

## TRANSNET NATIONAL PORTS AUTHORITY

an Operating Division of TRANSNET SOC LTD

[hereinafter referred to as **Transnet**]

[Registration No. 1990/000900/30]

## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL [RFP]**

FOR THE PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE HAZARDOUS WASTE REMOVAL FOR TRANSNET SOC LTD (REG. NO 1990/000900/30) TRADING THROUGH ITS OPERATION DIVISION TRANSNET NATIONAL PORTS AUTHORITY (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "TNPA") IN THE PORT OF CAPE TOWN

FOR A PERIOD OF: Thirty-Six (36) Months

**RFP NUMBER** TNPA/2022/10/1197/13662/RFP

**ISSUE DATE:** 03 October 2022

COMPULSORY BRIEFING DATE: 11 October 2022 @ 10:30 to 11:30 AM

**CLOSING DATE:** 26 October 2022

CLOSING TIME: 16:00 PM

**BID VALIDITY PERIOD:** 90 Business Days from Closing Date

#### Note to the bidders:

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PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT PREQUALIFICATION CRITERIA - ONLY THE FOLLOWING RESPONDENTS MAY RESPOND TO THIS RFP:

- a) RESPONDENTS WITH A MINIMUM B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF 4;
- b) EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISES (EMEs) OR QUALIFYING SMALL ENTERPRISES (QSEs);

## TECHNICAL ELIGIBITY CRITERIA-ONLY THE FOLLOWING RESPONDENTS MAY RESPOND TO THE RFP:

- Permit / license for Hazardous waste to be used (Approved registered Landfill). Valid City of Cape Town Accreditation as Waste Management Service Provider in line with City of Cape Town Integrated Waste Management By-Law
- Valid Driver's License and valid PrDP "D" (Transportation of Hazardous Goods)



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# RFP FOR THE PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR THE HAZARDOUS WASTE REMOVAL WITHIN THE PORT OF CAPE TOWN

**SECTION 1: SBD1 FORM** 

## PART A INVITATION TO BID

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF TRANSNET NATIONAL PORST AUTHORITY, A DIVISION TRANSNET SOC LTD								
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Date & Company Stamp

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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING				
1. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS				
1.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.				
1.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.				
1.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.				
1.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.				
1.5 IN BIDS WHERE UNINCORPORATED CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.			IVOLVED, EACH	
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NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:
(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)
DATE:

Respondent's Signature

## **SECTION 2: NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

## 1 INVITATION TO BID

Responses to this RFP [hereinafter referred to as a **Bid** or a **Proposal**] are requested from persons, companies, close corporations or enterprises [hereinafter referred to as an **entity**, **Respondent** or **Bidder**].

DESCRIPTION	PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR HAZARDOUS WASTE REMOVAL AT TRANSNET NATIONAL PORTS AUTHORITY IN THE PORT OF CAPE TOWN		
TENDER ADVERT	All Transnet tenders are advertised on the National Treasury's e-Tender Publication Portal and the Transnet website. Should one of these media (i.e. National Treasury's e-Tender Publication Portal or Transnet website) not be available, bidders are advised to check on the other media for advertised tenders.		
RFP DOWNLOADING	This RFP may be downloaded directly from National Treasury's e-Tender Publication Portal at <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.za">www.etenders.gov.za</a> free of charge.		
	To download RFP and Annexures:		
	Click on "Tender Opportunities";		
	Select "Advertised Tenders";		
	<ul> <li>In the "Department" box, select Transnet SOC Ltd.</li> </ul>		
	Once the tender has been located in the list, click on the 'Tender documents" tab and process to download all uploaded documents.		
	The RFP may also be downloaded from the Transnet Portal at <a href="https://transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net">https://transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net</a> (please use <b>Google Chrome</b> to access Transnet link/site) free of charge (refer to section 2, paragraph 3 below for detailed steps)		
COMMUNICATION	Any addenda to the RFP or clarifications will be published on the e-tender portal and Transnet website. Bidders are required to check the e-tender portal or Transnet website prior to finalising their bid submissions for any changes or clarifications to the RFP.		
	Transnet will not be held liable if Bidders do not receive the latest information regarding this RFP with the possible consequence of either being disadvantaged or disqualified as a result thereof.		
<b>BRIEFING SESSION</b>	Yes – Compulsory		
	Bidders are required to confirm their attendance and to send their contact details including the number of representatives (where applicable) to the following address: Noloyiso.alam@transnet.net		
	This is to ensure that Transnet may make the necessary arrangements for the briefing session.		
	Refer to paragraph 2 for details.		
CLOSING DATE	16:00 pm on Wednesday, 26 October 2022		
	Bidders must ensure that bids are uploaded timeously onto the Transnet E-Tender Submission system.		
	As a general rule, if a bid is late, it will not be accepted for consideration.		
	Bidders are required to ensure that electronic bid submissions are done at least a day before the closing date to prevent issues which they may encounter due to their internet speed, bandwidth		

	or the size of the number of uploads they are submitting. Transnet will not be held liable for any challenges experienced by bidders as a result of the technical challenges. Please do not wait for the last hour to submit. A Bidder can upload 30mb per upload and multiple uploads are permitted.
VALIDITY PERIOD	90 Business Days from Closing Date
	Bidders are to note that they may be requested to extend the validity period of their bid, at the same terms and conditions, if the internal evaluation process has not been finalised within the validity period. However, once the adjudication body has approved the process and award of the business to the successful bidder(s), the validity of the successful bidder(s)' bid will be deemed to remain valid until a final contract has been concluded.
	With regard to the validity period of next highest ranked bidders, please refer to Section 2, paragraph 11.12

Any additional information or clarification will be published on the e-Tender portal and Transnet website, if necessary.

## **2 FORMAL BRIEFING**

A compulsory pre-proposal site meeting or RFP briefing will be conducted at Transnet National Ports Authority - HR & Procurement boardroom situated at 34 South arm Road, Cape Town, 8000 on the **Tuesday, 11 October 2022,** at 10:30 - 11:30 for a period of  $\pm 2$  hours. [Respondents to provide own transportation and accommodation]. The briefing session will start punctually and information will not be repeated for the benefit of Respondents arriving late.

- 2.1 A Certificate of Attendance in the form set out in Section 9 hereto must be completed and submitted with your Proposal as proof of attendance is required for a **compulsory** site meeting and/or RFP briefing.
- 2.2 Respondents failing to attend the compulsory RFP briefing will be disqualified.
- 2.3 Respondents are encouraged to bring a copy of the RFP to the site meeting and/or RFP briefing.

## 3 PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

Transnet has implemented a new electronic tender submission system, the e-Tender Submission Portal, in line with the overall Transnet digitalization strategy where suppliers can view advertised tenders, register their information, log their intent to respond to bids and upload their bid proposals/responses on to the system.

- a) The Transnet e-Tender Submission Portal can be accessed as follows:
  - Log on to the Transnet eTenders management platform website/ Portal ((<u>transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net</u>) Please use **Google Chrome** to access Transnet link/site);
  - Click on "ADVERTISED TENDERS" to view advertised tenders;
  - Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER for bidder to register their information (must fill in all mandatory information);
  - Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER" to sign in if already registered;
  - Toggle (click to switch) the "Log an Intent" button to submit a bid;
  - Submit bid documents by uploading them into the system against each tender selected.

• No late submissions will be accepted. The bidder guide can be found on the Transnet Portal transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net

## 4 RFP INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Please sign documents [sign, stamp and date the bottom of each page] before uploading them on the system. The person or persons signing the submission must be legally authorised by the respondent to do so.

# 4.2 All returnable documents tabled in the Proposal Form [Section 5] must be returned with proposals.

- 4.3 Unless otherwise expressly stated, all Proposals furnished pursuant to this RFP shall be deemed to be offers. Any exceptions to this statement must be clearly and specifically indicated.
- 4.4 Any additional conditions must be embodied in an accompanying letter. Subject only to clause 15 [Alterations made by the Respondent to Bid Prices] of the General Bid Conditions, paragraph 12 below (Legal Review) and Section 6 of the RFP, alterations, additions or deletions must not be made by the Respondent to the actual RFP documents.

## 5 JOINT VENTURES OR CONSORTIUMS

Respondents who would wish to respond to this RFP as a Joint Venture [JV] or consortium with B-BBEE entities, must state their intention to do so in their RFP submission. Such Respondents must also submit a signed JV or consortium agreement between the parties clearly stating the percentage [%] split of business and the associated responsibilities of each party. If at the time of the bid submission such a JV or consortium agreement has not been concluded, the partners must submit confirmation in writing of their intention to enter into a JV or consortium agreement should they be awarded business by Transnet through this RFP process. This written confirmation must clearly indicate the percentage [%] split of business and the responsibilities of each party. In such cases, award of business will only take place once a signed copy of a JV or consortium agreement is submitted to Transnet.

Respondents are to note that for the purpose of Evaluation, a JV will be evaluated based on one consolidated B-BBEE score card as per the B-BBEE Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 preference point scoring.

### 6.1. Exempted Micro Enterprises & Qualifying Small Enterprises

Transnet has set a prequalification criterion that only Exempted Micro Enterprises (EMEs) or Qualifying Small Enterprises may participate in this RFP process. A bid that fails to meet this pre-qualifying criteria will be regarded as an unacceptable bid.

#### 6.2. Minimum B-BBEE level

Transnet has decided to set a minimum B-BBEE threshold for participation in this RFP process. The minimum B-BBEE threshold in this instance is a B-BBEE Level 4, and Respondents who do not have at least this B-BBEE status or higher will be disqualified.

#### **6 COMMUNICATION**

- 6.1 For specific queries relating to this RFP, an RFP Clarification Request Form should be submitted onto the system and to Noloyiso.alam@transnet.net before **16:00 pm on Friday, 14 October 2022**, substantially in the form set out in Section 8 hereto. In the interest of fairness and transparency, Transnet's response to such a query will be published on the e-tender portal and Transnet website.
- 6.2 After the closing date of the RFP, a Respondent may only communicate with the **Khulekani Sikhosana** (BEC chairperson), at telephone number 021 449 4370, email <u>Khulekani.sikhosana@transnet.net</u> on any matter relating to its RFP Proposal.
- 6.3 Respondents are to note that changes to its submission will not be considered after the closing date.
- 6.4 It is prohibited for Respondents to attempt, either directly or indirectly, to canvass any officer or employee of Transnet in respect of this RFP between the closing date and the date of the award of the business.
- 6.5 Respondents found to be in collusion with one another will be automatically disqualified and restricted from doing business with organs of state for a specified period.

## **7 CONFIDENTIALITY**

All information related to this RFP is to be treated with strict confidence. In this regard Respondents are required to certify that they have acquainted themselves with the Non-Disclosure Agreement. All information related to a subsequent contract, both during and after completion thereof, will be treated with strict confidence. Should the need however arise to divulge any information related to this RFP or the subsequent contract, written approval must be obtained from Transnet.

#### 8 COMPLIANCE

The successful Respondent [hereinafter referred to as the **Service provider** shall be in full and complete compliance with any and all applicable laws and regulations.

## 9 EMPLOYMENT EQUITY ACT

Respondents must comply with the requirements of the Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998 applicable to it including (but not limited to) Section 53 of the Employment Equity Act.

## 10 DISCLAIMERS

Respondents are hereby advised that Transnet is not committed to any course of action as a result of its issuance of this RFP and/or its receipt of Proposals. In particular, please note that Transnet reserves the right to:

- 10.1 modify the RFP's Goods/Services and request Respondents to re-bid on any such changes;
- 10.2 reject any Proposal which does not conform to instructions and specifications which are detailed herein;
- 10.3 disqualify Proposals submitted after the stated submission deadline [closing date];
- 10.4 award a contract in connection with this Proposal at any time after the RFP's closing date;

- 10.5 award a contract for only a portion of the proposed Goods/Services which are reflected in the scope of this RFP;
- 10.6 split the award of the contract between more than one Supplier/Service provider, should it at Transnet's discretion be more advantageous in terms of, amongst others, cost or developmental considerations;
- 10.7 cancel the bid process;
- 10.8 validate any information submitted by Respondents in response to this bid. This would include, but is not limited to, requesting the Respondents to provide supporting evidence. By submitting a bid, Respondents hereby irrevocably grant the necessary consent to Transnet to do so;
- 10.9 request audited financial statements or other documentation for the purposes of a due diligence exercise;
- 10.10 not accept any changes or purported changes by the Respondent to the bid rates after the closing date and/or after the award of the business, unless the contract specifically provided for it;
- 10.11 to cancel the contract and/request that National Treasury place the Respondent on its Database of Restricted Suppliers for a period not exceeding 10 years, on the basis that a contract was awarded on the strength of incorrect information furnished by the Respondent or on any other basis recognised in law;
- 10.12 to award the business to the next ranked bidder, provided that he/she is still prepared to provide the required Goods/Services at the quoted price, should the preferred bidder fail to sign or commence with the contract within a reasonable period after being requested to do so. Under such circumstances, the validity of the bids of the next ranked bidder(s) will be deemed to remain valid, irrespective of whether the next ranked bidder(s) were issued with a Letter of Regret. Bidders may therefore be requested to advise whether they would still be prepared to provide the required Goods/Services at their quoted price, even after they have been issued with a Letter of Regret.

Note that Transnet will not reimburse any Respondent for any preparatory costs or other work performed in connection with its Proposal, whether or not the Respondent is awarded a contract.

## 11 LEGAL REVIEW

A Proposal 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. A material deviation from the Standard terms or conditions could result in disqualification.

#### 12 SECURITY CLEARANCE

Acceptance of this bid could be subject to the condition that the Successful Respondent, its personnel providing the Goods/Services and its subcontractor(s) must obtain security clearance from the appropriate authorities to the level of **CONFIDENTIAL/ SECRET/TOP SECRET**. Obtaining the required clearance is the responsibility of the Successful Respondent. Acceptance of the bid is also subject to the condition that the

Successful Respondent will implement all such security measures as the safe performance of the contract may require.

## 13 NATIONAL TREASURY'S CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE

Respondents are required to self-register on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD) which has been established to centrally administer supplier information for all organs of state and facilitate the verification of certain key supplier information. Respondents must register on the CSD prior to submitting their bids. Business may not be awarded to a Respondent who has failed to register on the CSD. Only foreign suppliers with no local registered entity need not register on the CSD.

For this purpose, the attached SBD 1 form must be completed and submitted as a mandatory returnable document by the closing date and time of the bid.

#### 14 TAX COMPLIANCE

Respondents must be compliant when submitting a proposal to Transnet and remain compliant for the entire contract term with all applicable tax legislation, including but not limited to the Income Tax Act, 1962 (Act No. 58 of 1962) and Value Added Tax Act, 1991 (Act No. 89 of 1991).

It is a condition of this bid that the tax matters of the successful Respondents be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the Respondents tax obligations.

The Tax Compliance status requirements are also applicable to foreign Respondents/ individuals who wish to submit bids.

Where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must be registered on the Central Supplier Database and their tax compliance status will be verified through the Central Supplier Database.



## **SECTION 3: BACKGROUND, OVERVIEW AND SCOPE OF REQUIREMENTS**

#### 1 BACKGROUND

The port of Cape Town operations produces waste. As the result of the operations, the port is unable to handle its waste as far as required by the Waste Act 58 of 2008. Hence the port opted to get Waste Service permit holders to manage waste on behalf of the port. In so doing to comply with the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa section 24 as well as National Environmental Management Act: Waste Act 58 of 2008 as far as waste management is consent.

#### 2 EXECUTIVE OVERVIEW

Whereas Transnet is seeking a partner(s) to provide solutions for its **Division** (Transnet National Ports Authority) nationally, it also seeks to improve its current processes for providing these Services to its end user community throughout its locations.

The selected Supplier/Service provider(s) must share in the mission and business objectives of Transnet. These mutual goals will be met by meeting contractual requirements and new challenges in an environment of teamwork, joint participation, flexibility, innovation and open communications. In this spirit of partnership, Transnet and its Supplier/Service provider(s) will study the current ways they do business to enhance current practices and support processes and systems. Such a partnership will allow Transnet to reach higher levels of quality, service and profitability.

Specifically, Transnet seeks to benefit from this partnership in the following ways:

- 2.1 Transnet must receive reduced cost of acquisition and improved service benefits resulting from the Supplier/Service provider's economies of scale and streamlined service processes.
- 2.2 Transnet must achieve appropriate availability that meets user needs while reducing costs for both Transnet and the chosen Supplier/Service provider(s).
- 2.3 Transnet must receive proactive improvements from the Supplier/Service provider with respect to supply/provision of Goods/Services and related processes.
- 2.4 Transnet's overall competitive advantage must be strengthened by the chosen Supplier/Service provider's leading edge technology and service delivery systems.
- 2.5 Transnet end users must be able to rely on the chosen Supplier/Service provider's personnel for service enquiries, recommendations and substitutions.
- 2.6 Transnet must reduce costs by streamlining its acquisition of Goods/Services, including managed service processes on a Group basis.

#### 3 SCOPE OF REQUIREMENTS

The type of service required is the removal of hazardous waste in the port of Cape Town. The port is not in a position to provide this kind of service by itself due to the nature of specific requirements. Hence there is a need to appoint a service provider. This shall entail the placing of reception facilities at defined points

within the Port of Cape Town. Please refer to ANNEXURE A for full scope of work

## **GREEN ECONOMY / CARBON FOOTPRINT**

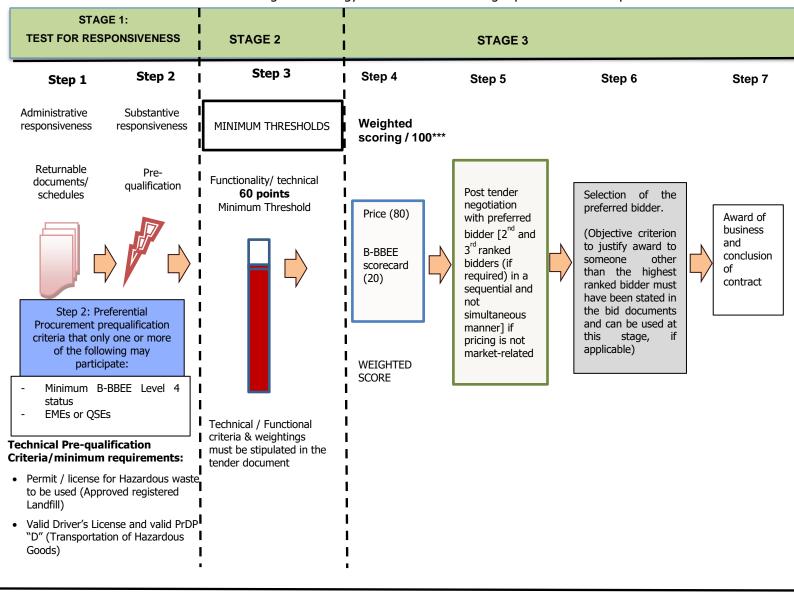
Transnet wishes to have an understanding of your company's position with regard to environmental commitments, including key environmental characteristics such as waste disposal, recycling and energy conservation. *Please submit details of your entity's policies in this regard.* 

#### 4 GENERAL SERVICE PROVIDER OBLIGATIONS

- 4.1 The Service provider(s) shall be fully responsible to Transnet for the acts and omissions of persons directly or indirectly employed by them.
- 4.2 The Service provider(s) must comply with the requirements stated in this RFP.

#### 5 EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

Transnet will utilise the following methodology and criteria in selecting a preferred Service provider:



NB: Evaluation of the various stages will normally take place in a sequential manner. However, in order to expedite the process, Transnet reserves the right to conduct the different steps of the evaluation process in parallel. In such instances the evaluation of bidders at any given stage must not be interpreted to mean that bidders have necessarily passed any previous stage(s).

## 5.1 STEP ONE: Test for Administrative Responsiveness

The test for administrative responsiveness will include the following:

	Administrative responsiveness check	RFP Reference
•	Whether the Bid has been lodged on time	Section 1 paragraph 3
•	Whether all Returnable Documents and/or schedules [where applicable] were completed and returned by the closing date and time	Section 5
•	Verify the validity of all returnable documents	Section 5
•	Verify if the Bid document has been duly signed by the authorised respondent	All sections

The test for administrative responsiveness [Step One] must be passed for a Respondent's Proposal to progress to Step Two for further pre-qualification

## 5.2 STEP TWO: Test for Substantive Responsiveness to RFP

The test for substantive responsiveness to this RFP will include the following:

	Check for substantive responsiveness	RFP Reference
•	Whether any general and legislation qualification criteria set by Transnet, have been met	All sections including: Section 2 paragraphs, 2.2, 6, 11.2, General Bid Conditions clause 20
•	Whether the Bid contains a priced offer as prescribed in the pricing and delivery schedule	Section 4
•	Whether the Bid materially complies with the scope and/or specification given	All Sections
•	Whether any Technical pre-qualification/eligibility criteria set by Transnet have been met as follows:	Section 3 – Scope of Work  Annexure A
	<ul> <li>Permit / license for Hazardous waste to be used (Approved registered Landfill)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Valid Driver's License and valid PrDP "D" (Transportation of Hazardous Goods)</li> </ul>	
•	Whether any set prequalification criteria for preferential procurement have been met:	Section 2 - Paragraph 6
	<ul> <li>Minimum B-BBEE Level 4 threshold.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Only EMEs and QSEs may participate in this RFP</li> </ul>	

# The test for substantive responsiveness [Step Two] must be passed for a Respondent's proposal to progress to Step Three for further evaluation

# 5.3 STEP THREE: Minimum Threshold 60 points for Technical Criteria Refer To Annexure B – Technical Evaluation for a Scoring Detailed Document

The test for the Technical and Functional threshold will include the following:

Respondents must complete and submit **Annexure B** which include a Technical Questionnaire. A Respondent's compliance with the minimum functionality/technical threshold will be measured by their responses to Annexure B.

Respondents are to note that Transnet will round off final technical scores to the nearest 2 (two) decimal places for the purposes of determining whether the technical threshold has been met.

The minimum threshold for technical/functionality [Step Three] must be met or exceeded for a Respondent's Proposal to progress to Step Four for final evaluation

## 5.4 STEP FOUR: Evaluation and Final Weighted Scoring

a) **Price and TCO Criteria** [Weighted score 80 points]:

Evaluation Criteria	RFP Reference
Commercial offer	Section 4
<ul> <li>Commercial discounts<sup>1</sup></li> <li>Price adjustment conditions / factors</li> <li>Exchange rate exposure</li> <li>Disbursements</li> </ul>	Section 4

Transnet will utilise the following formula in its evaluation of Price:

$$PS = 80 \left( 1 - \frac{Pt - Pmin}{Pmin} \right)$$

Ps = Score for the Bid under consideration
 Pt = Price of Bid under consideration
 Pmin= Price of lowest acceptable Bid

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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) **Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment criteria** [Weighted score 20 points]

- B-BBEE current scorecard / B-BBEE Preference Points Claims Form
- Preference points will be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table indicated in Section 4.1 of the B-BBEE Preference Points Claim Form.

## 5.5 SUMMARY: Applicable Thresholds and Final Evaluated Weightings

Thresholds	Minimum Threshold
Technical / functionality	60%

Evaluation Criteria	Final Weighted Scores
Price and Total Cost of Ownership	80
B-BBEE - Scorecard	20
TOTAL SCORE:	100

## 5.6 STEP FIVE: Post Tender Negotiations

- Respondents are to note that Transnet may not award a contract if the price offered is not market-related. In this regard, Transnet reserves the right to engage in PTN with the view to achieving a market-related price or to cancel the tender. Negotiations will be done in a sequential manner i.e.:
  - first negotiate with the highest ranked bidder or cancel the bid, should such negotiations fail,
  - negotiate with the 2nd and 3rd ranked bidders (if required) in a sequential manner.
- In the event of any Respondent being notified of such short-listed/preferred bidder status, his/her bid, as well as any subsequent negotiated best and final offers (BAFO), will automatically be deemed to remain valid during the negotiation period and until the ultimate award of business.
- Should Transnet conduct post tender negotiations, Respondents will be requested to provide their best and final offers to Transnet based on such negotiations. Where a market related price has been achieved through negotiation, the contract will be awarded to the successful Respondent(s).

## 5.7 STEP SIX: Objective Criteria

Transnet reserves the right to award the business to the highest scoring bidder/s unless objective criteria justify the award to another bidder. The objective criteria Transnet may apply in this bid process include:

- Geographical location;
- all Risks identified during a risk assessment exercise/probity check (which may be conducted by an authorised third party) that would be done to assess all risks, including but not limited to:
  - the financial stability of the bidder based on key ratio analysis, which would include, but not be limited to Efficiency, Profitability, Financial Risk, Liquidity, Acid Test, and Solvency;

- a due diligence to assess functional capability and capacity. This could include a site visit;
- A commercial relationship with a Domestic Prominent Influential Person (DPIP) or Foreign Prominent Public Official (FPPO) or an entity of which such person or official is the beneficial owner; and
- Reputational and Brand risks

## 5.8 STEP SEVEN: Award of business and conclusion of contract

- Immediately after approval to award the contract has been received, the successful bidder(s) will be informed of the acceptance of his/their Bid by way of a Letter of Award. Thereafter the final contract will be concluded with the successful Respondent(s).
- A final contract will be concluded and entered into with the successful Bidder at the acceptance of a letter of award by the Respondent.

#### **SECTION 4: PRICING AND DELIVERY SCHEDULE**

#### Refer To Annexure C - Pricing Schedule

Respondents are to note that Transnet will round off final pricing scores to the nearest 2 (two) decimal places.

#### **Notes to Pricing:**

- a) Respondents are to note that if the price offered by the highest scoring bidder is not market-related, Transnet may not award the contract to that Respondent. Transnet may-
  - (i) negotiate a market-related price with the Respondent scoring the highest points or cancel the RFP;
  - (ii) if that Respondent does not agree to a market-related price, negotiate a market-related price with the Respondent scoring the second highest points or cancel the RFP;
  - (iii) if the Respondent scoring the second highest points does not agree to a market-related price, negotiate a market-related price with the Respondent scoring the third highest points or cancel the RFP.

If a market-related price is not agreed with the Respondent scoring the third highest points, Transnet must cancel the RFP.

- b) Prices must be quoted in South African Rand inclusive of VAT.
- c) Any disbursement not specifically priced for will not be considered/accepted by Transnet.
- d) To facilitate like-for-like comparison bidders must submit pricing strictly in accordance with this pricing schedule and not utilise a different format. Deviation from this pricing schedule could result in a bid being declared non-responsive.
- e) Rates proposed must be aligned with the Guide on Hourly Fee Rates for Consultants" by the Department of Public Service and Administration (DPSA);
- f) Quantities given are estimates only. Any orders resulting from this RFP will be on an "as and when required" basis.
- g) Prices are to be quoted on a delivered basis to ......

- h) 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.
- i) Where a Respondent's price(s) includes imported goods/items, the rate of exchange to be used must be in South African Rands for purposes of determining whether the price is market related or not and must be the currency's rate published by the South African Reserve Bank on the date of the advertisement of the bid:

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- j) In respect of incoterms conditions, if applicable, please refer to paragraph 25 of the General Bid Conditions which is attached to the RFQ
- k) Manufacturing and delivery lead time calculated from date of receipt of purchase order: \_\_\_\_\_ weeks.
- Respondents, if awarded the contract, are required to indicate that their prices quoted would be kept firm and fixed for the contract duration. [Not to be confused with bid validity period Section 2, clause 1]

YES	

#### 1. DISCLOSURE OF CONTRACT INFORMATION

#### **PRICES TENDERED**

Respondents are to note that, on award of business, Transnet is required to publish the tendered prices of the successful and unsuccessful Respondents *inter alia* on the National Treasury e-Tender Publication Portal, (<a href="www.etenders.gov.za">www.etenders.gov.za</a>), as required per National Treasury Instruction Note 01 of 2015/2016.

#### JOHANNESBURG STOCK EXCHANGE DEBT LISTING REQUIREMENTS

Transnet may also be required to disclose information relating to the subsequent contract i.e. the name of the company, goods/services provided by the company, the value and duration of the contract, etc. in compliance with the Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE) Debt Listing Requirements.

## DOMESTIC PROMINENT INFLUENTIAL PERSONS (DPIP) OR FOREIGN PROMINENT PUBLIC OFFICIALS (FPPO)

Transnet is free to procure the services of any person within or outside the Republic of South Africa in accordance with applicable legislation. Transnet shall not conduct or conclude business transactions, with any Respondents without having:

- Considered relevant governance protocols;
- Determined the DPIP or FPPO status of that counterparty; and
- Conducted a risk assessment and due diligence to assess the potential risks that may be posed by the business relationship.

As per the Transnet Domestic Prominent Influential Persons (DPIP) and Foreign Prominent Public Officials (FPPO) and Related Individuals Policy available on Transnet website <a href="https://www.transnet.net/search/pages/results.aspx?k=FPIDP#k=DPIP">https://www.transnet.net/search/pages/results.aspx?k=FPIDP#k=DPIP</a>, Respondents are required to disclose any commercial relationship with a DPIP or FPPO (as defined in the Policy) by completing the following section:

The below form contains personal information as defined in the Protection of Personal Information Act, 2013 (the "Act"). By completing the form, the signatory consents to the processing of her/his personal information in accordance with the requirements of the Act. Consent cannot unreasonably be withheld. Is the Respondent (Complete with a "Yes" or "No") A DPIP/FPPO Closely Related Closely to a DPIP/FPPO Associated to a **DPIP/FPPO** List all known business interests, in which a DPIP/FPPO may have a direct/indirect interest or significant participation or involvement. No Name Shareholding Registration Status of Role in the **Entity Entity** % Number (Mark the applicable **Business Business** option with an X) (Nature of Active **Non-Active** interest/ Participation) 1 2 3

Respondents declaring a commercial relationship with a DPIP or FPPO are to note that Transnet is required to annually publish on its website a list of all business contracts entered into with DPIP or FPPO. This list will include successful Respondents, if applicable.

#### 2. PRICE REVIEW

The successful Respondent(s) Service provider] will be obliged to submit to an annual price review. Transnet will be benchmarking this price offering(s) against the lowest price received as per a benchmarking exercise. If the Service provider's price(s) is/are found to be higher than the benchmarked price(s), then the Service provider shall match or better such price(s) within 30 [thirty] calendar days, failing which the contract may be terminated at Transnet's discretion or the particular item(s) or service(s) purchased outside the contract.

## 3. "AS AND WHEN REQUIRED" CONTRACTS

- 3.1 Purchase orders will be placed on the Service provider(s) from time to time as and when Goods/Services are required.
- 3.2 Transnet reserves the right to place purchase orders until the last day of the contract for deliveries to be effected, within the delivery period / lead time specified, beyond the expiry date of the contract under the same terms and conditions as agreed upon.
- 3.3 Delivery requirements may be stipulated in purchase orders and scheduled deliveries may be called for. However, delivery periods and maximum monthly rates of delivery offered by the Respondents will be used as guidelines in establishing lead times and monthly delivery requirements with the Supplier.
- 3.4 Where scheduled deliveries are required, the delivery period(s) specified must be strictly complied with, unless otherwise requested by Transnet. Material supplied earlier than specified may not be paid for or may be returned by Transnet, with the Supplier being held liable for all expenses so incurred, e.g. handling and transport charges.
- 3.5 If the delivery period offered by the Respondents is subject to a maximum monthly production capacity, full particulars must be indicated in Section 4 [Pricing and Delivery Schedule]
- 3.6 The Respondent must state hereunder its annual holiday closedown period [if applicable] and whether this period has been included in the delivery lead time offered:

3.7	Respondents are required to indicate below the action that the Respondent proposes to take to ensure continui
	of supply during non-working days or holidays.

### 4. SERVICE LEVELS

- 4.1 An experienced national account representative(s) is required to work with Transnet's procurement department. [No sales representatives are needed for individual department or locations]. Additionally, there shall be a minimal number of people, fully informed and accountable for this agreement.
- 4.2 Transnet will have quarterly reviews with the Service provider's account representative on an on-going basis.
- 4.3 Transnet reserves the right to request that any member of the Service provider's team involved on the Transnet account be replaced if deemed not to be adding value for Transnet.
- 4.4 The Service provider guarantees that it will achieve a 95% [ninety-five per cent] service level on the following measures:
  - a) Random checks on compliance with quality/quantity/specifications
  - b) On-time delivery

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If the Service provider does not achieve this level as an average over each quarter, Transnet will receive a 1.5% [one and a half per cent] rebate on quarterly sales payable in the next quarter

- 4.5 The Supplier/Service provider must provide a telephone number for customer service calls.
- 4.6 Failure of the Supplier/Service provider to comply with stated service level requirements will give Transnet the right to cancel the contract in whole, without penalty to Transnet, giving 30 [thirty] calendar days' notice to the Supplier/Service provider of its intention to do so.

Accepta	nce of Service	e Levels:				
	YES			NO		
5. RISK						
Respondents mus	t elaborate on	the control meas	ures put in	place by their	entity, which	would mitigate the risk to
Transnet pertainin	g to potential n	on-performance b	y the Resp	ondent, in relat	tion to:	
5.1 Quality and	specification	of Goods/Servic	ces delive	red:		
5.2 <b>Continuity o</b>	f supply:					
5.3 Compliance	with the Occu	upational Health	and Safe	ty Act, 85 of	1993:	
5.4 <b>Compliance</b>	with the Nati	onal Railway Sa	fety Regu	lator Act, 16	of 2002:	
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NAME:			_			
DESIGNATION:						

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#### SECTION 05: PROPOSAL FORM AND LIST OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

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accorda	nce with	the terms se	t form in the C	Jocuments II	sted in the accor	прапуппу	schedule of RFP of	Jocumer	its.	
I/We ag	ree to be	bound by th	nose condition	s in Transne	ťs:					
(i) N	laster Ag	reement (wh	nich may be su	ubject to am	endment at Tran	snet's dis	scretion if applicab	le);		
(ii) G	General B	id Conditions	s; and							
(iii) a	ny other	standard or	special condit	ions mentior	ned and/or embo	died in th	nis Request for Pro	posal.		
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contract	if called	upon to do	so, or fail to	commence t	he supply/provisi	on of Go	oods/Services wit	hin 2 [tv	vo] weeks	thereafter,

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have been put in calling for Proposals afresh and/or having to accept any less favourable Proposal.

Transnet may, without prejudice to any other legal remedy which it may have, recover from me/us any expense to which it may

Furthermore, I/we agree to a penalty clause/s which will allow Transnet to invoke a penalty against us for non-compliance with material terms of this RFP including the delayed delivery of the Goods/Services due to non-performance by ourselves, , etc.

I/we agree that non-compliance with any of the material terms of this RFP, including those mentioned above, will constitute a material breach of contract and provide Transnet with cause for cancellation.

#### **ADDRESS FOR NOTICES**

The law of the Republic of South Africa shall govern any contract created by the acceptance of this RFP. The *domicilium citandi et executandi* shall be a place in the Republic of South Africa to be specified by the Respondent hereunder, 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. Foreign Respondents shall, therefore, state hereunder the name of their authorised representative in the Republic of South Africa who has the power of attorney to sign any contract which may have to be entered into in the event of their Proposal being accepted and to act on their behalf in all matters relating to such contract.

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Facsi	mile:		
Addre	ess:		
NOT	IFICATION OF AWARD OF RFP		
		contract(s), the successful Resp	ondent [the Supplier/Service provider] will
be in	formed of the acceptance of its Proposal. U	nsuccessful Respondents will be	advised in writing of the name of the successful
	· · ·	·	successful, for example, in the category of price,
delive	ery period, quality, B-BBEE status or for any	other reason.	
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		s Days [from closing date] agair	ast this RFP, excluding the first day and including
the la	ast day.		
NAM	IE(S) AND ADDRESS / ADDRESSES OF I	DIRECTOR(S) OR MEMBER(S	5)
The I	Respondent must disclose hereunder the full	name(s) and address(s) of the	director(s) or members of the company or close
corpo	oration [ <b>C.C.</b> ] on whose behalf the RFP is su	bmitted.	
(i)	Registration number of company / C.C		
(ii)	Registered name of company / C.C.		
(iii)	Full name(s) of director/member(s)	Address/Addresses	ID Number(s)

#### **RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS**

Returnable Documents means all the documents, Sections and Annexures, as listed in the tables below. There are three types of returnable documents as indicated below and Respondents are urged to ensure that these documents are returned with their bids based on the consequences of non-submission as indicated below:

Mandatory Returnable	Failure to provide all these Mandatory Returnable Documents at the Closing
Documents	Date and time of this RFP <u>will</u> result in a Respondent's disqualification.
Returnable Documents Used for	Failure to provide all Returnable Documents used for purposes of scoring a bid,
Scoring	by the closing date and time of this bid will not result in a Respondent's
	disqualification. However, Bidders will receive an automatic score of zero for
	the applicable evaluation criterion.
Essential Returnable Documents	Failure to provide essential Returnable Documents will result in Transnet
	affording Respondents a further opportunity to submit by a set deadline. Should
	a Respondent thereafter fail to submit the requested documents, this may result
	in a Respondent's disqualification.

All Returnable Sections, as indicated in the header and footer of the relevant pages, must be signed, stamped and dated by the Respondent.

## a) Mandatory Returnable Documents

Respondents are required to submit with their bid submissions the following **Mandatory Returnable Documents**, and also to confirm submission of these documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the tables below:

MANDATORY RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS			
Section 1: SBD1 Form			
SECTION 4: Pricing and Delivery Schedule			
ANNEXURE A – Scope of work (Specification)			
ANNEXURE B - Technical Submission/Questionnaire			
ANNEXURE C – Pricing schedule			
Valid proof of Respondent's compliance to B-BBEE requirements stipulated in Section 9 of this RFP			
Minimum B-BBEE Level 4 threshold and;			
EMEs and QSEs to participate in this RFP			
Whether any Technical pre-qualification/eligibility criteria set by Transnet have been met as follows:			
<ul> <li>Permit / license for Hazardous waste to be used (Approved registered Landfill) - Valid City of Cape Town Accreditation as Waste Management Service Provider in line with City of Cape Town Integrated Waste Management By-Law</li> </ul>			
Valid Driver's License and valid PrDP "D" (Transportation of Hazardous Goods)			

## b) Returnable Documents Used for Scoring

In addition to the requirements of section (a) above, Respondents are further required to submit with their Proposals the following **Returnable Documents Used for Scoring** and also to confirm submission of these documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below:

RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS USED FOR SCORING	SUBMITTED [Yes or No]
Valid proof of Respondent's compliance to B-BBEE requirements stipulated in Section 9 of this RFP	
(Valid B-BBEE certificate or Sworn Affidavit)	
<b>Experience</b> = Company to submit an extensive company profile with a minimum of four (4)	
references in the form of signed letters from previous clients. More than three years of	
experience on similar projects = 20 points	
<b>Service Provider Registration</b> = Service Provider Registration Permits and Memberships:	
Provide copies of the following documentation as a minimum:	
1. Waste Management Licenses for all facilities (landfill site) involved in the storage,	
transfer, treatment or disposal of wastes as may be required in terms of Schedule 1	
of the National Environment Management Waste Act (Act 59 of 2009)	
2. Proof of membership with Institute of Waste Management.	
3. SAWIC/SAWIS and / IPWIS Registration	
4. Municipality Accreditation	
5. Relevant certificates of trained members (Waste Management). 20 points	
Time Frames for Service Provision	
1. Number of days required from the date of notification of award of the contract to provide	
Waste services on site as specified in the contract	
2. Ability to provide 24-hour service if requested to do so	
3. Turnaround/Collection time and disposal to landfill 20 points	
Operations & Business Contingency Management Plan = Management plan to	
address vehicle breakdown and industrial action (strikes) to ensure continuity in service	
delivery.	
Business Contingency plans Management Plan must include the total number of staff	
members, vehicles and equipment. 10 points	
<b>Emergency Preparedness</b> = Is the service provider able to provide extra skips/staff	
members/ vehicles as and when the need arises without any breakdown to the service	
rendered?	
1. Third Partly Liability Cover	
2. Nominated Spill Response Company	
3. Emergency Plan (Management of spillages to ensure the site is free from pollutants).	
4. Extra Skips and/ Staff members	
5. Extra Vehicle and / Staff members	
6. Environmental Pollution cover 10 points	
<b>SHE Plan</b> = Safety, Health and Environment Plan, to include but not limited to the following:	
Risk Assessment, Aspect and impact register, Environment Management Plan,	
Operational Procedures, Method Statement, Signed and up to date SHE Policies 20	
points	

## c) Essential Returnable Documents:

Over and the above the requirements of section (a) and (b) mentioned above, Respondents are further required to submit with their Proposals the following **Essential Returnable Documents** and also to confirm submission of these documents by so indicating [Yes or No] in the table below:

ESSENTIAL RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS & SCHEDULES	SUBMITTED [Yes or No]
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	
Copy of valid Tax Clearance Certificate or electronic access PIN obtained from SARS's new Tax Compliance Status (TCS) system (Consortia/Joint Ventures must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate/PIN for each party)	
CSD - Central Supplier Database registration number (https://secure.csd.gov.za)	
Letter of good-standing (COIDA) Certificate	
Letter of CEO confirming availability of Trucks, Waste Bins, and Human Resources	
Certificate of Hazardous Goods training and	
Registration certificate with the City of Cape Town as the Waste collectors	
Public Insurance Liability Documents	
Latest Financial Statements signed by your Accounting Officer or latest Audited Financial Statements plus 2 previous years	
Annexure F - Master Agreement	
Annexure G - Transnet's Supplier Integrity Pact	
Annexure H – Supplier Declaration Form	
Annexure 1 – Supplier Integrity Pact	
Annexure J - Non-Disclosure Agreement	
SECTION 5: Proposal Form and List of Returnable documents	
SECTION 6: Certificate of Acquaintance with RFP, Terms & Conditions & Applicable Documents	
SECTION 7: RFP Declaration and Breach of Law Form	
SECTION 8: RFP Clarification form	
SECTION 9: B-BBEE Preference Claim Form	
SECTION 10: Certificate of attendance of compulsory Site Meeting & RFP Briefing	
SECTION 11: Protection of Personal Information	

### **CONTINUED VALIDITY OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS**

The successful Respondent will be required to ensure the validity of all returnable documents, including but not limited to its valid proof of B-BBEE status, for the duration of any contract emanating from this RFP. Should the Respondent be awarded the contract [**the Agreement**] and fail to present Transnet with such renewals as and when they become due, Transnet shall be entitled, in addition to any other rights and remedies that it may have in

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terms of the eventual Agreement, to terminate such Agreement immediately without any liability and without prejudice to any claims which Transnet may have for damages against the Respondent. SIGNED at \_\_\_\_\_\_ on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_ SIGNATURE OF WITNESSES ADDRESS OF WITNESSES Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE OF RESPONDENT'S AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE: NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DESIGNATION: \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION 06: CERTIFICATE OF ACQUAINTANCE WITH RFP, MASTER AGREEMENT & APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

By signing this certificate the Respondent is deemed to acknowledge that he/she has made himself/herself thoroughly familiar with, and agrees with all the conditions governing this RFP. This includes those terms and conditions contained in any printed form stated to form part hereof, including but not limited to the documents stated below. As such, Transnet SOC Ltd will recognise no claim for relief based on an allegation that the Respondent overlooked any such term or condition or failed properly to take it into account for the purpose of calculating tendered prices or any other purpose:

1	Transnet's General Bid Conditions
2	Master Agreement and SLA attached
3	Transnet's Supplier Integrity Pact
4	Non-disclosure Agreement
5	Specifications and drawings attached to this RFP

**Note:** Should a Respondent be successful and awarded the bid, they will be required to complete a Supplier Declaration Form for registration as a vendor onto the Transnet vendor master database.

Should the Bidder find any terms or conditions stipulated in any of the relevant documents quoted in the RFP unacceptable, it should indicate which conditions are unacceptable and offer alternatives by written submission on its company letterhead, attached to its submitted Bid. Any such submission shall be subject to review by Transnet's Legal Counsel who shall determine whether the proposed alternative(s) are acceptable or otherwise, as the case may be. A material deviation from any term or condition may result in disqualification.

Bidders accept that an obligation rests on them to clarify any uncertainties regarding any bid to which they intend to respond on, before submitting the bid. The Bidder agrees that he/she will have no claim or cause of action based on an allegation that any aspect of this RFP was unclear but in respect of which he/she failed to obtain clarity.

The bidder understands that his/her Bid will be disqualified if the Certificate of Acquaintance with RFP documents included in the RFP as a returnable document, is found not to be true and complete in every respect.

SIGNED at	on this	day of	20
SIGNATURE OF WITNESSES		ADDRESS OF WITNESSES	
1 Name			
2 Name			
 Respondent's Signature			Date & Company Stamp

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SIGNATURE OF RESPONDENT'S AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE:	
NAME:	
DESIGNATION:	
= Respondent's Signature	Date & Company Stamp

### **SECTION 07: RFP DECLARATION AND BREACH OF LAW FORM**

NAME OF ENTITY:	
We	do hereby certify that:

- 1. Transnet has supplied and we have received appropriate responses to any/all questions [as applicable] which were submitted by ourselves for RFP Clarification purposes;
- 2. We have received all information we deemed necessary for the completion of this Request for Proposal [RFP];
- 3. We have been provided with sufficient access to the existing Transnet facilities/sites and any and all relevant information relevant to the Goods/Services as well as Transnet information and Employees, and have had sufficient time in which to conduct and perform a thorough due diligence of Transnet's operations and business requirements and assets used by Transnet. Transnet will therefore not consider or permit any pre-or post-contract verification or any related adjustment to pricing, service levels or any other provisions/conditions based on any incorrect assumptions made by the Respondent in arriving at his Bid Price.
- 4. At no stage have we received additional information relating to the subject matter of this RFP from Transnet sources, other than information formally received from the designated Transnet contact(s) as nominated in the RFP documents;
- 5. We are satisfied, insofar as our entity is concerned, that the processes and procedures adopted by Transnet in issuing this RFP and the requirements requested from Bidders in responding to this RFP have been conducted in a fair and transparent manner;
- 6. We have complied with all obligations of the Bidder/Supplier as indicated in the Transnet Supplier Integrity which includes but are not limited to ensuring that we take all measures necessary to prevent corrupt practices, unfairness and illegal activities in order to secure or in furtherance to secure a contract with Transnet;
- 7. We declare that a family, business and/or social relationship exists / does not exist [delete as applicable] between an owner / member / director / partner / shareholder of our entity and an employee or board member of the Transnet Group including any person who may be involved in the evaluation and/or adjudication of this Bid;
- 8. We declare that an owner / member / director / partner / shareholder of our entity **is / is not** [delete as applicable] an employee or board member of Transnet;
- 9. In addition, we declare that an owner / member / director / partner / shareholder/employee of our entity has / has not been [delete as applicable] a former employee or board member of Transnet in the past 10 years. I further declare that if they were a former employee or board member of Transnet in the past 10

years that they **were/were not** involved in the bid preparation or had access to the information related to this RFP; and

10. If such a relationship as indicated in paragraph 7, 8 and/or 9 exists, the Respondent is to complete the

following section: FULL NAME OF OWNER/MEMBER/DIRECTOR/ PARTNER/SHAREHOLDER/EMPLOYEE:	ADDRESS:
FAITNERY SHAREHOLDERY LIFTE LOTEL.	ADDRESS.
Indicate nature of relationship with Transnet:	

[Failure to furnish complete and accurate information in this regard will lead to the disqualification of a response and may preclude a Respondent from doing future business with Transnet. Information provided in the declarations may be used by Transnet and/or its affiliates to verify the correctness of the information provided]

11. We declare, to the extent that we are aware or become aware of any relationship between ourselves and Transnet [other than any existing and appropriate business relationship with Transnet] which could unfairly advantage our entity in the forthcoming adjudication process, we shall notify Transnet immediately in writing of such circumstances.

## **BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE (SBD4)**

## 12 PURPOSE OF THE FORM

- 12.1 Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, it is required for the bidder to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.
- 12.2 Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the bid process.

## 13 Bidder's declaration

13.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members
/ partners or any person having a controlling interest <sup>2</sup> in the enterprise,
employed by the state?

YES/NO

13.1.1. If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

with any person who is employed by the procuring institution?	YES/NO
13.2.1. If so, furnish particulars:	
13.3 Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the	
enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or	
not they are bidding for this contract?  13.3.1. If so, furnish particulars:	
DECLARATION	
I, the undersigned, (name)	. in submitting the accompanying
bid, do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and o	complete in every respect:
14.1 I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;	
14.2 I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclo	osure is found not to be true and

- 14.3 The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 14.4 In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 14.5 The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- 14.6 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.
- 14.7 I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 12, 13 and 14 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

## **BREACH OF LAW**

We further hereby certify that *I/we* (the bidding entity and/or any of its directors, members or partners) *have/have not been* [delete as applicable] found guilty during the preceding 5 [five] years of a serious breach of law, including

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.

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. This includes the imposition of an administrative fine or penalty. Where found guilty of such a serious breach, please disclose:

NATURE OF BREACH:		
DATE OF BREACH:		
•	hat Transnet SOC Ltd reserves the right to exc on or entity have been found guilty of a seriou	, ,
SIGNED at	on this day of	20
For and on behalf of	AS WITNESS:	
duly authorised hereto		
Name:	Name:	
Position:	Position:	
Signature:	Signature:	
Date:	Registration No of Company/CC	
	Registration Name of Company/CC	

## **SECTION 08: RFP CLARIFICATION REQUEST FORM**

RFP No: TNPA/2022/07/0682/7576/RFP		
RFP deadline for questions / RFP Clarifications: Before 12:00 pm on Friday, 14 October 2022		
TO:	Transnet SOC Ltd	
ATTENTION:	The Tender Administrator	
EMAIL	[Insert email address of tender administrator]	
DATE:		
FROM:		
RFP Clarification	No [to be inserted by Transnet]	
	REQUEST FOR RFP CLARIFICATION	

#### **SECTION 09: B-BBEE PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM**

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment [**B-BBEE**] Status Level of Contribution.

Transnet will award preference points to companies who provide valid proof of their B-BBEE status using either the latest version of the generic Codes of Good Practice or Sector Specific Codes (if applicable).

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017.

#### 1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
  - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
- The value of this bid is estimated to **not exceed** R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20 preference point system shall be applicable. Despite the stipulated preference point system, Transnet shall use the lowest acceptable bid to determine the applicable preference point system in a situation where all received acceptable bids are received outside the stated preference point system.
- 1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:
  - (a) Price; and
  - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION	20
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor together with the bid will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.
- 1.6 The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

## 2. **DEFINITIONS**

- (a) "all applicable taxes" includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies;
- (b) **"B-BBEE"** means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status received by a measured entity based on its overall performance using the relevant scorecard contained in the Codes of Good Practice on Black

Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

- (d) "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the supply/provision of services, works or goods, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- (e) "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (f) "EME" means an Exempted Micro Enterprise as defines by Codes of Good Practice under section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (g) "functionality" means the ability of a bidder to provide goods or services in accordance with specification as set out in the bid documents
- (h) "Price" includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts.
- (i) "Proof of B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor"
  - i) the B-BBBEE status level certificate issued by an authorised body or person;
  - ii) a sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice; or
  - iii) any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act.
- (j) "QSE" means a Qualifying Small EEnterprise as defines by Codes of Good Practice under section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (k) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in South African currency, calculated at the time of bid invitations, and includes all applicable taxes and excise duties.

#### 3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

#### 3.1 THE 80/20 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

$$Ps = 80 \left( 1 - \frac{Pt - P \min}{P \min} \right)$$

Where

Ps Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

Pt Comparative price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Comparative price of lowest acceptable bid

#### POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION 4.

4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must 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	14
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
Non-compliant contributor	0

4.2 The table below indicates the required proof of B-BBEE status depending on the category of enterprises:

Enterprise	B-BBEE Certificate & Sworn Affidavit
Large	Certificate issued by SANAS accredited verification agency
QSE	Certificate issued by SANAS accredited verification agency Sworn Affidavit signed by the authorised QSE representative and attested by a Commissioner of Oaths confirming annual turnover and black ownership (only black-owned QSEs - 51% to 100% Black owned) [Sworn affidavits must substantially comply with the format that can be obtained on the DTI's website at www.dti.gov.za/economic empowerment/bee codes.jsp.]
EME <sup>4</sup>	Sworn Affidavit signed by the authorised EME representative and attested by a Commissioner of Oaths confirming annual turnover and black ownership Certificate issued by CIPC (formerly CIPRO) confirming annual turnover and black ownership  Certificate issued by SANAS accredited verification agency only if the EME is being measured on the QSE scorecard

- 4.3 A trust, consortium or joint venture (including unincorporated consortia and joint ventures) must submit a consolidated B-BBEE Status Level verification certificate for every separate bid.
- 4.4 Tertiary Institutions and Public Entities will be required to submit their B-BBEE status level certificates in terms of the specialized scorecard contained in the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice.
- 4.5 A person will not be awarded points for B-BBEE status level if it is indicated in the bid documents that such a bidder intends sub-contracting more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not qualify for at least the points that such a bidder qualifies for, unless the intended sub-contractor is an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.
- 4.6 A person awarded a contract may not sub-contract more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not have an equal or higher B-BBEE status level than the person concerned,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> In terms of the Implementation Guide: Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, Version 2, paragraph 11.11 provides that in the Transport Sector, EMEs can provide a letter from accounting officer or get verified and be issued with a B-BBEE certificate by SANAS accredited professional or agency as the Transport Sector Code has not been aligned to the generic Codes. EMEs in the Transport Sector are not allowed to provide a sworn affidavit as the generic codes are not applicable to them.

unless the contract is sub-contracted to an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.

4.7 Bidders are to note that the rules pertaining to B-BBEE verification and other B-BBEE requirements may be changed from time to time by regulatory bodies such as National Treasury or the DTI. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that his/her bid complies fully with all B-BBEE requirements at the time of the submission of the bid.

## 5. BID DECLARATION

5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

### 6. B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.4 AND 6.1

6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution: . = ....... (maximum of 20 points)

(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 6.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

#### 7. SUB-CONTRACTING

7.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted?

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

7.1.1	If ves	indicate:
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١	What percentage	of the contract	will be subcontract	ed%	
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- ii) The name of the sub-contractor......
- iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor.....
- iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE.

(Tick applicable box)

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ľ	YES		NO	

v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:

Designated Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned	EME √	QSE √
by:		
Black people		
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
Black people with disabilities		
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or		
townships		
Cooperative owned by black people		
Black people who are military veterans		
OR		
Any EME		
Any QSE		

8. <b>DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM</b>		ION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM					
8.1	Naı	me of c	ompany/firm:				
8.2	VAT registration number:						
8.3	Cor	Company registration number:					
8.4	TYI	PE OF C	COMPANY/ FIRM				
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8.5	DE	SCRIBE	PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES				
8.6	CO	MPANY	CLASSIFICATION				
		Supp Profe Other	ufacturer  blier essional Service provider er Service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.  CABLE BOX				
8.7	Tot	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:					
the points of		points forego	undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contribution indicated in paragraphs $1.4$ and $6.1$ of ing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge				
	i)	The in	formation furnished is true and correct;				
	ii)	-	reference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph his form;				
	iii)	<ul><li>iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraph 1.4 an 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchase that the claims are correct;</li></ul>					
	iv)	and co which subco	dder submitted false information regarding its B-BBEE status level of contributor, local production ontent, or any other matter required in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 will affect or has affected the evaluation of a bid, or where a bidder has failed to declare any ntracting arrangements or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser n addition to any other remedy it may have				
		(a)	disqualify the person from the bidding process;				
		(b)	recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;				
		(c)	cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;				
		(d)	if the successful bidder subcontracted a portion of the bid to another person without				

- disclosing it, Transnet reserves the right to penalise the bidder up to 10 percent of the value of the contract;
- (e) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
- (f) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

WITNESSES	
1	SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
2	DATE:
	ADDRESS

Respondent's Signature

Date & Company Stamp

## SECTION 10: CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE OF COMPULSORY RFP BRIEFING

It is hereby certified that –	
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Representative(s) of	[name of entity]
attended the site meeting & RFP briefing in	respect of the proposed Goods/Services to be rendered in terms
of this RFP on	20
TRANSNET'S REPRESENTATIVE	RESPONDENT'S REPRESENTATIVE
DATE	DATE
DATE	DATE
	EMAIL
NOTE:	
	in duplicate, one copy to be kept by Transnet and the other copy
to be kept by the bidder.	

### **SECTION 11: PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION**

- 1. The following terms shall bear the same meaning as contemplated in Section 1 of the Protection of Person information act, No.4 of 2013.("POPIA"):
  - consent; data subject; electronic communication; information officer; operator; person; personal information; processing; record; Regulator; responsible party; special information; as well as any terms derived from these terms.
- 2. Transnet will process all information by the Respondent in terms of the requirements contemplated in Section 4(1) of the POPIA:
  - Accountability; Processing limitation; Purpose specification; Further processing limitation; Information quality; Openness; Security safeguards and Data subject participation.
- 3. The Parties acknowledge and agree that, in relation to personal information that will be processed pursuant to this RFP, the Responsible party is "Transnet" and the Data subject is the "Respondent". Transnet will process personal information only with the knowledge and authorisation of the Respondent and will treat personal information which comes to its knowledge as confidential and will not disclose it, unless so required by law or subject to the exceptions contained in the POPIA.
- 4. Transnet reserves all the rights afforded to it by the POPIA in the processing of any of its information as contained in this RFP and the Respondent is required to comply with all prescripts as detailed in the POPIA relating to all information concerning Transnet.
- 5. In responding to this bid, Transnet acknowledges that it will obtain and have access to personal information of the Respondent. Transnet agrees that it shall only process the information disclosed by Respondent in their response to this bid for the purpose of evaluating and subsequent award of business and in accordance with any applicable law.
- 6. Transnet further agrees that in submitting any information or documentation requested in this RFP, the Respondent is consenting to the further processing of their personal information for the purpose of, but not limited to, risk assessment, assurances, contract award, contract management, auditing, legal opinions/litigations, investigations (if applicable), document storage for the legislatively required period, destruction, de-identification and publishing of personal information by Transnet and/or its authorised appointed third parties.
- 7. Furthermore, Transnet will not otherwise modify, amend or alter any personal data submitted by the Respondent or disclose or permit the disclosure of any personal data to any third party without the prior written consent from the Respondent. Similarly, Transnet requires the Respondent to process any personal information disclosed by Transnet in the bidding process in the same manner.
- 8. Transnet shall, at all times, ensure compliance with any applicable laws put in place and maintain sufficient measures, policies and systems to manage and secure against all forms of risks to any information that may be

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shared or accessed pursuant to this RFP (physically, through a computer or any other form of electronic communication).

- 9. Transnet shall notify the Respondent in writing of any unauthorised access to information, cybercrimes or suspected cybercrimes, in its knowledge and report such crimes or suspected crimes to the relevant authorities in accordance with applicable laws, after becoming aware of such crimes or suspected crime. The Respondent must take all necessary remedial steps to mitigate the extent of the loss or compromise of personal information and to restore the integrity of the affected personal information as quickly as is possible.
- 10. The Respondent may, in writing, request Transnet to confirm and/or make available any personal information in its possession in relation to the Respondent and if such personal information has been accessed by third parties and the identity thereof in terms of the POPIA. The Respondent may further request that Transnet correct (excluding critical/mandatory or evaluation information), delete, destroy, withdraw consent or object to the processing of any personal information relating to the Respondent in Transnet's possession in terms of the provision of the POPIA and utilizing Form 2 of the POPIA Regulations.
- 11. In submitting any information or documentation requested in this RFP, the Respondent is hereby consenting to the processing of their personal information for the purpose of this RFP and further confirming that they are aware of their rights in terms of Section 5 of POPIA

## Respondents are required to provide consent below:

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\/T0		NO	
YES		NO	

- 12. Further, the Respondent declares that they have obtained all consents pertaining to other data subject's personal information included in its submission and thereby indemnifying Transnet against any civil or criminal action, administrative fines or other penalty or loss that may arise as a result of the processing of any personal information that the Respondent submitted.
- 13. The Respondent declares that the personal information submitted for the purpose of this RFP is complete, accurate, not misleading, is up to date and may be updated where applicable.

Signature of Respondent's authoris	and representatives
Signature of Respondent's authoris	sed representative.

Should a Respondent have any complaints or objections to processing of its personal information, by Transnet, the Respondent can submit a complaint to the Information Regulator on <a href="https://www.justice.gov.za/inforeg/">https://www.justice.gov.za/inforeg/</a>, click on contact us, click on complaints.IR@justice.gov.za