

MINUTES OF THE COMPULSORY INFORMATION/CLARIFICATION BRIEFING/SITE VISIT

MEETING NO:1/2025	Minutes for RFP No: HOACTK-PRC-55454		
PURPOSE OF MEETING	Clarification for the For the RE-Instatement of Boschmanskop 3 Kilo Voltage Direct Current (KV DC) Tie Station	DATE, TIME& VENUE	2025-09-09 11:00 am Boschmanskop Tie Station
CONVENOR	Thabiso Makhele		012 315 2007
PRESENT ATTENDEES OF TFR AND RESPONDENTS/BIDDERS	TRIM SCM- Thabiso Makhele TRIM SCM- Mmabatho Mankga TRIM SCM- Emelda Chauke TRIM Rail network - Lutendo Mashamba TRIM Rail network-Sithabile Sibeko TRIM Rail network-Bongaile Sithole List of all representatives of TRIM and Bidders who attended the briefing attached.		
APOLOGIES	None		
START TIME OF THE MEETING	11:00 am 11:30 am (Attendance register circulated)		
<u>KEY POINTS UNDER DISCUSSION</u>	<u>1. Introduction and opening of the meeting by Thabiso Makhele</u> 1.1 Welcoming and opening remarks. 1.2 Commercial matters of the RFP. 1.3 Technical matters of the RFP 1.4 Safety brief done by Sithabile Sibeko 1.5 Other matters/issues arising. 1.1 Welcome and opening remarks: 1.1.1 Thabiso Makhele welcomed and declared the meeting open @11:00 am 1.1.2 Attendance register circulated, and attendees informed to complete their details in full, clear and correct. 1.1.3 Informed all those attendees arriving late will be accommodated, as long the briefing is still in progress. <u>1.2. Matters under commercial: (Thabiso)</u> <u>Addressed the commercial matters of the RFP document.</u> 1.2.1 The RFP commercial matters as addressed.		

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Project description made clear.

The opening and closing date and time indicated as mentioned on the RFP document 2 September 2025 and to close on 16 September 2025 at 10h00am and the bid validity period made clear to all that is 12 weeks from the date of bid closing which is 9 December 2025. Bid validity period is for bid proposals received, in the event that the evaluations are not finalised by 9 December 2025, bidders will be requested for an extension of the bid validity period

1.2.2 Bidders informed that clarification briefing is compulsory, and no bidder can submit bid if they did not attend compulsory clarification briefing. Representatives must be present no attendance certificate will be signed for representatives not present.

1.2.3 Certificate of attendance for compulsory clarification briefing to be signed when the briefing is adjourned.

1.2.4 Indicated to the bidders that they must pay attention and take note of the tender eligibility requirements from stage one to stage 3.

1.2.4.1 Stage 1 Certificate of compulsory briefing to be signed by the bidders and co - signed by Transnet Rail Infrastructure Management representative.

1.2.4.2 -Stage 2- CIDB requirements 5EP or higher

1.2.4.3 Stage 3-Functionality threshold minimum 80 points

The following are the technical requirements to be met.

Stage 3-Functionality

- Minimum points for technical evaluation is 80 points
- Bidders failing to meet the threshold of 80 points of technical/functionality bidders will not progress to further evaluation on Price and Specific Goals 80/20.

1.2.5 C3.1 Price list to be completed in full and the arithmetical errors to be corrected before the submission of the RFP. Indicated to the bidders that they must complete the pricing schedule which is a mandatory requirement.

1.2.6 It was further mentioned to the bidders that they must go through the whole RFP document read and understand it before completing it and to sign where it is necessary and initial all pages.

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1.2.7 Tender documents must be submitted on or before 16 September 2025 at 10; 00 am and submission portal is provided for in the RFP document. The Transnet e-Tender Submission Portal: (<https://transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net>)
No late submissions will be accepted, e-mailed or faxed proposals no acceptable.

1.3. Matters under Commercial :(Thabiso Makhele)

1.3.1

1.3.2 Q&A

No Question.

1.3.2 Addressed in detail the RFP technical matters.

1.3.3 The scope/service requirements and pricing schedule clarified in detail. It was indicated to the Respondents to read through the scope of requirements/service information thoroughly to understand the RFP requirements.

1.3.4 Q&A

Question

No Question.

1.4. Matters under technical :(Lutendo Mashamba)

1.4.1 Addressed in detail the RFP technical matters.

1.4.3 The scope/service requirements and pricing schedule clarified in detail. It was indicated to the Respondents to read through the scope of requirements/service information thoroughly to understand the RFP requirements.

1.4.4 Q&A

Question

T2.2-2 please clarify with regards to Project schedule for completion of works, it was HSCB's for this work is 3 to 4 months delivery from supplier, whereas Transnet is asking for a completion period of 6 weeks which is impossible.

Answer

As this project is urgent required, the delivery Lead Time will remain the same as per RFP.

Question

In the price List there is no provision made for installation of cable?

Answer

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Each item on the Price List should **include** the costs for supply, delivery and installation.

Question

Do suppliers need to provide security

Answer

Transnet will provide security for the project

Question

Is 3MVA transformer outside the Price List required for this project

Answer

No

1.4. Other matters arising

Question

Is house wiring required?

Answer

Yes, costs must be included under item 10 in the price list.

Question

Item 7 - please clarify what size Isolation Transformer should be supplied.

Answer

50 Kva transformer

Question

Item 9 - what size HSCB should be supplied?

Answer

Any size will be acceptable provided are within Transnet standard

Question

Should item 9 state supply and install indoor earthing complete with Earth leakage relay in Polycarb box.

Answer

Costs for 95mm² square copper insulated earth wire cable should be inclusive of installation together with DC earth Leakage relay with Polycarb box

Costs for indoor earthing must also be included under item 9 of the price list

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	<u>Question</u> Indoor lighting also badly vandalised but omitted from BOQ, please clarify.
	<u>Answer</u> Costs for indoor lighting must be included under item 10 in the price list as it is part of the inhouse wiring.
	<u>Question</u> B Item 7 should be supply and install feeder cables form Track breaker Cells to Track Switches.
	<u>Answer</u> Each item on the Price List should include the costs for supply, delivery and installation. The feeder cable will be installed from the Track Breaker Cells to track switches.
	<u>Question</u> There is currently no Track Switches, will Transnet supply and install these on site for completion of this item.
	<u>Answer</u> Transnet will supply track switches and the supplier will install the cable
	12H00 meeting adjourned to visit the site
Compiled by	Thabiso Makhele
Signature	

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DESCRIPTION: FOR THE RE-INSTATEMENT OF BOSCHMANSKOP 3 KILO VOLTAGE DIRECT CURRENT (KV DC) TIE STATION

VENUE: BOSCHMANSKOP TIE STATION

DATE: 09 SEPTEMBER 2025

TIME: 11 H00 AM

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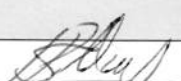
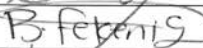
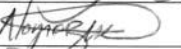
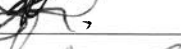
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