Clarification Question and TE response

Request for an extension of Closing date for TE/2023/02/0022/23128/RFP FOR THE RESURVEYING, DESIGN, REPLACEMENT AND INSTALLATION, TEST AND COMMISSIONING OF GANTRY RAILS IN BAY 54 AT KOEDOESPOORT MOP BUSINESS AS ONCE SUPPLY

Bidder's request;

Herewith we wish to request for an extension of the closing date as, Our suppliers have just informed us that the rail that needs to be replaced is very old and is no longer available in SA, and it will have to be imported, We are awaiting a response from overseas suppliers."

<u>Transnet Rail Engineering's response:</u>

The extension of closing date has been granted. The RFP will close on Tuesday, 30 May 2023 at 10:00am.

Bidders must note that the currently installed rails are obsolete however TE indicated on the specification that the suppliers can use any geometric type of rail provided it meets the standards and calculations are provided. Refer to paragraph 3.1 on the spec. Bidders are not limited to the old rail.