

TRANSNET SOC LIMITED

RFP NO. TFR/2026/04/0002/114346/RFP (HOAC-EMU-57424-MM-282) – SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF OHTE SMALL COMPONENTS MATERIAL FOR THE NORTH CORRIDOR SHUTDOWN

ADDENDUM NO. 1

DATED 20 APRIL 2026

The following information is furnished in addition to, in amplification and substitution of, matters contained in the tender documents issued in respect of the abovementioned work.

1. Page 1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 53 & 61 – Closing date, Bid Validity date and Clarity request date

Page 1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 53 & 61 of the RFP is superseded and replaced with the attached page 1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 53 & 61, to reflect the changes in the closing date, bid validity date and clarity request date.

- Closing date has been extended from 23 April 2026 at 12h00 until 28 April 2026 at 12h00
- Bid Validity period has been extended from 11 January 2027 until 13 January 2027 (180 business days)
- Clarity request date has been extended from 17 April 2026 until 22 April 2026

This addendum must be signed and submitted with your tender.

WITNESSES:

1. _____
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TENDERER / CONTRACTOR

Date: _____

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TRANSNET SOC LIMITED

Date: 20/04/2026

FROM: _____

DATE: _____

TO: Transnet Freight Rail
Malahle House,
4 Kiewiet Street,
Empangeni, 3880
(Attention: Mrs M. Maritz – E-mail: mari.maritz@transnet.net)

Dear Madam,

RFP NO. TFR/2026/04/0002/114346/RFP (HOAC-EMU-57424-MM-282) – SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF OHTE SMALL COMPONENTS MATERIAL FOR THE NORTH CORRIDOR SHUTDOWN

Receipt of **Addendum No. 1** dated **20 April 2026** is hereby acknowledged.

Kind Regards,

TENDERER

NOTE: This acknowledgement must be signed and returned to this office on or before closing date of tender.

Ref: TFR/2026/04/0002/114346/RFP (HOAC-EMU-57424-MM-282)

Transnet Rail Infrastructure Manager

an Operating Division of **TRANSNET SOC LTD**

[hereinafter referred to as **Transnet**]

[Registration No. 1990/000900/30]

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL [RFP] [GOODS]

**FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF: OHTE SMALL COMPONENTS FOR THE NORTH
CORRIDOR SHUTDOWN**

FOR A PERIOD OF: ONCE-OFF SUPPLY

RFP NUMBER HOAC-EMU-57424-MM-282

ISSUE DATE: 10 APRIL 2026

CLOSING DATE: 28 APRIL 2026

CLOSING TIME: 12H00

**BID VALIDITY PERIOD: 180 BUSINESS DAYS FROM CLOSING DATE
(13 JANUARY 2027)**

**SUBMISSION TO: Transnet e-tender submission portal – see SBD 1 for
details**

RFP FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF Ohte SMALL COMPONENTS FOR THE NORTH CORRIDOR SHUTDOWN**SECTION 1: SBD1 FORM****PART A
INVITATION TO BID**

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF TRANSNET FREIGHT RAIL, A DIVISION TRANSNET SOC LTD							
BID NUMBER:	HOAC-EMU-57424-MM-282	ISSUE DATE:	10 APRIL 2026	CLOSING DATE:	28 APRIL 2026	CLOSING TIME:	12H00
DESCRIPTION:	SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF Ohte SMALL COMPONENTS FOR THE NORTH CORRIDOR SHUTDOWN						
BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS							
(please refer to section 2, paragraph 3 for a detailed process on how to upload submissions): https://esupplierportal.transnet.net/							
BIDDING PROCEDURE / TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:							
CONTACT PERSON	MARI MARITZ						
TELEPHONE NUMBER	035 906 7348						
FACSIMILE NUMBER	NOT APPLICABLE						
E-MAIL ADDRESS	MARI.MARITZ@TRANSNET.NET						
SUPPLIER INFORMATION							
NAME OF BIDDER							
POSTAL ADDRESS							
STREET ADDRESS							
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER			
CELLPHONE NUMBER							
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER			
E-MAIL ADDRESS							
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER							
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.							
	TCP PIN		OR	CSD NO			
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	☐ Yes ☐ No		OR	BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT			
If Yes, Who was the Certificate issued by?							
AN ACCOUNTING OFFICER AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE CLOSE CORPORATION ACT (CCA) AND NAME THE APPLICABLE IN THE TICK BOX	☐	AN ACCOUNTING OFFICER AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE CLOSE CORPORATION ACT (CCA)					
	☐	A VERIFICATION AGENCY ACCREDITED BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN ACCREDITATION SYSTEM (SANAS)					
	☐	A REGISTERED AUDITOR					
		NAME:					

Respondent's Signature

Date & Company Stamp

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	Supply and delivery of OHT Small Components for the North Corridor Shutdown [the Goods]
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 www.etenders.gov.za free of charge. To download RFP and Annexures: • Click on "Tender Opportunities"; • Select "Advertised Tenders"; • In the "Department" box, select Transnet SOC Ltd. Once the tender has been 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 https://esupplierportal.transnet.net/ (please use Google Chrome to access Transnet link/site) free of charge (refer to section 2, paragraph 3 below for detailed steps)
COMMUNICATION	Transnet will publish the outcome of this RFP on the National Treasury e-tender portal and Transnet website with 10 days after the award has been finalised. All unsuccessful bidders have a right to request for reasons for their bid not being successful. This requested must be directed to the contact person stated in the SBD 1 form. 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.
BRIEFING SESSION	No Refer to paragraph 2 for details.
CLOSING DATE	12h00 on Tuesday, 28 April 2026 Bidders must ensure that bids are uploaded timeously onto the system. Generally, if a bid is late, it will not be accepted for consideration. Respondents are to submit bid documents by uploading them onto the Transnet system against each tender selected. A Bidder can upload 30mb per upload and multiple uploads are permitted. Bidders should ensure that electronic bid submissions are submitted at least a day before the closing date and bidders should not wait for the last hour before the deadline to submit. This is to enable them to timeously address issues which they may encounter due to internet speed, bandwidth or the size of the number of uploads being submitted. Transnet will not be held liable for any challenges experienced by bidders as a result of their own technical challenges.

VALIDITY PERIOD	180 Business Days from Closing date (13 January 2027) 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. Should a bidder fail to respond to a request for extension of the validity period before it expires, that bidder will be excluded from tender process. With regard to the validity period of next highest ranked bidders, please refer to Section 2, paragraph 10.12
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Any additional information or clarification will be published on the e-Tender portal and Transnet website, if necessary.

2 **FORMAL BRIEFING**

A formal briefing session will not be held but should Respondents have specific queries they should email these to the Transnet employee(s) indicated in paragraph 6 [Communication] below.

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.

The Transnet e-Tender Submission Portal can be accessed as follows:

- a) Log on to the Transnet eTenders management platform website/ Portal (<https://esupplierportal.transnet.net/>)
- b) Click on "ADVERTISED TENDERS" to view advertised tenders;
- c) Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER –to register new bidder information and ensure that all mandatory information is completed) OR;
- d) to sign in if already registered;
- e) Toggle (click to switch) the "Log an Intent" button to submit a bid;
- f) Submit bid documents by uploading them into the system against each tender selected.
- g) Respondents are to submit bid documents by uploading them onto the Transnet system against each tender selected. A Bidder can upload 30mb per upload and multiple uploads are permitted.
- h) Bidders should ensure that electronic bid submissions are submitted at least a day before the closing date and bidders should not wait for the last hour before the deadline to submit. This is to enable them to timeously address issues which they may encounter due to internet speed, bandwidth or the size of the number of uploads being submitted. Transnet will not be held liable for any challenges experienced by bidders as a result of their own technical challenges.
- i) No late submissions will be accepted. The bidder guide can be found on the Transnet Portal <https://esupplierportal.transnet.net/>
- j) Each company must register its own profile using its company details and use the corresponding registered profile to log an intent to bid as well as submitting any bid.
- k) Transnet will not accept a bid or will disqualify a bidder who submits a bid in the Transnet e-tender submission through another bidders'/Company's profile. In other words, each bidder must register the intent to bid and submit its bid through its own profile under the same company name that will eventually bid for the tender. No company shall submit a bid on behalf of another company regardless of the company being a subsidiary or holding company.
- l) In case of a Joint Venture, any of the parties/companies to the Joint Venture may use its registered profile to submit a bid on behalf of the Joint Venture.

m) A detailed bidder guide can be found on the Transnet Portal <https://esupplierportal.transnet.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 (a consolidated B-BBEE Status Level verification certificate) Preference points will be awarded to a bidder for attaining the specific goals requirements in accordance with the table indicated in Table 3.2 of the specific goals Claim Form.

6 COMMUNICATION (CLARIFICATIONS AND COMPLAINTS)

- 6.1 For specific clarification relating to this RFP, an RFP Clarification Request Form should be submitted to [**Mari Maritz – mari.maritz@transnet.net**] before **12h00 on 22 April 2026**, 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 Specific complaints relating to this RFP before or after the closing date should be formally submitted by emailing to groupscmcomplaints@transnet.net. Once the complaint has been submitted, the Transnet SCM Complaints office will acknowledge your complaint and send you a complaint form for completion.
- 6.3 After the closing date of the RFP, a Respondent may only communicate with the DBAC Secretariat [**Prudence Nkabinde**], at telephone number **011 584 0821**, email **prudence.nkabinde@transnet.net** on any matter relating to its RFP Proposal.
- 6.4 Respondents are to note that changes to its submission will not be considered after the closing date.
- 6.5 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.

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.

Respondent to indicate the details of its *domicilium citandi et executandi* hereunder:

Name of Entity: _____

Facsimile: _____

Address: _____

NOTIFICATION OF AWARD OF RFP

As soon as possible after approval to award the contract(s), the successful Respondent [**the Supplier**] will be informed of the acceptance of its Proposal. Transnet will also publish the outcome of the tender, including successful and unsuccessful bidders, in the National Treasury e-tender portal. Any unsuccessful bidder has a right to request reasons for the bid not to be successful and Transnet has a duty to provide those reasons on receipt of the request from the bidder.

VALIDITY PERIOD

Transnet requires a validity period of 180 Business Days [from closing date] - 13 January 2027 against this RFP, excluding the first day and including the last day.

NAME(S) AND ADDRESS / ADDRESSES OF DIRECTOR(S) OR MEMBER(S)

The Respondent must disclose hereunder the full name(s) and address(s) of the director(s) or members of the company or close corporation [**C.C.**] on whose behalf the RFP is submitted.

(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)

SECTION 7: RFP CLARIFICATION REQUEST FORM

RFP No:
RFP deadline for questions / RFP Clarifications: Before 12h00 on 22 April 2026.

TO: Transnet SOC Ltd
ATTENTION: Mari Maritz
EMAIL [mari.maritz@transnet.net]
DATE: _____
FROM: _____

RFP Clarification No *[to be inserted by Transnet]*

REQUEST FOR RFP CLARIFICATION
