

Request for Proposal (RFP) Description:

FOR THE DECOMMISSIONING, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION OF REFURBISHED, REPLACEMENT AND COMMISSIONING OF MEDIUM VOLTAGE EQUIPMENT AT THE PORT OF NGQURA FOR A PERIOD OF 12MONTHS

RFP Number: TNPA/2025/10/0043/109089/RFP

All Questions and Answers from **10 November 2025 to 19 November 2025**


PRE-NON-COMPULSORY CLARIFICATION MEETING

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1	1.1 On the requirements of the CIDB Grading for the 1SQ, does the main contractor have to have that grading registration or does a subcontractor having such grading alone make it sufficient for the tenderers to be compliant.	The main Contractor must have CIDB grading of 6EP for the medium voltage equipment AND can also have a CIDB grading of 1SQ for the fence. If the main Contractor does not have the CIDB 1SQ for the fence, the main Contractor must subcontract to a subcontractor with CIDB grading 1SQ. The tender requirement requires both 6EP and 1SQ not either or
	1.2 On the promotion of supplier development through subcontracting for installation of a 1.8m galvanized steel mesh fence, does Transnet have the list of subcontractors that tenderers can try to engage with or does the tenderer have to find their own subcontractor.	Transnet does not have a list of subcontractors for tenderers to partner with. The CIDB Contractors list can be utilized and even the National Treasury Central Supplier Database to obtain such subcontractors. Transnet has left it to the tenderers to obtain the subcontractor for the fence with a CIDB grading 1SG

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3	<p>I would like to also find out, with regard to the site visit that will be held on Friday. We would like to find out if the site visit that will be held will be concurrent with the site visit and the site related questions or will it be 1 site at a time as it is indicated in the tender that bidders are recommended to have 2 representatives.</p>	<p>The compulsory site visit on the 21st of November 2025 will be to all the sites as stated on page 8 of the RFP as follows:</p> <p>The order of visiting the sites will be as follows: Firstly, to the Admin Craft Basin Jetty, Secondly, to the Berth C100, Thirdly, to the Joorst Park Office Admin Building, and Fourthly, to the Sand Bypass.</p> <p>It is preferable that the authorized representative/s of the tendering entity or a representative/s of a tendering entity that intends to form a Joint Venture (JV) allow any but not limited to the following two (2) key personnel, Electrical Engineer and/or, Installation Electrician to attend the site visit where they will enquire on the drawings, site related questions to ensure the tendering entity quotes accurately for the scope</p>																												

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		<p>of work.</p> <p>It is preferable for your personnel who understand the scope of work to attend to ensure they ask relevant questions to ensure accurate quoting</p>
4	<p>Can I please ask you for drawings for the Tender TNPA/2025/10/0043/109089/RFP FOR THE DECOMMISSIONING, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION OF REFURBISHED, REPLACEMENT AND COMMISSIONING OF MEDIUM VOLTAGE EQUIPMENT AT THE PORT OF NGQURA FOR A PERIOD OF 12MONTHS please?</p> <p>I need it for my suppliers to give the best and accurate prices if</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>1. Section 1 Request for Proposal for Med</p> </div> <p>you do not mind</p>	<p>Please note that the Annexures of the Scope of Work are on Section 2 names Scope of Work with Annexures. The drawings are 3 Annexures to the scope of work</p>
5	<p>Please would you send me a copy of the Virtual Briefing Recording? Your soonest assistance would be greatly appreciated.</p>	<p>The non-clarification meeting recording will be advertised on the National Treasury (eTenders) and Transnet websites – where the tender is advertised. Kindly check it there this evening</p>

NON-COMPULSORY CLARIFICATION MEETING – 20 NOVEMBER 2025

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1	Are you going to share the Electronic BOQ?	No, it is only the pdf version advertised with the RFP that is being issued due to challenges of tenderers deleting and adding new items on BoQs and causing challenges on evaluation. Tenderers can mirror the pdf BoQ and create an excel for the calculations
2	Do we have access to the recorded meeting?	Yes, the non-compulsory clarification presentation, minutes, recording, all questions and answers from the tender advert date to the non-clarification meeting date included
3	Will the letter be acceptable showing that the ISO certification is still in progress?	No it will not be acceptable. Rather submit a Quality Manual and address the requirements to comply with the evaluation criteria
4	Is B-BBEE issued from CIPC accepted	Yes, for proving being a B-BBEE level 1 or 2 contributor, a valid B-BBEE certificate, sworn affidavit or CIPC affidavit will be acceptable. In case of Joint Ventures, a consolidated B-BBEE certificate is required and not individual B-BBEE certificates
5	Are we going to have access to the recorded session? On which portal will it be posted? And what is the timeframe?	Yes, the non-compulsory clarification presentation, minutes, recording, all questions and answers from the tender advert date to the non-clarification meeting date included. The tender is advertised on the National Treasury (eTender) and Transnet websites – it will be the same platforms where the non-compulsory clarification meeting information will be advertised. The timeframe for the non-compulsory clarification meeting information is today, 20 November 2025.

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