



PetroSA

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS – No 1

TENDER NO: AD0089

**AD0089 – REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) PARTNERSHIP FOR THE
REMOVAL AND REUSE OF PETROLEUM SLUDGE FROM VARIOUS
TANKS AT THE PetroSA GTL PLANT IN MOSSEL BAY**

1.	Question Will the successful bidder require medical certification before starting to work? Answer PetroSA requires full medical certification of contractors and their personnel who will part in any physical duties on site. The medical clinic on the GTL site can issue such certification at a fee. Certification by third party medical facilities is acceptable subject to approval of the medical personnel on site. The PetroSA medical station will supply the requirements to the winning bidders prior to mobilisation
2.	Question Will confined space training be provided or is third party certification and training acceptable? Answer Confined space training is compulsory and will be provided free of charge. by PetroSA safety personnel
3.	Question Will there be cutting to the bund wall in order to facilitate the extraction of the sludge Answer There will be no cutting of the bund wall. It is expected that the transporter will park as close as possible to the bund wall and utilise hoses to do the extraction.
4.	Question Which equipment as used to empty the tanks previously? Answer Super suckers, mobile pumps, compressor and squeegees were utilised

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5.	Question Is the understanding correct that PetroSA expects money back from the project ? Answer PetroSA seeks proposals that will, at best, generate revenue for both parties. At worst, the scope of work should be completed free of charge with no payments due to PetroSA.
6.	Question Will samples be provided to the attendants to the meeting? Answer Samples will be collected and provided after the meeting
7.	Question The analysis of the samples will take some time. Can the closing date possible be extended? Answer An application for an extension will be submitted for an additional 2-3 weeks. The extension will be officially communicated via a tender bulletin
8.	Question Can PetroSA provide an MSDS for the sludge material? Answer An MSDS will be provided and will also be published via tender bulletin