

## HOAC-VAR-52627 Clarification Questions and Responses (2<sup>nd</sup>)

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CORPORATE UNIFORM CLOTHING TO TRANSNET RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGER AND CORPORATE SECURITY UNIFORM TO TRANSNET SOC OPERATING DIVISIONS ON AN "AS AND WHEN REQUIRED BASIS" FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (05) YEARS.

#### 24 October 2025

### **Question 1:**

I make reference to the above-mentioned RFP, if there are items in a category we're bidding for that we do not manufacture, can we outsource those items from another manufacture?

# TRIM response:

The bidding company must submit their manufacturing capability report indicating all the items they are tendering for per category. If you outsource some of the items that would mean they are not listed in your capability report which according to the RFP evaluation criteria will lead to disqualification.

### **Question 2:**

The briefing notes indicate that should the bidder not be the manufacturer they would be disqualified and not move further along the adjudication stages. If a letter from the manufacture is provided will that still not be considered?

### **TRIM Response**

The manufacturing capability report needs to be in the name of the bidding company as indicated in the RFP document.