

## T1.2 TENDER DATA

The conditions of tender are the Standard Conditions of Tender as contained in Annex C of the CIDB Standard for Uniformity in Engineering and Construction Works Contracts. The Standard for Uniformity in Construction Procurement was first published in Board Notice 62 of 2004 in Government Gazette No 26427 of 9 June 2004. It was subsequently amended in Board Notice 67 of 2005 in Government Gazette No 28127 of 14 October 2005, Board Notice 93 of 2006 in Government Gazette No 29138 of 18 August 2006, Board Notice No 9 of 2008 in Government Gazette No 31823 of 30 January 2009, Board Notice 86 of 2010 in Government Gazette No 33239 of 28 May 2010, Board Notice 136 of 2015 in Government Gazette 38960 of 10 July 2015 and Board Notice 423 of 2019 in Government Gazette No 42622 of 8 August 2019.

This edition incorporates the amendments made in Board Notice 423 of 2019 in Government Gazette 42622 of 8 August 2019. (see [www.cidb.org.za](http://www.cidb.org.za)).

The Standard Conditions of Tender make several references to Tender data for detail that apply specifically to this tender. The Tender Data shall have precedence in the interpretation of any ambiguity or inconsistency between it and the Standard Conditions of Tender.

Each item of data given below is cross-referenced in the left-hand column to the clause in the Standard Conditions of Tender to which it mainly applies.

Clause	Data
C.1.1	The <i>Employer</i> is <b>Transnet SOC Ltd</b> <b>(Reg No. 1990/000900/30)</b>
C.1.2	The tender documents issued by the <i>Employer</i> comprise:  <b>Part T: The Tender</b>  Part T1: Tendering procedures T1.1 Tender notice and invitation to tender T1.2 Tender data T1.3 CIDB Standard Conditions of Tender  Part T2: Returnable documents T2.1 List of returnable documents T2.2 Returnable schedules  <b>Part C: The contract</b>  Part C1: Agreements and contract data C1.1 Form of offer and acceptance C1.2 Contract data (Part 1 & 2)  Part C2: Pricing data C2.1 Pricing instructions: Option A C2.2 Price List  Part C3: Scope of work C3.1 Service Information  Part C4: Site information C4.1 Affected Property

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C.1.4	The Employer's agent is:	Procurement Officer
	Name:	Moleboheng Tladi
	Address:	15 Girton Road, Parktown
	Tel No.	011 584 1071
	E – mail	Moleboheng.Tladi@transnet.net

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C.2.1 Only those tenderers who satisfy the following eligibility criteria are eligible to submit tenders:

**1. Stage One - Pre-qualification criteria for preferential procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:**

**a) Regulation 9: Subcontracting – T2.2-01**

A tenderer to subcontract a minimum of 30% to-

- (i) an EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people;
- (ii) an EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are youth;
- (iii) an EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are women;
- (iv) an EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people with disabilities;
- (v) an EME or QSE which is 51% owned by black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships;
- (vi) a cooperative which is at least 51% owned by black people;
- (vii) an EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are military veterans;
- (viii) an EME or QSE.

The list of potential sub-contractors that are registered on the National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD) must be accessed as follows:

- Log on to the CSD website on <http://secure.csd.gov.za/>.
- Click on Search and select Subcontractor Search; and
- Enter the Procurement reference number (.....), and
- Click on "Run Search".

All Sub-Contractors must be registered on the National Treasury CSD by closing date.

***Any tenderer that fails to meet the stipulated pre-qualifying criteria will be regarded as an unacceptable tender.***

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## **2. Stage Two - Local Production and Content in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:**

**Tenderers must properly complete, duly sign and submit returnable schedule T2.2-02**, entitled "Declaration Certificate for Local Production and Content (SBD 6.2 and Annexures C, D & E)", committing to meet the following stipulated minimum thresholds for local production and content for the following designated sectors as determined by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI):

### **70% for Rail Permanent Way (Rail Maintenance of way plan and equipment)**

The exchange rate to be used for the calculation of local production and content must be the exchange rate published by the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00 on the date of the advertisement of the tender. The rates of exchange quoted by the tenderer in paragraph 4.1 of Returnable Schedule T2.2-03 (the Declaration Certificate for Local Production and Content for Designated Sectors) may be verified for accuracy. Only the South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 must be used to calculate local content.

The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 and the Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with the Local Content Declaration Templates [Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule), D (Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C) and E (Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C)] are accessible to all potential tenderers on the DTI's official website;

<http://www.the dti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp>

The regulatory and mandatory RFP Annexures, which must be completed by all Respondents in order to declare Local Content, are as follows:

- Annexure B – Declaration Certificate for Local Production and Content [SBD 6.2]
- Annexure C – Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule
- Annexure B and C must be completed and submitted even if a complete Local Content exemption letter from DTI has been obtained.
- To the extent that an exemption from Local Content has been granted by the DTI, the exemption letter from DTI will be a mandatory returnable document.

Annexures D and E are Supporting Schedules to Annexure C. They are named as follows:

- Annexure D – Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annexure C
- Annexure E – Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annexure C

***Any tenderer that fails to meet the stipulated pre-qualifying criteria will be regarded as an unacceptable tender.***

### 3. Stage Three - Eligibility in terms of the Construction Industry Development Board: T2.2-04

- a) Only those tenderers who are registered with the CIDB or are capable of being so prior to the evaluation of submissions, in a contractor grading designation equal to or higher than a contractor grading designation determined in accordance with the sum tendered or a value determined in accordance with Regulation 25 (1B) or 25(7A) of the Construction Industry Development Regulations, designation of **8CE or higher** class of construction work, are eligible to have their tenders evaluated.
- b) Joint Venture (JV)  
Joint ventures are eligible to submit tenders subject to the following:
1. every member of the joint venture is registered with the CIDB;
  2. the lead partner has a contractor grading designation of not lower than one level below the required grading designation in the class of construction works under consideration and possesses the required recognition status; and
  3. the combined Contractor grading designation calculated in accordance with the Construction Industry Development Regulations is equal to or higher than a Contractor grading designation determined in accordance with the sum tendered for a 8CE or higher class of construction work or a value determined in accordance with Regulation 25(1B) or 25(7A) of the Construction Industry Development Regulations
  4. The tenderer shall provide a certified copy of its signed joint venture agreement.

***Any tenderer that fails to meet the stipulated pre-qualifying criteria will be regarded as an unacceptable tender.***

### 4. Stage Four - B-BBEE and Preference points system

Commercial Scoring: 90 Points

B-BBEE: 10 Points

### 5. Stage Five – Due Diligence

Due diligence will be conducted in as follows:

Transnet will conduct due diligence on preferred bidders to verify and validate bid submissions on the following:

#### 5.1. Financial Stability:

##### (a) Financial Ratios

- Gearing Ratio
- Capacity/ Liquidity
- Profitability
- ROE
- ROA
- Interest Cover
- Cash Flow

##### (b) All Risk Assessments (ARA) (where applicable)

#### 5.2. Health and Safety, Risk and Environmental will only be assessed:

- Health and Safety – T2.2-06
- Risk Management – T2.2-07
- Environmental Management – T2.2-08

#### 5.3. Due diligence to assess risk of supply to be conducted before negotiations, to reduce the number of cancellations due to bidder's inability to meet supply.

## 6. Stage Six - Award

Transnet will negotiate the final terms and condition of the contract with the successful Respondent(s). This may include aspects such as price and delivery. Thereafter the final contract will be awarded to the successful Respondent(s)

C.2.12 No alternative tender offers will be considered.

C.2.13.3 Each tender offer shall be in the **English Language**.

C.2.13.5 The *Employer's* details and identification details that are to be shown on each tender offer package are as follows:

Identification details:

The tender documents must be uploaded with:

- Name of Tenderer: (insert company name)
- Contact person and details: (insert details)
- The Tender Number:
- The Tender Description

Documents must be marked for the attention of:

***Employer's Agent:***

C.2.13.9 Telephonic, telegraphic, facsimile or e-mailed tender offers will not be accepted.

C.2.15 **The closing time for submission of tender offers is:**

**Time: 10:00am on Tuesday 05 July 2022**

**Location:** The Transnet e-Tender Submission Portal: [www.transnet.net](http://www.transnet.net)

### **NO LATE TENDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

C.2.16 The tender offer validity period is **12 weeks** after the closing date. Tenderers are to note that they may be requested to extend the validity period of their tender, on the same terms and conditions, if Transnet's internal evaluation and governance approval processes has not been finalised within the validity period.

C.2.23 The tenderer is required to submit with his tender:

1. A valid Tax Clearance Certificate issued by the South African Revenue Services.

**Tenderers also to provide Transnet with a TCS PIN to verify Tenderers compliance status.**

2. A **valid B-BBEE Certificate** from a Verification Agency accredited by the South African Accreditation System [**SANAS**], or a **sworn affidavit** confirming annual turnover and level of black ownership in case of all EMEs and QSEs with 51% black ownership or more together with the tender;
3. A valid CIDB certificate in the correct designated grading;
4. Proof of registration on the Central Supplier Database;
5. Letter of Good Standing with the Workmen's compensation fund by the tendering entity or separate Letters of Good Standing from all members of a newly constituted JV.

**Note:** Refer to Section T2.1 for List of Returnable Documents

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C3.4 The time and location for opening of the offers are after the opening submissions at the venue as stated in C.2.15.

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C3.11 Only tenders that achieve the minimum qualifying score for functionality will be evaluated further in accordance with the 90/10 preference points systems as described in Preferential Procurement Regulations 7.

90 where the financial value of one or more responsive tenders received have a value equal to or above R50 million, inclusive of all applicable taxes.

Up to 100 minus  $W_1$  tender evaluation points will be awarded to tenderers who complete the preferencing schedule and who are found to be eligible for the preference claimed. **Should the BBBEE rating not be provided, tenderers with no verification will score zero points for preferencing.**

**Note:** Transnet reserves the right to carry out an independent audit of the tenderers scorecard components at any stage from the date of close of the tenders until completion of the contract.

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Tender offers will only be accepted if:

1. The tenderer or any of its directors/shareholders is not listed on the Register of Tender Defaulters in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004 as a person prohibited from doing business with the public sector;
2. the tenderer does not appear on Transnet's list for restricted tenderers and National Treasury's list of Tender Defaulters;
3. the tenderer has fully and properly completed the Compulsory Enterprise Questionnaire and there are no conflicts of interest which may impact on the tenderer's ability to perform the contract in the best interests of the Employer or potentially compromise the tender process and persons in the employ of the state.
4. Transnet reserves the right to award the tender to the tenderer who scores the highest number of points overall, unless there are **objective criteria** which will justify the award of the tender to another tenderer. Objective criteria include but are not limited to the outcome of a due diligence exercise to be conducted. The due diligence exercise may take the following factors into account inter alia;

the tenderer:

- a) is not under restrictions, or has principals who are under restrictions, preventing participating in the employer's procurement,
  - b) can, as necessary and in relation to the proposed contract, demonstrate that he or she possesses the professional and technical qualifications, professional and technical competence, financial resources, equipment and other physical facilities, managerial capability, reliability, experience and reputation, expertise and the personnel, to perform the contract,
  - c) has the legal capacity to enter into the contract,
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d) is not insolvent, in receivership, under Business Rescue as provided for in chapter 6 of the Companies Act, 2008, bankrupt or being wound up, has his affairs administered by a court or a judicial officer, has suspended his business activities, or is subject to legal proceedings in respect of any of the foregoing,

e) complies with the legal requirements, if any, stated in the tender data and

f) is able, in the option of the employer to perform the contract free of conflicts of interest.

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C.3.11. The number of paper copies of the signed contract to be provided by the Employer is 1 (one).

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