

C1.1 FORM OF OFFER & ACCEPTANCE

Offer

The Employer, identified in the Acceptance signature block, has solicited offers to enter into a contract for the procurement of:

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FOR SPECIALIST CONSULTANT FOR TRANSNET PIPELINES
NETWORK - STRATEGIC PLANNING FRAMEWORK.**

The tenderer, identified in the Offer signature block, has examined the documents listed in the Tender Data and addenda thereto as listed in the Returnable Schedules, and by submitting this Offer has accepted the Conditions of Tender.

The offered total of the Prices exclusive of VAT is	N/A - RATE-BASED CONTRACT
Value Added Tax @ 15% is	N/A - RATE-BASED CONTRACT
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(in words)	

This Offer may be accepted by the *Employer* by signing the Acceptance part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance and returning one copy of this document including the Schedule of Deviations (if any) to the tenderer before the end of the period of validity stated in the Tender Data, or other period as agreed, whereupon the tenderer becomes the party named as the *NEC3 PSC Consultant* in the *conditions of contract* identified in the Contract Data.

Signature(s)

Name(s)

Capacity

for the
tenderer:

(Insert name and address of organisation)

Name &
signature of
witness

Date

Acceptance

By signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the *Employer* identified below accepts the tenderer's Offer. In consideration thereof, the *Employer* shall pay the *Consultant* the amount due in accordance with the *conditions of contract* identified in the Contract Data. Acceptance of the tenderer's Offer shall form an agreement between the *Employer* and the tenderer upon the terms and conditions contained in this agreement and in the contract that is the subject of this agreement.

The terms of the contract, are contained in:

Part C1	Agreements and Contract Data, (which includes this Form of Offer and Acceptance)
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Part C3	Scope of Services

and drawings and documents (or parts thereof), which may be incorporated by reference into the above listed Parts.

Deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the Tender Data and any addenda thereto listed in the Returnable Schedules as well as any changes to the terms and *conditions of contract* of the Offer agreed by the tenderer and the *Employer* during this process of offer and acceptance, are contained in the Schedule of Deviations attached to and forming part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance. No amendments to or deviations from said documents are valid unless contained in this Schedule.

The tenderer shall within two weeks of receiving a completed copy of this agreement, including the Schedule of Deviations (if any), contact the *Employer's Agent* (whose details are given in the Contract Data) to arrange the delivery of any securities, bonds, guarantees, proof of insurance and any other documentation to be provided in terms of the *conditions of contract* identified in the Contract Data at, or just after, the date this agreement comes into effect. Failure to fulfil any of these obligations in accordance with those terms shall constitute a repudiation of this agreement.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein, this agreement comes into effect on the date of award of contract. Unless the tenderer (now the *NEC3 PSC Consultant*) within five working days of the date of such receipt notifies the *Employer* in writing of any reason why he cannot accept the contents of this agreement, this agreement shall constitute a binding contract between the Parties.

Signature(s)

Name(s)

Capacity

**for the
Employer:**

Transnet SOC (Ltd)

Name &
signature of
witness

Date

Schedule of Deviations

No.	Subject	Details
1		
2		
3		

By the duly authorised representatives signing this Schedule of Deviations below, the *Employer* and the tenderer agree to and accept this Schedule of Deviations as the only deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the Tender Data and any addenda thereto listed in the Tender Schedules, as well as any confirmation, clarification or changes to the terms of the Offer agreed by the tenderer and the *Employer* during this process of Offer and Acceptance.

It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the tender documents and the receipt by the tenderer of a completed signed copy of this Form shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this Agreement.

	For the <i>tenderer</i> :	For the <i>Employer</i>
Signature	_____	_____
Name	_____	_____
Capacity	_____	_____
On behalf of	(Insert name and address of organisation)	Transnet SOC (Ltd)
Name & signature of witness	_____	_____
Date	_____	_____

C1.2 Contract Data

Part one - Data provided by the *Employer*

Clause	Statement	Data
1	General	
	The <i>conditions of contract</i> are the core clauses and the clauses for main Option	
	dispute resolution Option	G: Term Contract
	and secondary Options	W1: Dispute resolution procedure
		X2: Changes in the law
		X7: Delay damages
		X9: Transfer of rights
		X10: <i>Employer's Agent</i>
		X11: Termination by the <i>Employer</i>
		X18: Limitation of liability
		Z: <i>Additional conditions of contract</i>
		Z1 Obligations in respect of Joint Venture Agreements
		Z2 Additional obligations in respect of Termination
		Z3 Right Reserved by the Transnet to Conduct State Security Agency (SSA) screening
		Z4 Additional Clause Relating to the <i>Employer's</i> rights to take appropriate action.
		Z5 Protection of Personal Information Act
		Z7 Compensation Events
		Z8 Limitation of liability
		Z9 Additional clauses relating to cession of rights
		Z10 Additional clauses relating to interpretation of the law
		Z11 <i>Employer's</i> Step in rights

of the NEC3 Professional Services
Contract (June 2005) (amended June 2006
and April 2013)

10.1	The <i>Employer</i> is (Name): Address	Transnet SOC Ltd Registered address: Transnet Corporate Centre 138 Eloff Street Braamfontein Johannesburg 2000				
	Having elected its Contractual Address for the purposes of this contract as:	Transnet Pipelines (TPL) 202 Anton Lembede Street Durban 4001				
11.2(9)	The <i>services</i> are	Professional services for specialist consultant for Transnet Pipelines network - strategic planning framework.				
11.2(10)	The following matters will be included in the Risk Register	No additional data required for this section of the conditions of contract.				
11.2(11)	The Scope is in	Part C3.1: The Scope of the Contract Document				
12.2	The <i>law of the contract</i> is the law of	the Republic of South Africa subject to the jurisdiction of the Courts of South Africa.				
13.1	The <i>language of this contract</i> is	English				
13.3	The <i>period for reply</i> is	2 (two) weeks				
13.6	The <i>period for retention</i> is	5 (five) years following Completion or earlier termination.				
2	The Parties' main responsibilities					
25.2	The <i>Employer</i> provides access to the following persons, places and things	<table><tr><td>access to</td><td>access date</td></tr><tr><td>1 All sites</td><td>TBA</td></tr></table>	access to	access date	1 All sites	TBA
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3	Time					
31.2	The <i>starting date</i> is	TBA				
11.2(3)	The <i>completion date</i> for the whole of the <i>services</i> is	TBA				
31.1	The <i>Consultant</i> is to submit a first programme for acceptance within	2 (two) weeks of the Contract Date.				
32.2	The <i>Consultant</i> submits revised programmes at intervals no longer than	4 (four) weeks.				

4	Quality		
40.2	The quality policy statement and quality plan are provided within	2 (two) weeks of the Contract Date.	
41.1	The <i>defects date</i> is	52 weeks after Completion of the whole of the services.	
5	Payment		
50.1	The <i>assessment interval</i> is on the	18th day of each successive month.	
50.3	The <i>expenses</i> stated by the <i>Employer</i> are	Item	Amount
		Economy air fares	Charged at proven costs strictly on limits as set out in National Treasury Instructions as amended from time to time.
		Car hire not exceeding group B	Charged at proven costs strictly on limits as set out in National Treasury Instructions as amended from time to time.
		Accommodation	Charged at proven costs strictly on limits as set out in National Treasury Instructions as amended from time to time.
51.1	The period within which payments are made is	Payment will be effected on or before the last day of the month following the month during which a valid Tax Invoice and Statement were received.	
51.2	The <i>currency of this contract</i> is the	South African Rand (ZAR).	
51.5	The <i>interest rate</i> is	The prime lending rate of the Rand Merchant Bank of South Africa.	
6	Compensation events	No additional data required for this section of the <i>conditions of contract</i>.	
7	Rights to material	No additional data required for this section of the <i>conditions of contract</i>.	
8	Indemnity, insurance and liability		
81.1	The amounts of insurance and the periods for which the <i>Consultant</i> maintains insurance are		

Event	Cover	Period following Completion of the whole of the services or earlier termination
failure by the <i>Consultant</i> to use the skill and care normally used by professionals providing services similar to the <i>services</i>	Professional Indemnity insurance for not less than R5 000 000.00 (Five Million Rand) in respect of each claim, without limit to the number of claims	52 Weeks
death of or bodily injury to a person (not an employee of the <i>Consultant</i>) or loss of or damage to property resulting from an action or failure to take action by the <i>Consultant</i>	General Third Party Liability Insurance for all amounts falling within the excess of the policy, currently R50 000.00 (Fifty Thousand Rand) each and every claim, and/or for all amounts in excess of the policy limits as detailed in the policy document or whatever the <i>Consultant</i> deems desirable in respect of each claim, without limit to the number of claims	0 Weeks
death of or bodily injury to employees of the <i>Consultant</i> arising out of and in the course of their employment in connection with this contract	The minimum limit of indemnity for insurance in respect of death of or bodily injury to employees of the <i>Consultant</i> arising out of and in connection with this contract for any one event is that which is prescribed by the Compensation for Occupation Injuries and Diseases Act No. 130 of 1993 as amended.	0 Weeks
Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance	Comprising (as a minimum) "Balance of Third Party" Risks including Passenger Liability Indemnity for an amount of not less than R 10 000 000.00	

81.1	The <i>Employer</i> provides the following insurances	<p>Professional Indemnity insurance in respect of failure of the <i>Consultant</i> to use the skill and care normally used by Professionals providing services similar to the <i>services</i></p> <p>General Third Party Liability cover in respect of death of or bodily injury to a person (not an employee of the <i>Consultant</i>) or loss of or damage to property resulting from an action or failure to take action by the <i>Consultant</i></p>
82.1	The <i>Consultant's</i> total liability to the <i>Employer</i> for all matters arising under or in connection with this contract, other than the excluded matters, is limited to	For all matters covered under the Employer's Professional Indemnity (PI) and General Third Party Liability policies, the <i>Consultant's</i> liability will be limited to the excesses applicable under the Employer's Professional Indemnity and General Third Party Liability policies as detailed in the policy wordings. The current excesses amounts PI and R50 000.00 (Fifty Thousand Rand) General Third Party Liability, respectively, each and every claim. For all matters not covered under the Employer's Professional Indemnity and General Third Party Liability policies the <i>Consultants</i> liability will be limited to the final total of the Prices.
9	Termination	No additional data required for this section of the <i>conditions of contract</i> .
10	Data for main Option clause	
G	Term Contract	
21.3	The <i>Consultant</i> prepares forecasts of the total of the <i>expenses</i> at intervals of no longer than	Four (4) weeks.
11	Data for Option W1	
W1.1	The <i>Adjudicator</i> is	Both parties will agree to an <i>Adjudicator</i> as and when a dispute arises. If the parties cannot reach an agreement on the <i>Adjudicator</i> , the Chairman of the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa) will appoint an <i>Adjudicator</i> .
W1.2(3)	The <i>Adjudicator nominating body</i> is:	the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa)
W1.4(2)	The <i>tribunal</i> is:	Arbitration
W1.4(5)	The <i>arbitration procedure</i> is	The latest addition of the South African Rules for the Conduct of Arbitrations of the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa)
	The place where arbitration is to be held is	Durban South Africa

The person or organisation who will choose an arbitrator if the Parties cannot agree a choice or if the *arbitration procedure* does not state who selects an arbitrator, is

The Chairman of the Association of Arbitrators (Southern Africa)

12	Data for secondary Option clauses	
X2	Changes in the law	
X2.1	The <i>law of the project</i> is	South African.
X7	Delay damages	
X7.1	Delay damages for late Completion of the whole of the <i>services</i> are	R500 per day for delays in excess of 5 working days.
X9	Transfer of rights	The <i>Employer</i> owns the <i>Consultant</i> rights over any of the material whatsoever prepared for the Services of this Contract by the <i>Consultant</i> . The <i>Consultant</i> provides on request by the <i>Employer's Agent</i> , all documentation in whatever form as required (native's, PDF's, CD's, etc) and all other material items which transfer these rights to the <i>Employer</i> .
X10	The <i>Employer's Agent</i>	
X10.1	The <i>Employer's Agent</i> is	
	Name:	
	Address	202 Anton Lembede Street Durban 4001
	The authority of the <i>Employer's Agent</i> is	Fully empowered to act on behalf of the <i>Employer</i> for the services covered by the contract.
X18	Limitation of liability	
X18.1	The <i>Consultant's</i> liability to the <i>Employer</i> for indirect or consequential loss is limited to:	Nil
X18.2	The <i>Consultant's</i> liability to the <i>Employer</i> for Defects that are not found until after the <i>defects date</i> is limited to:	The cost of correcting the defect (The Total of the Prices)
X18.3	The <i>end of liability date</i> is	2 (Two) years after Completion of the whole of the <i>services</i> .

Z Additional conditions of contract

The *additional conditions of contract* are

Z1 Obligations in respect of Joint Venture Agreements

Z1.1

Insert the additional core clause 21.5

21.5.1 In the instance that the *Consultant* is a joint venture, the *Consultant* shall provide the *Employer* with a certified copy of its signed joint venture agreement, and in the instance that the joint venture is an 'Incorporated Joint Venture,' the Memorandum of Incorporation, within 4 (four) weeks of the Contract *starting date*.

The Joint Venture agreement shall contain but not be limited to the following:

- A brief description of the Contract and the Deliverables;
 - The name, physical address, communications addresses and domicilium citandi et executandi of each of the constituents and of the Joint Venture;
 - The constituents' interests;
 - A schedule of the insurance policies, sureties, indemnities and guarantees which must be taken out by the Joint Venture and by the individual constituents;
 - Details of an internal dispute resolution procedure;
 - Written confirmation by all of the constituents:
 - i. of their joint and several liability to the *Employer* to Provide the *services*;
 - ii. proof of separate bank account/s in the name of the joint venture;
 - iii. identification of the leader in the joint venture confirming the authority of the leader to bind the joint venture through the *Consultant's* representative;
 - iv. Identification of the roles and responsibilities of the constituents to provide the *services*.
 - Financial requirements for the Joint Venture:
 - i. the working capital requirements for the Joint Venture and the extent to which and manner whereby this will be provided and/or guaranteed by the constituents from time to time;
 - ii. the names of the auditors and others, if any, who will provide auditing and accounting services to the Joint Venture
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Z1.2	<p>Insert additional core clause 21.6</p> <p>21.6. The <i>Consultant</i> shall not alter its composition or legal status of the Joint Venture without the prior approval of the <i>Employer</i>.</p>
Z2	Additional obligations in respect of Termination
Z2.1	<p>The following will be included under core clause 90.1: In the second main bullet, after the word 'partnership' add 'joint venture whether incorporate or otherwise (including any constituent of the joint venture)' and</p> <p>Under the second main bullet, insert the following additional bullets after the last sub-bullet:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • commenced business rescue proceedings • repudiated this Contract
Z2.2	<p><i>Clause 90.5 is added as an additional clause</i> Where all or part of the Services are suspended for a period of six months or more either party may terminate the Contract by notifying the other.</p>
Z3	Right Reserved by the <i>Transnet</i> to Conduct State Security Agency (SSA) screening
Z3.1	<p>The <i>Employer</i> reserves the right to conduct vetting through State Security Agency (SSA) for security clearances of any <i>Consultant</i> who has access to National Key Points for the following without limitations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Confidential – this clearance is based on any information which may be used by malicious, opposing or hostile elements to harm the objectives and functions of an organ of state. 2. Secret – clearance is based on any information, which may be used by malicious, opposing or hostile elements to disrupt the objectives and functions of an organ of state. 3. Top Secret – this clearance is based on information, which may be used by malicious, opposing or hostile elements to neutralise the objectives and functions of an organ of state.

Z4	Additional Clause Relating to the <i>Employer's</i> rights to take appropriate action	
Z4.1	The contract award is made without prejudice to any rights the <i>Employer</i> may have to take appropriate action later with regard to:	Any declared, exposed or confirmed tender rigging.
Z4.1.1		The <i>Consultant</i> further undertakes: not to give or cause any offer, payment, consideration, or benefit of any kind, which constitutes or could be construed as an illegal or corrupt practice, either directly or indirectly, as an inducement or reward for the award or in execution of this contract.
Z 4.1.2		To comply with all laws, regulations or policies relating to the prevention and combating of bribery, corruption and money laundering to which it or the <i>Employer</i> is subject, including but not limited to the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 12 of 2004.
Z4.1.3		The <i>Consultant's</i> breach of this clause constitutes grounds for terminating the <i>Consultant's</i> obligation to Provide the Services or taking any other action as appropriate against the <i>Consultant</i> (including civil or criminal action). However, lawful inducements and rewards shall not constitute grounds for termination.
Z4.1.4		If the <i>Consultant</i> is found guilty by a competent court, administrative or regulatory body of participating in illegal or corrupt practices, including but not limited to the making of offers (directly or indirectly), payments, gifts, gratuity, commission or benefits of any kind, which are in any way whatsoever in connection with the contract with the <i>Employer</i> , the <i>Employer</i> shall be entitled to terminate the contract forthwith and take any other action as appropriate against the <i>Consultant</i> (including civil or criminal action).
Z4.2	The contract award is made without prejudice to any rights the <i>Employer</i> may have to take appropriate action later with regard to:	Politically Exposed Persons including any allegations with regards to State Capture.

Z4.3	The contract award is made without prejudice to any rights the <i>Employer</i> may have to take appropriate action later with regard to:	Blacklisting by any State Entity on the National Treasury database.
Z5	Protection of Personal Information Act	
Z5.1		The <i>Employer</i> and the <i>Consultant</i> are required to process information obtained for the duration of the Contract in a manner that is aligned to the Protection of Personal Information Act.
Z7	Compensation Events	
Z7.1		Clause 61.4: The first bullet point is amended to read as follows: arises from the fault, error, negligence or default of the <i>Consultant</i> .
Z8	Limitation of liability	
Z8.1		Add to core clause 82.1 and X18 For the avoidance of doubt the parties expressly agree that the total liability of the <i>Consultant</i> to the <i>Employer</i> applies jointly and severally across all organisations comprising of the <i>Consultant</i> .
Z9	Additional clauses relating to cession of rights	
Z9.1		The <i>Consultant</i> shall not cede any rights under this contract without the approval of the <i>Employer</i> .
Z9.2		The <i>Employer</i> may on written notice to the <i>Consultant</i> cede and assign its rights and obligations under this contract to any of its subsidiaries or any of its present divisions or operations which may be converted into separate legal entities as a result of the restructuring of the <i>Employer</i> .
Z10	Additional clauses relating to interpretation of the law	
Z10.1		Add to core clause 12.3 Any extension, concession, waiver or relaxation of any action by the Parties, the <i>Employers' Agent</i> or <i>Adjudicator</i> does not constitute a waiver of rights and does not give rise to an Estoppel or Lien, unless the Parties agree otherwise and confirm such an agreement in writing.
Z11	<i>Employer's</i> Step in rights	
Z11.1		If the <i>Consultant</i> defaults by failing to comply with his obligations and fails to remedy such default within 2 weeks of the notification of the default by the <i>Employer's Agent</i> , the <i>Employer</i> , without prejudice to his other rights, powers and remedies under the

contract, may remedy the default either himself or procure a third party (including any *sub-consultant* or supplier of the *Consultant*) to do so on his behalf. The reasonable costs of such remedial works shall be borne by the *Consultant*.

Z11.2

The *Consultant* co-operates with the *Employer* and facilitates and permits the use of all required information, materials and other matter (including but not limited to documents and all other drawings, CAD materials, data, software, models, plans, designs, programs, diagrams, evaluations, materials, specifications, schedules, reports, calculations, manuals or other documents or recorded information (electronic or otherwise) which have been or are at any time prepared by or on behalf of the *Consultant* under the contract or otherwise for and/or in connection with any subsequent *works*) and generally does all things required by the *Employers' Agent* to achieve this end.

C1.2 Contract Data

Part two - Data provided by the *Consultant*

The tendering consultant is advised to read both the NEC3 Professional Services Contract (April 2013) and the relevant parts of its Guidance Notes (PSC3-GN) in order to understand the implications of this Data which the tenderer is required to complete. An example of the completed Data is provided on pages 151 to 159 of the PSC3 Guidance Notes.

Completion of the data in full, according to Options chosen, is essential to create a complete contract.

Clause	Statement	Data
10.1	The <i>Consultant</i> is (Name): Address Tel No. Fax No.	
22.1	The <i>Consultant's</i> key persons are: 1 Name: Job: Responsibilities: Qualifications: Experience: 2 Name: Job: Responsibilities: Qualifications: Experience:	
Info.		CV's (and further <i>key persons</i> data including CVs) are appended to Tender Schedule entitled.....
11.2(3)	The <i>completion date</i> for the whole of the <i>services</i> is	
11.2(10)	The following matters will be included in the Risk Register	
11.2(13)	The <i>staff rates</i> are:	name/designation rate

Part C1: Agreement and Contract Data

C1.1: Form of Offer and Acceptance