIN	29	EA	10 000	
99002025	BAND FACE CLOTH BLUE TRAIN LOGO CREAM	30	EA	1000	
99002026	BATH ROBE DECALS	31	EA	3000	
99002027	BOARDING PASS BLUE TRAIN	32	EA	10000	
99002029	CARD,BUTLER,NAME ADDRESS & TELEPH NUMB	33	EA	3000	
99002032	DECAL LARGE 30 X 23MM BLUE TRAIN	34	RM	30	
99002034	PAPER BLUE TRAIN GIFT WRAP	35	EA	3000	
99002036	GIFT TAGS THE BLUE TRAIN	36	RM	2	
99002038	LEFTERHEAD GUEST AS BLUE TRAIN	37	EA	10000	
99002039	CONTINUATION SHEET FOR A4 LETTERHEAD	38	RM	10	
99002046	CONFERENCE PAD FOR THE BLUE TRAIN FOLDER	39	EA	1500	
99002048	ENVELOPE C4 (LARGE) 220 X 110MM	40	EA	2000	
99002050	ENVELOPE BANKERS SHAPE 220 X 110MM LUX	41	EA	2000	
99002055	WEATHER CARDS	42	EA	1000	

Material	Description	Sample No.	UOM	Estimate 12 month	Unit Price
				need	
99002059	CARD CONGRATULATIONS BT	43	EA	1000	
99002063	MAP / INFO. BROCHURE MAATJIESFONTEIN	44	EA	2000	
99002066	LABEL PROPERTY OF THE BLUE TRAIN 80 X 80	45	EA	3000	
99002071	ENVELOPE GENERIC CARD 115 X 230MM BT	46	EA	3000	
99002072	CARD GENERIC MALE	47	EA	500	
99002073	CARD GENERIC FEMALE	48	EA	500	
99002074	RETURN INVITATION	49	EA	1500	
99002088	CONFERENCE FOLDER THE BLUE TRAIN	50	EA	1000	
99002089	CONFERENCE PAD FOR THE BLUE TRAIN FOLDER	51	EA	1000	
99002170	1CD NTSC FOR MARKETING PURPOSES	60	EA	2000	
99002205	CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE BLUE TRAIN	61	EA	20000	
99002207	QUESTIONNAIRE WITH GLUED EDGE	63	RM	16	100 A00 A1
99002245	NOTE PADS BLUE TRAIN 210 X 148mm	64	PAD	1000	
99002331	PAD MINI NOTE PAD BLUE TRAIN	65	EA	1000	
99002331	BUSINESS CARDS FOR VARIOUS EMPLOYEES	66	EA	3000	

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
- d) Any additional information pertaining to the printing material must be submitted on your company letterhead

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
- 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
- Original or certified copy of SARS Tax Clearance certificate and Vat registration certificate
- 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, <u>No payments can be made to a vendor until</u> 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.

Regards,

Transnet Vendor/Supplier Management .Contact person Doepie: tell: 021 940-3826 fax 021 940-3883.

Supplier Declaration Form

Company Fracing Name						
Company Registered Name						
Company Registration Number 0	or ID Numbe	er If A Sole Prop	rietor			
Form of entity CC	Trust	Pty Ltd	Lin	nited Partne	ership :	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 Physical					Code	3
Address					Code	<u> </u>
Contact Person						
Designation						
Telephone						
Email			***			
Annual Turnover Range (Last Fina	ncial Year)	< R5 Million		R5-35 million	>	R35 million
Does Your Company Provide		Products	4	Services	E	Both
Area Of Delivery		National		Provincial	i li	ocal
Is Your Company A Public Or Pri	vate Entity			Public] F	Private
Does Your Company Have A Tax	Directive C	or IRP30 Certific	ate (Yes	l N	lo l
Main Product Or Service Supplie	d (E.G.: Sta	tionery/Consultir	1 g)			
BEE Ownership Details						
% Black Ownership %	Black wome	en ownership	······	% Disabled po ownersh		
Does your company have a BE	E certificate		Yes		No	
What is your broad based BEE	status (Lev	el 1 to 9 / Unkn	own)			
How many personnel does the	irm employ	Perm	anent	Pa	art time	
Transnet Contact Person						
Contact number						
Transnet operating division						
Duly Authorised To Sign For	And On Be	half Of Firm /	Organi	sation		
Name			Des	signation		
Signature			Dat	е		
Stamp And Signature Of Com	missioner	Of Oath				
Name			Dat	e		
Signature			Tele	ephone No.		

NB: 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.

Transnet Vendor/Supplier Management .Contact person Doepie: tell: 021 940-3826 fax 021 940-3883



Appendix (i)

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2 DEFINITIONS

Where the following words or phrases are used in this Agreement, such words or phrases shall have the meaning assigned thereto in this clause, except where the context clearly requires otherwise:

- 2.1 Bid or Bid Document(s) shall mean a reference to a Request for Proposal or Request for Quotation;
- 2.2 Goods shall mean the goods required by Transnet as specified in its Bid Document;
- 2.3 **Respondent(s)** shall mean a respondent/bidder to a Transnet Bid;
- 2.4 RFP shall mean Request for Proposal;
- 2.5 **RFQ** shall mean Request for Quotation;
- 2.6 RFX shall mean RFP and/or RFQ, as the case may be;
- 2.7 **Supplier** shall mean the successful Respondent:
- 2.8 **Tax Invoice** shall mean the document as required by Section 20 of the Value-Added Tax Act, 89 of 1991, as may be amended from time to time;
- 2.9 **Transnet** shall mean Transnet SOC Ltd, a State Owned Company; and
- 2.10 **VAT** shall mean Value-Added Tax chargeable in terms of the Value-Added Tax Act, 89 of 1991, as may be amended from time to time.
- 2.11 Day shall mean any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday

3 GENERAL

All Bid Documents and subsequent contracts and orders shall be subject to the following general conditions as laid down by Transnet and are to be strictly adhered to by any Respondent to this RFX.

4 SUBMITTING OF BID DOCUMENTS

- 4.1 A Bid, which shall hereinafter include reference to an RFP or RFQ, shall be submitted to Transnet no later than the closing date and time specified in accordance with the directions issued in the Bid Documents. Late Bids will not be considered.
- 4.2 Bids shall be delivered in a sealed envelope in accordance with the instructions indicated in the Bid Documents with the Bid number and subject marked on the front of the envelope.
- 4.3 The Respondent's return address must be stated on the reverse side of the sealed envelope.

5 USE OF BID FORMS

- 5.1 Where special forms and/or formats are issued by Transnet for the submission of Bids, Respondents are required to submit their Bids by completion of the appropriate sections on such official forms and/or formats and not in other forms and/or formats or documents bearing their own terms and conditions of contract. Non-compliance with this condition may result in the rejection of a Bid.
- 5.2 Respondents must note that the original Bid forms and/or formats must be completed for submission and not a reprocessed copy or other format thereof.

5.3 Only if insufficient space has been allocated to a particular response may a Respondent submit additional information under separate cover using the Company's letterhead. This must be duly cross-referenced in the RFX.



6 BID FEES

- 6.1 A non-refundable fee may be charged for Bid Documents, depending on the administrative cost of preparing and issuing the Bid Document.
- 6.2 Where necessary, only Respondents that have paid the Bid fee and provided proof of payment when submitting their proposal will be considered.

7 VALIDITY PERIOD

- 7.1 The Respondents must hold their Bid valid for acceptance by Transnet at any time within the requested validity period after the closing date of the bid.
- 7.2 Respondents may be requested to extend their validity period for a specified additional period. In such instances, Respondents will not be allowed to change any aspect of their Bid, unless they are able to demonstrate that the proposed change/s is as a direct and unavoidable consequence of Transnet's extension of the validity period.

8 SITE VISITS / BRIEFING SESSIONS

Respondents may be requested to attend a site visit or briefing session where it is necessary to view the site in order to prepare their Bids, or where Transnet deems it necessary to provide Respondents with further information to allow them to complete their Bids properly. Where such visits or sessions are indicated as compulsory in the RFX Document, Respondents are obliged to attend these meetings as failure to do so will result in their disqualification.

9 CLARIFICATION BEFORE THE CLOSING DATE

Should clarification be required on any aspect of the Bid before the closing date, the Respondent must direct such queries to the contact person listed in the RFX Document in the stipulated manner.

10 COMMUNICATION AFTER THE CLOSING DATE

After the closing date of a Bid (i.e. during the evaluation period) the Respondent may only communicate with the Chairperson or the Secretary of the relevant Acquisition Council.

11 UNAUTHORISED COMMUNICATION ABOUT BIDS

After Bids are submitted, Respondents may at any time communicate with the Secretary on any matter relating to its Bid but, in the absence of written authority from the Secretary, no communication on a question affecting the subject of a Bid shall take place between Respondents or other potential suppliers or any member of the Acquisition Council or official of Transnet during the period between the closing date for the receipt of the Bid and the date of the notification of the successful Respondent(s). A Bid, in respect of which any such unauthorised communication has occurred, may be disqualified.



12 RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

All returnable documents listed in the RFX Documents must be submitted with Respondent's Bid. Failure to submit mandatory returnable schedules / documents will result in disqualification. Failure to submit other schedules / documents may result in disqualification.

13 DEFAULTS BY RESPONDENTS

- 13.1 If the Respondent, after it has been notified of the acceptance of its Bid fails to:
 - a) enter into a formal contract when called upon to do so within such period as Transnet may specify; or
 - b) accept an order in terms of the Bid;
 - c) when called upon to do so, furnish satisfactory security for the fulfilment of the contract; or
 - d) comply with any condition imposed by Transnet.

Transnet may, in any such case, without prejudice to any other legal remedy which it may have, proceed to accept any other Bid or, if it is necessary to do so, call for Bids afresh, and may recover from the defaulting Respondent any additional expense incurred by it in calling for new offers or in accepting a higher offer.

- 13.2 If any Respondent, who has submitted a Bid and/or concluded a contract with Transnet [hereinafter referred to as **the Supplier**], or in the capacity of agent or subcontractor who has been associated with such Bid or confract:
 - a) has withdrawn such Bid after the advertised date and hour for the receipt of Bids; or
 - b) has, after having been notified of the acceptance of its Bid, failed or refused to sign a contract when called upon to do so in terms of any condition forming part of the Bid Documents; or
 - c) has carried out any contract resulting from such Bid in an unsatisfactory manner or has breached any condition of such contract; or
 - has offered, promised or given a bribe in relation to the obtaining or the execution of such contract; or
 - e) has acted in a fraudulent or improper manner or in bad faith towards Transnet or any government department or towards any public body, company or person; or
 - f) has made any misleading or incorrect statement either:
 - in the affidavit or certificate referred to in clause 19 [Notice to Unsuccessful Respondents]; or
 - (ii) in any other document submitted as part of its bid submission and is unable to prove to the satisfaction of Transnet that:
 - it made the statement in good faith, honestly believing it to be correct; and before making such statement, it took all reasonable steps to satisfy itself of its correctness.
 - g) caused Transnet damage, or to incur costs in order to meet the Supplier's requirements which could not be recovered from the Supplier;





- i) has been found guilty by a court of law, tribunal or other administrative body of a serious breach of any law, during the preceding 5 [five] years;
- j) has been included as a company or person prohibited from doing business with the public sector on National Treasury's database of Restricted Suppliers or Register of Bid Defaulters:

then a Bid from any such Respondent shall be disqualified and the person, enterprise or company [including any directors] shall, subject to clause 13.3 below, be disqualified from bidding for any Transnet business through its "blacklisting" process.

- 13.3 Any person or enterprise or company against whom a decision to blacklist has been taken, may make representations to the person with delegated authority within Transnet SOC Ltd Group, whose decision shall be final.
- 13.4 Any disqualification [**Blacklisting**] imposed upon any person or enterprise or company, may also apply to any other enterprise under the same or different names of disqualified persons or enterprise or company [or associates thereof] and may also be applied to any agent or employee of the person or enterprise or company concerned.

14 CURRENCY

All monetary amounts referred to in a Bid response must be in Rand, the currency of the Republic of South Africa [ZAR], save to the extent specifically permitted in the RFP.

15 PRICES SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION

- 15.1 Prices which are quoted subject to confirmation will not be considered.
- 15.2 Firm prices quoted for the duration of any resulting order and/or contract will receive precedence over prices which are subject to fluctuation if this is in Transnet's best interests.

16 ALTERATIONS MADE BY THE RESPONDENT TO BID PRICES

All alterations made by the Respondent to its Bid price(s) prior to the submission of its Bid Documents must be done by deleting the incorrect figures and words where required and by inserting the correct figures and words against the items concerned. All such alterations must be initialled by the person who signs the Bid Documents. Failure to observe this requirement may result in the particular item(s) concerned being excluded in the matter of the award of the business.

17 EXCHANGE AND REMITTANCE

- 17.1 The Respondent should note that where the whole or a portion of the contract or order value is to be remitted overseas, Transnet shall, if requested to do so by the Supplier, effect payment overseas directly to the foreign principal or manufacturer of such percentage of the contract or order value as may be stipulated by the Respondent in its Bid Documents.
- 17.2 It is Transnet's preference to enter into Rand-based agreements. Transnet would request, therefore, that the Respondent give favourable consideration to obtaining forward exchange cover on the foreign currency portion of the Agreement at a cost that is acceptable to Transnet to

protect itself against any currency rate fluctuation risks for the duration of any resulting contract or order.



- 17.3 The Respondent who desires to avail itself of the aforementioned facility must at the time of bidding furnish the information called for in the *Exchange and Remittance* section of the Bid Documents and also furnish full details of the principals or manufacturer to whom payment is to be made.
- 17.4 The South African Reserve Bank's approval is required before any foreign currency payments can be made to or on behalf of Respondents.
- 17.5 Transnet will not recognise any claim for adjustment of the order and/or contract price if the increase in price arises after the date on which the Goods were to be delivered, as set out in the order and/or contract, or any subsequent agreement between the parties.
- 16.6 Transnet reserves the right to request a pro-forma invoice/tax invoice in order to ensure compliance with the contract and Value-Added Tax Act no. 89 of 1991 [VAT Act].

18 ACCEPTANCE OF BID

- 18.1 Transnet does not bind itself to accept the lowest priced or any Bid.
- 18.2 Transnet reserves the right to accept any Bid in whole or in part.
- 18.3 Upon the acceptance of a Bid by Transnet, the parties shall be bound by these General Bid Conditions and any contractual terms and/or any schedule of "Special Conditions" or otherwise which form part of the Bid Documents.
- 18.4 Where the Respondent has been informed by Transnet of the acceptance of its Bid, the acknowledgement of receipt transmitted shall be regarded as proof of delivery to the Respondent.

19 NOTICE TO UNSUCCESSFUL RESPONDENTS

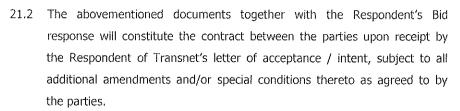
Unsuccessful Respondents shall be advised in writing that their Bids have not been accepted as soon as possible after the closing date of the Bid. On award of business to the successful Respondent all unsuccessful Respondents must be informed of the name of the successful Respondent and of the reason as to why their Bids had been unsuccessful.

20 TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

- 20.1 The Supplier shall adhere to the Terms and Conditions of Contract issued with the Bid Documents, together with any schedule of "Special Conditions" or otherwise which form part of the Bid Documents.
- 20.2 Should the Respondent find any conditions unacceptable, it should indicate which conditions are unacceptable and offer amendments/ alternatives by written submission on a company letterhead. Any such submission shall be subject to review by Transnet's Legal Counsel who shall determine whether the proposed amendments /alternative(s) are acceptable or otherwise, as the case may be.

21 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

The contract documents will comprise these General Bid Conditions, the Terms and Conditions of Contract and any schedule of "Special Conditions" which form part of the Bid Documents.





21.3 Should Transnet inform the Respondent that a formal contract will be signed, the abovementioned documents together with the Respondent's Bid response [and, if any, its covering letter and any subsequent exchange of correspondence] as well as Transnet's Letter of Intent, shall constitute a binding contract until the final contract is signed.

22 LAW GOVERNING CONTRACT

The law of the Republic of South Africa shall govern the contract created by the acceptance of a Bid. The *domicilium citandi et executandi* shall be a place in the Republic of South Africa to be specified by the Respondent in its Bid at which all legal documents may be served on the Respondent who shall agree to submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of the Republic of South Africa. A foreign Respondent shall, therefore, state in its Bid the name of its authorised representative in the Republic of South Africa who is empowered to sign any contract which may be entered into in the event of its Bid being accepted and to act on its behalf in all matters relating to the contract.

23 IDENTIFICATION

If the Respondent is a company, the full names of the directors shall be stated in the Bid. If the Respondent is a close corporation, the full names of the members shall be stated in the Bid. If the Respondent is a partnership or an individual trading under a trade name, the full names of the partners or of such individual, as the case may be, shall be furnished.

24 RESPONDENT'S SAMPLES

- 24.1 If samples are required from Respondents, such samples shall be suitably marked with the Respondent's name and address, the Bid number and the Bid item number and must be despatched in time to reach the addressee as stipulated in the Bid Documents on or before the closing date of the Bid. Failure to submit samples by the due date may result in the rejection of a Bid.
- 24.2 Transnet reserves the right to retain samples furnished by Respondents in compliance with Bid conditions.
- 24.3 Payment will not be made for a successful Respondent's samples that may be retained by Transnet for the purpose of checking the quality and workmanship of Goods delivered in execution of a contract.
- 24.4 If Transnet does not wish to retain unsuccessful Respondents' samples and the Respondents require their return, such samples may be collected by the Respondents at their own risk and cost.

25 SECURITIES

25.1 The successful Respondent, when called upon to do so, shall provide security to the satisfaction of Transnet for the due fulfilment of a contract or order. Such security shall be in the form of a

Deed of Suretyship [**Deed of Suretyship**] furnished by an approved bank, building society, insurance or guarantee corporation carrying on business in South Africa.



- The security may be applied in whole or part at the discretion of Transnet to make good any loss or damage which Transnet may incur in consequence of a breach of the contract or any part thereof.
- 25.3 Such security, if required, shall be an amount which will be stipulated in the Bid Documents.
- 25.4 For the purpose of clause 25.1 above, Transnet will supply a Deed of Suretyship form to the successful Respondent for completion and no guarantee in any other form will be accepted. A copy of such form will be supplied to Respondents on request. For this purpose a Deed of Suretyship form will be provided which shall be completed and returned to Transnet or a designated official by the successful Respondent within 30 [thirty] days from the date of the letter of acceptance. No payment will be made until the form, duly completed, is delivered to Transnet. Failure to return the Deed of Suretyship within the prescribed time shall, save where prior extension has been granted, entitle Transnet without notice to the Supplier to cancel the contract with immediate effect.
- 25.5 Additional costs incurred by Transnet necessitated by reason of default on the part of the Supplier in relation to the conditions of this clause 25 will be for the account of the Supplier.

26 PRICE AND DELIVERY BASIS FOR GOODS

- 26.1 Unless otherwise specified in the Bid Documents, the prices quoted for Goods must be on a Delivered Duty Paid [ICC Incoterms 2010] price basis in accordance with the terms and at the delivery point or points specified in Transnet's Bid Documents. Bids for supply on any other basis of delivery are liable to disqualification. The lead time for delivery stated by the Respondent must be inclusive of all non-working days or holidays, and of periods occupied in stocktaking or in effecting repairs to or overhauling plant, which would ordinarily occur within the delivery period given by the Respondent.
- 26.2 Respondents must furnish their Bid prices in the Price Schedule of the Bid Documents on the following basis:
 - a) Local Supplies Prices for Goods to be manufactured, produced or assembled in the Republic of South Africa, or imported supplies held in South Africa, to be quoted on a Delivered RSA named destination basis.
 - b) Imported Supplies Prices for Goods to be imported from all sources to be quoted on a Delivered Duty Paid [ICC Incoterms 2010] basis, to end destination in South Africa, unless otherwise specified in the Bid Price Schedule.

27 EXPORT LICENCE

The award of a Bid for Goods to be imported may be subject to the issue of an export licence in the country of origin or supply. If required, the Supplier's manufacturer or forwarding agent shall be required to apply for such licence.



28 QUALITY OF MATERIAL

Unless otherwise stipulated, the Goods offered shall be NEW i.e. in unused condition, neither second-hand nor reconditioned.

29 DELETION OF ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM BID

The Respondent must delete items for which it has not tendered or for which the price has been included elsewhere in its Bid.

30 VALUE-ADDED TAX

In respect of local supplies, i.e. Goods to be manufactured, produced or assembled in the Republic of South Africa, or imported supplies held or already in transit to South Africa, the prices quoted by the Respondent are to be exclusive of VAT which must be shown separately at the standard rate on the Tax Invoice.

31 IMPORTANT NOTICE TO RESPONDENTS REGARDING PAYMENT

31.1 Method of Payment

- a) The attention of the Respondent is directed to the Terms and Conditions of Contract which set out the conditions of payment on which Bid price(s) shall be based.
- b) However, in addition to the aforegoing the Respondent is invited to submit offers based on alternative methods of payment and/or financing proposals.
- c) The Respondent is required to give full particulars of the terms that will be applicable to its alternative offer(s) and the financial merits thereof will be evaluated and taken into consideration when the Bid is adjudicated.
- d) The Respondent must, therefore, in the first instance, tender strictly in accordance with clause 31.1a) above. Failure to comply with clause 31.1a) above may preclude a Bid from further consideration.

NOTE: The successful Respondent [the **Supplier**] shall, where applicable, be required to furnish a guarantee covering any advance payments.

31.2 Conditional Discount

Respondents offering prices which are subject to a conditional discount applicable for payment within a specific period are to note that the conditional period will be calculated as from the date of receipt by Transnet of the Supplier's month-end statement reflecting the relevant Tax Involce(s) for payment purposes, provided the conditions of the order or contract have been fulfilled and the Tax Invoice is correct in all respects as referred to in the contract or order. Incomplete and/or incorrect Tax Invoices shall be returned and the conditional period will be recalculated from the date of receipt of the correct documentation.

32 CONTRACT QUANTITIES AND DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS

32.1 Contract Quantities

a) It must be clearly understood that although Transnet does not bind itself to purchase a definitive quantity under any contract which may be entered into pursuant to this Bid, the

successful Respondent nevertheless undertakes to supply against the contract such quantities as may be ordered against the contract, which orders are posted or delivered by hand or transmitted electronically on or before the expiry date of such contract.



- b) It is furthermore a condition that Transnet will not accept liability for any material/stocks specially ordered or carried by the Respondent with a view to meeting the requirements under any such contract.
- c) The estimated planned quantities likely to be ordered by Transnet per annum are furnished in relevant section of the Bid Documents. For avoidance of doubt the estimated quantities are estimates and Transnet reserves the right to order only those quantities sufficient for its operational requirements.

32.2 Delivery Period

a) Period Contracts and Fixed Quantity Requirements

It will be a condition of any resulting contract/order that the delivery period embodied therein will be governed by the provisions of the Terms and Conditions of Contract.

b) Progress Reports

The Supplier may be required to submit periodical progress reports with regard to the delivery of the Goods.

c) Emergency Demands as and when required

If, due to unforeseen circumstances, supplies of the Goods covered by the Bid are required at short notice for immediate delivery, the Supplier will be given first right of refusal for such business. If it is unable to meet the desired critical delivery period, Transnet reserves the right to purchase such supplies as may be required to meet the emergency outside the contract if immediate delivery can be offered from any other source. The *Total or Partial Failure to Perform the Scope of Supply* section in the Terms and Conditions of Contract will not be applicable in these circumstances.

33 PLANS, DRAWINGS, DIAGRAMS, SPECIFICATIONS AND DOCUMENTS

33.1 Copyright

Copyright in plans, drawings, diagrams, specifications and documents compiled by the Supplier for the purpose of contract work shall be governed by the *Intellectual Property Rights* section in the Terms and Conditions of Contract.

33.2 Drawings and specifications

In addition to what may be stated in any Bid Document, the Respondent should note that, unless notified to the contrary by Transnet or a designated official by means of an official amendment to the Bid Documents, it is required to tender for Goods strictly in accordance with the drawings and/or specifications supplied by Transnet, notwithstanding that it may be aware that alterations or amendments to such drawings or specifications are contemplated by Transnet.

33.3 Respondent's drawings

Drawings required to be submitted by the Respondent must be furnished before the closing time and date of the Bid. The non-receipt of such drawings by the appointed time may disqualify the Bid.

33.4 Foreign specifications



The Respondent quoting for Goods in accordance with foreign specifications, other than British and American standards, is to submit translated copies of such specifications with the Bid. In the event of any departures or variations between the foreign specification(s) quoted in the Bid Documents, full details regarding such departures or variations must be furnished by the Respondent in a covering letter attached to the Bid. Non-compliance with this condition may result in disqualification.

34 BIDS BY OR ON BEHALF OF FOREIGN RESPONDENTS

- 34.1 Bids submitted by foreign principals may be forwarded directly by the principals or by its South African representative or agent to the Secretary of the Acquisition Council or to a designated official of Transnet according to whichever officer is specified in the Bid Documents.
- 34.2 In the case of a representative or agent, written proof must be submitted to the effect that such representative or agent has been duly authorised to act in that capacity by the principal. Failure to submit such authorisation by the representative or agent shall disqualify the Bid.
- 34.3 When legally authorised to prepare and submit Bids on behalf of their principals not domiciled in the Republic of South Africa, representatives or agents must compile the Bids in the names of such principals and sign them on behalf of the latter.
- 34.4 South African representatives or agents of a successful foreign Respondent must when so required enter into a formal contract in the name of their principals and must sign such contract on behalf of the latter. In every such case a legal Power of Attorney from their principals must be furnished to Transnet by the South African representative or agents authorising them to enter into and sign such contract.
 - a) Such Power of Attorney must comply with Rule 63 (Authentication of documents executed outside the Republic for use within the Republic) of the Uniform Rules of Court: Rules regulating the conduct of the proceedings of the several provincial and local divisions of the Supreme Court of South Africa.
 - b) The Power of Attorney must be signed by the principal under the same title as used in the Bid Documents.
 - If a Power of Attorney held by the South African representative or agent includes matters of a general nature besides provision for the entering into and signing of a contract with Transnet, a certified copy thereof should be furnished.
 - d) The Power of Attorney must authorise the South African representative or agent to choose the *domicilium citandi et executandi*.
- 34.5 If payment is to be made in South Africa, the foreign Supplier [i.e. the principal, or its South African agent or representative], must notify Transnet in writing whether, for payment by electronic funds transfer [**EFT**]:
 - a) funds are to be transferred to the credit of the foreign Supplier's account at a bank in South Africa, in which case the name and branch of such bank shall be furnished; or
 - b) funds are to be transferred to the credit of its South African agent or representative, in which case the name and branch of such bank shall be furnished.

34.6 The attention of the Respondent is directed to clause 25 above *[Securities]* regarding the provision of security for the fulfilment of contracts and orders and the manner and form in which such security is to be furnished.



35 CONFLICT WITH ISSUED RFX DOCUMENT

Should a conflict arise between these General Bid Conditions and the issued RFX document, the conditions stated in the RFX document shall prevail.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF GOODS TO TRANSNET [February 2013]

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36 INTRODUCTION

When an Agreement is entered into between Transnet SOC Ltd [Transnet] and the appointed supplier of Goods to Transnet [the Supplier], these Standard Terms and Conditions of Contract, the technical specifications for the Goods, a Schedule of Requirements including such special conditions as may be applicable, and any terms in the associated Bid Documents, exclusively govern the supply of Goods and provision of ancillary Services by the Supplier to Transnet

37 DEFINITIONS

Where the following words or phrases are used in the Agreement, such words or phrases shall have the meaning assigned thereto in this clause, except where the context clearly requires otherwise:

- 37.1 AFSA means the Arbitration Foundation of South Africa;
- 37.2 **Agreement** means the Agreement and its associated schedules and/or annexures and/or appendices, and/or schedules, including the Schedule of Requirements, the technical specifications for the Goods and such special conditions as shall apply to the Agreement, together with the General Tender Conditions and any additional provisions in the associated bid documents tendered by the Supplier [as agreed, in writing, between the Parties], which collectively and exclusively govern the supply of Goods and provision of ancillary Services by the Supplier to Transnet:
- 37.3 **Background Intellectual Property** means all Intellectual Property introduced and required by either Party to give effect to their obligations under the Agreement owned in whole or in part by or licensed to either Party or their affiliates prior to the Commencement Date or developed after the Commencement Date otherwise pursuant to the Agreement;
- 37.4 **Business Day(s)** means Mondays to Fridays between 07:30 and 16:00, excluding public holidays as proclaimed in South Africa;
- 37.5 Commencement Date means [•], notwithstanding the signature date of the Agreement;
- 37.6 **Confidential Information** means any information or other data, whether in written, oral, graphic or in any other form such as in documents, papers, memoranda, correspondence, notebooks, reports, drawings, diagrams, discs, articles, samples, test results, prototypes, designs, plans, formulae, patents, or inventor's certificates, which a Party discloses or provides to the other Party [intentionally or unintentionally, or as a result of one Party permitting the representative of the other Party to visit any of its premises], or which otherwise becomes known to a Party, and which is not in the public domain and includes, without limiting the generality of the term:
 - a) information relating to methods of operation, data and plans of the disclosing Party;
 - b) the contents of the Agreement;
 - c) private and personal details of employees or clients of the disclosing Party or any other person where an onus rests on the disclosing Party to maintain the confidentiality of such information;
 - d) any information disclosed by either Party and which is clearly marked as being confidential or secret;
 - e) information relating to the strategic objectives and planning of the disclosing Party relating to its existing and planned future business activities;

- information relating to the past, present and future research and development of the disclosing Party;
- g) information relating to the business activities, business relationships, products, services, customers, clients and Subcontractors of the disclosing Party where an onus rests on the disclosing Party to maintain the confidentiality of such information;
- h) information contained in the software and associated material and documentation belonging to the disclosing Party;
- i) technical and scientific information, Know-How and trade secrets of a disclosing Party including inventions, applications and processes;
- j) Copyright works;
- k) commercial, financial and marketing information;
- data concerning architecture, demonstrations, tools and techniques, processes, machinery and equipment of the disclosing Party;
- m) plans, designs, concepts, drawings, functional and technical requirements and specifications of the disclosing Party;
- n) information concerning faults or defects in Goods, equipment, hardware or software or the incidence of such faults or defects; and
- o) information concerning the charges, fees and/or costs of the disclosing Party or its authorised Subcontractors, or their methods, practices or service performance levels actually achieved;
- 37.7 Copyright means the right in expressions, procedures, methods of operations or mathematical concepts, computer program codes, compilations of data or other material, literary works, musical works, artistic works, sound recordings, broadcasts, program carrying signals, published editions, photographic works, or cinematographic works of the copyright owner to do or to authorise the doing of certain acts specified in respect of the different categories of works;
- 37.8 **Designs** mean registered Designs and/or Design applications and will include the monopoly right granted for the protection of an independently created industrial design including designs dictated essentially by technical or functional considerations as well as topographies of integrated circuits and integrated circuits;
- 37.9 **Expiry Date** means [●];
- 37.10 **Foreground Intellectual Property** means all Intellectual Property developed by either Party pursuant to the Agreement;
- 37.11 **Goods** means [●], the material / products specified in the Schedule of Requirements appended as Schedule 1 hereto;
- 37.12 **ICC Incoterms 2010** means the set of commercial trade terms as published by the International Chamber of Commerce, Paris [ICC], which are otherwise referred to as purchase terms and which define precisely the responsibilities, costs and risks of the buyer [**Transnet**] and the seller [**the Supplier**]. Incoterms are only applicable to contracts involving the import or export of Goods from one country to another and for the purpose of the Agreement, if applicable, shall mean the designated Incoterm as stipulated in Schedule 1 hereto. Further details of the Incoterm [purchase]

- terms] for the Agreement, if applicable, can be viewed at the International Business Training website http://www.i-b-t.net/incoterms.html;
- 37.13 **Intellectual Property** means Patents, Designs, Know-How, Copyright and Trade Marks and all rights having equivalent or similar effect which may exist anywhere in the world and includes all future additions and improvements to the Intellectual Property;
- 37.14 **Know-How** means all Confidential Information of whatever nature relating to the Intellectual Property and its exploitation as well as all other Confidential Information generally relating to Transnet's field of technology, including technical information, processing or manufacturing techniques, Designs, specifications, formulae, systems, processes, information concerning materials and marketing and business information in general;
- 37.15 **Parties** mean the Parties to the Agreement together with their subsidiaries, divisions, business units, successors-in-title and assigns;
- 37.16 Party means either one of these Parties:
- 37.17 **Patents** mean registered Patents and Patent applications, once the latter have proceeded to grant, and includes a right granted for any inventions, products or processes in all fields of technology;
- 37.18 **Permitted Purpose** means any activity or process to be undertaken or supervised by a Staff member of one Party during the term of the Agreement, for which purpose authorised disclosure of the other Party's Confidential Information or Intellectual Property is a prerequisite in order to enable such activity or process to be accomplished;
- 37.19 **Price(s)** means the agreed Price(s) for the Goods to be purchased from the Supplier by Transnet, as detailed in the Schedule of Requirements, issued in accordance with the Agreement, as amended by mutual agreement between the Parties and in accordance with the terms and conditions in the Agreement from time to time;
- 37.20 **Purchase Order(s)** means official orders issued by an operating division of Transnet to the Supplier for the supply of Goods or ancillary Services;
- 37.21 **Services** means Services provided to Transnet including activities such as consultation, advisory services, implementation services and day-to-day assistance provided by the Supplier, pursuant to the Schedule of Requirements in terms of the Agreement;
- 37.22 **Staff** means any partner, employee, agent, consultant, independent associate or contractor, Subcontractor and the staff of such Subcontractor, or other authorised representative of either Party;
- 37.23 Schedule of Requirements means Schedule 1 hereto;
- 37.24 Subcontract means any contract or agreement or proposed contract or agreement between the Supplier and any third party whereby that third party agrees to provide to the Supplier the Goods or related Services or any part thereof or material used in the manufacture of the Goods or any part thereof;
- 37.25 **Subcontractor** means the third party with whom the Supplier enters into a Subcontract;
- 37.26 **Tax Invoice** means the document as required by Section 20 of the Value-Added Tax Act, 89 of 1991, as may be amended from time to time;