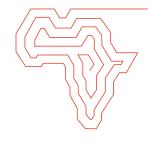


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Thulane Msibi – Acting Commodity Manager



Richard Shandu – Head of Equipment



Deon Vermaak - Project Manager



Duduzile Sibiya - ESD Specialist



Nomathamsanqa Gasa – Commodity Specialist



Dudu Mthethwa - TIA

BRIEFING SESSION

- This RFP briefing session is NOT compulsory.
- Bidders are requested to remain for the entire duration of the briefing session.
- An approximate time allocation of two hours.
- An opportunity for Clarification questions will be provided at the end of each session.
- All questions will be recorded, and the answers will be consolidated and forwarded to all bidders
 who have provided their contact information and loaded onto the e-tender portal and on the
 Transnet tender's website. Any additional clarification questions hereafter will only be accepted
 by TPT until 16:00pm on Monday, 03 March 2024.
- All communication subsequent to this briefing session must only be directed to Thulane Msibi on thulane.msibi@transnet.net.
- After the closing date of the RFP, a Respondent may only communicate with Thulane Msibi, email thulane.msibi@transnet.net on any matter relating to its RFP Proposal.

IMPORTANT DATES



• **Issue Date** : 11 February 2025

• **Briefing Session Date** : 20 - 28 February 2025 at 10:00 am

• Request for clarification Deadline : 03 March 2025 before 16:00

• Closing Date : 07 March 2025 at 12:00 pm

RFP DOWNLOADING

- This RFP may be downloaded directly from National Treasury's e-Tender Publication Portal at <u>www.etenders.gov.za</u> free of charge.
- To download RFP document and it's Annexures:
 - Click on "Tender Opportunities";
 - Select "Advertised Tenders";
 - > In the "Department" box, select Transnet SOC Ltd
- Once the tender has been located 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://transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net (please use Google Chrome to access Transnet link/site) free of charge (refer to **section 3, paragraph a on the RFP document** or below for detailed steps)



BID SUBMISSION



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

- Log on to the Transnet eTenders management platform website/ Portal ((transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net) Please use Google Chrome to access Transnet link/site);
- Click on "ADVERTISED TENDERS" to view advertised tenders;
- Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER for bidder to register their information (must fill in all mandatory information);
- Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER" to sign in if already registered;
- Toggle (click to switch) the "Log an Intent" button to submit a bid;
- Submit bid documents by uploading them into the system against each tender selected.
- No late submissions will be accepted. The bidder guide can be found on the Transnet Portal transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net

**NO HAND DELIVERED COPY WILL BE ACCEPTED.

RFP TEMPLATE



SECTION 1 : SBD1 FORM

SECTION 2 : NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SECTION 3 : BACKGROUND, OVERVIEW AND SCOPE OF REQUIREMENTS

SECTION 4 : PRICING SCHEDULE – ANNEXURE B (MANDATORY)

SECTION 5 : PROPOSAL FORM AND LIST OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

SECTION 6 : CERTIFICATE OF ACQUAINTANCE WITH RFP, MASTER AGREEMENT & APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

SECTION 7 : RFP DECLARATION AND BREACH OF LAW FORM

SECTION 8 : RFP CLARIFICATION REQUEST FORM

SECTION 9 : SPECIFIC GOALS POINTS CLAIM FORM

SECTION 10 : CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE FOR NON-COMPULSORY RFP BRIEFING

SECTION 11 : PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

RFP ANNEXURE





ANNEXURE A : SCOPE OF WORK AND TECHNICAL RETURNABLES

ANNEXURE A1 : TECHNICAL ELIGIBILITY

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ANNEXURE B : LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION

ANNEXURE C : LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION: SUMMARY SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE D : IMPORTED CONTENT DECLARATION: SUPPORTING SCHEDULE TO ANNEXURE C

RFP ANNEXURE





ANNEXURE E : LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION: SUPPORTING SCHEDULE TO ANNEXURE C

ANNEXURE F : CONVEYOR BELWTING QUANTITY REQUIREMENTS (PRICING SCHEDULE)

ANNEXURE G: MASTER AGREEMENT

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ANNEXURE I : NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT

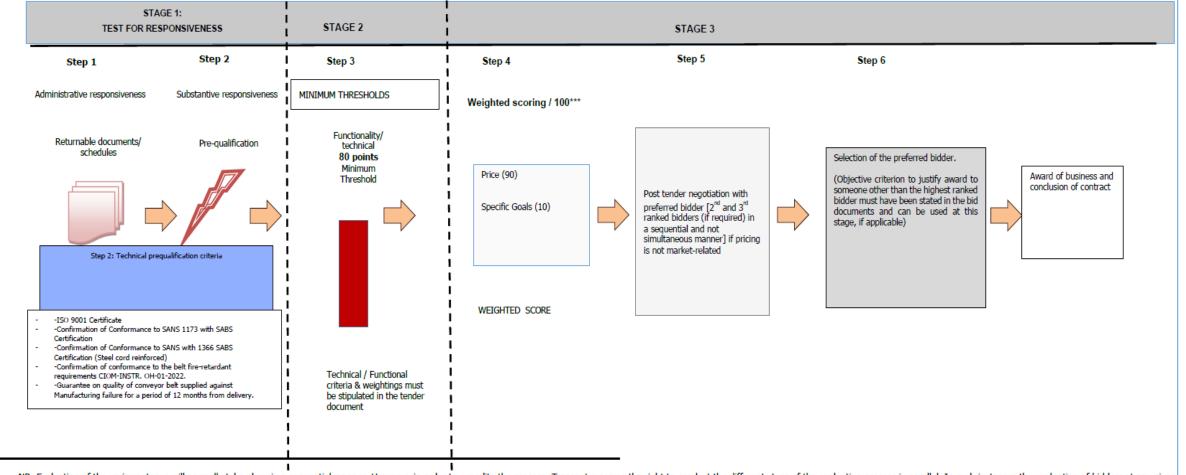
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ANNEXURE K : TRANSNET GENERAL BID CONDITIONSAND UPLOAD ON TRANET ETENDERS

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TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS





NB: Evaluation of the various stages will normally take place in a sequential manner. However, in order to expedite the process, Transnet reserves the right to conduct the different steps of the evaluation process in parallel. In such instances the evaluation of bidders at any given stage must not be interpreted to mean that bidders have necessarily passed any previous stage(s).

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TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS



Stage 1 : Administrative Responsiveness - Mandatory returnable

Failure to provide all these Mandatory Returnable Documents at the Closing Date and time of this RFP will result in a Respondent's disqualification

Mandatory returnable documents	Submitted [Yes/No]
Section 4 : Pricing Schedule – Annexure F	
ANNEXURE A1: TECHNICAL ELIGIBILITY	
■ ISO 9001 certificate	
■ Confirmation of conformance to SANS 1173 with SABS certification	
 Confirmation of conformance to SANS with 1366 SABS certification (Steel cord reinforced) 	
 Confirmation of conformance to the belt fire-retardant requirements CIOM-INSTR. OH-01-2022. 	
• Guarantee on quality of conveyor belt supplied against manufacturing failure for a period of 12 months from delivery.	
 Confirmation of conformance to the national environmental management: waste act (Act no. 59 of 2008). 	



TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS



Stage 1 : Administrative Responsiveness – Returnable for scoring

Returnable document used for scoring	Submitted [Yes/No]
Respondent's valid proof of evidence to claim points for compliance with Specific Goals' requirements as stipulated in Section 9 of this RFP	
Quality Control Plan (QCP) submitted as evidence of an internal Quality Control System	
Production Plan / Delivery Schedule that the Service Provider shall be able to deliver the requirement within 8 weeks of a confirmed Purchase Order. - Previous referenced supply contract complete production and delivery schedule should be provided to demonstrate supply capability.	
Three (3) written traceable references evidencing Experience / Competency for past five (5) years. (Previous Experience of Supplier in providing similar service to an organization of similar size, the rand value of each contract to be included per reference, only contracts where the total ETC has exceeded R 50 million shall be accepted)	
Ability to provide Technical support, conformance to SoW (Paragraph 4): Technical backup and Support.	
Adherence to belt Scope of work (Paragraph 5): Technical Requirements	
Valid proof of Respondent's compliance to B-BBEE requirements stipulated in Section 9 of this RFP	



TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS



Stage 1 : Administrative Responsiveness – Essential Returnable Documents

Returnable document used for scoring	Submitted [Yes/No]
In the case of Joint Ventures, a copy of the Joint Venture Agreement or written confirmation of the intention to enter into a Joint Venture Agreement	
Latest Financial Statements signed by your Accounting Officer or latest Audited Financial Statements plus 2 previous years	
Section 1: SBD1 Form	
ANNEXURE B – Declaration Certificate for Local Production and Content [SBD6.2]	
ANNEXURE C – Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule	
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SECTION 6 : Certificate Of Acquaintance with RFP, Terms & Conditions & Applicable Documents	
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SECTION 10 : Certificate of attendance of compulsory / non-compulsory Site Meeting / RFP Briefing	
SECTION 12: Protection of Personal Information	

TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS





Stage 2 : Technical Evaluations

- The minimum qualifying threshold is 80 points for each regional technical evaluation.
- More detailed to be presented by Technical

TENDER EVALUATION PROCESS

Stage 3: Objective Criteria

Transnet reserves the right to award the business to the highest scoring bidder/s unless objective criteria justify the award to another bidder. The objective criteria Transnet may apply in this bid process include:

- Skills Transfer and Capacity Building for Transnet;
- Impact on Transnet's Return On Investment;
- Rotation of Suppliers to promote opportunities for other suppliers, by overlooking a supplier that has been awarded business repeatedly
 overtime in order to benefit other suppliers in the market;

the tenderer:

- is not under restrictions, or has principals who are under restrictions, preventing participating in the employer's procurement,
- is not undergoing a process of being restricted by Transnet or other state institution that Transnet may be aware of,
- 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,
- 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,

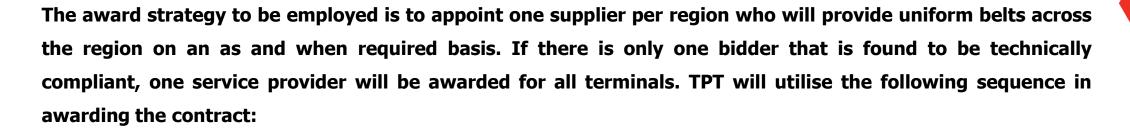
AWARD STRATEGY

Transnet intends to award this tender per region as indicated on table below

Bidders must indicate on page 2 of the RFP document the region/s they are tendering for.

Region	Terminals	Tick
	AgriPort	
Kwa-Zulu Natal Region	Richard Bay MPT	
	Port Elizabeth	
Eastern Cape Region	East London	
Cape Town Region	Saldanha MPT	

AWARD STRATEGY



- The first sequenced award will be awarded to the highest ranked bidder.
- The second sequenced award will be awarded to the second highest ranked bidder, subject to the second
- highest ranked bidder not having been awarded the first sequenced award. In such an instance the
- award will be made to the second highest ranked bidder.
- The third sequenced award will be awarded to the third highest ranked bidder, subject to the third
- highest ranked bidder not having been awarded the first or second sequenced award. In such an instance
- the award will be made to the third ranked bidder that is neither the bidder to whom the first or second
- sequenced award were made.
- - Ideally only one (1) Terminal will be awarded to a bidder, however Transnet reserves the right at its
- discretion to award more than one terminals to a single service provider, provided that the solution is
- aligned with Transnet's objective, that the solution is cost effective, and the bidder is the highest ranked.
- This strategy will ensure the service providers are able to attend to orders placed within the minimum lead-times
- agreed upon



