



**PORT OF NGQURA** 

Liquid Bulk -RFP- Non-Compulsory Briefing Session

**Date: 9 July 2025** 

Time: 10:00 AM



# **Proposed Programme**

Time	Duration	Proceeding	Person Responsible	Venue
10:00 - 10:10	10min	Safety Briefing Video		
10:10 - 10:20	10min	Welcome & Introductions	Mr. Xola Mkontwana— Regional Strategy Specialist - Central Region  * Briefing Session Programme Director	
10:20 - 10:30	10min	Opening Remarks	Mr. David Goliath- Acting Port Manager (Port of Ngqura)	
10:30 – 10:40	10min	RFP Amendments	Mr. Mfundo Piti- Executive Manager New Business Development	Ground Floor Emendi
10:40 – 11:10	30min	Presentation	Mr. Siyabulela Hermanus- Concession Project Manager Ms. Kwanele Mtembu- Regional Procurement Manager Mr. Alpheus Lekganyane - Supplier Development Manager	Boardroom TNPA
11:10 - 11:40	30min	Question & Answer Session	Prospective Bidders and Panel members	
11:40 – 11:50	10min	Closing Remarks	Ms. Siziwe Batyi- Specialist in the ME's Office- Central Region	
11:50 – 12:00	10min	Departure for Project site visit from Emendi Building	All	
11:50 – 12:20	30min	Project Sites (Berth & Tank Farm)	All	Droject
12:20 – 12:30	10min	Departure from Project Site	All	Project Site Visit



# **RFP Major Amendments**



Clause	Previous version	Revision
9.1	Tenure	Tenure
	The Concession to be granted to the Terminal Operator shall be for a 25	The Concession to be granted to the Terminal
	(twenty-five)-year operating period only excluding development period	Operator shall be for an initial operating period
	and no request for the extension of this period will be entertained an or	of 25 (twenty-five) years with a non-
	considered in any Bidder's Bid Response and or during the negotiation of	automatic option to renew up to a
	the Terminal Operator Agreement	maximum period of 25 years as may be
		negotiated and agreed to between the
		Preferred Bidder and the TNPA. The Terminal
		Operator shall be obliged to give written notice
		by no later than the 20th year of the initial
		operating period of the Terminal Operator



# **RFP Major Amendments**



Clause	Previous version	Revision
9.2	New Clause Added	Tenure
		Bidders will be required to ensure its Business
		Case and Financial Model is premised on an
		initial operating period of 25 (Twenty – Five
		Years) and any proposals in respect of a longer
		tenure for the renewal of the concession must
		be comprehensively motivated, but will not
		be evaluated and or scored in the
		evaluation of Bids.

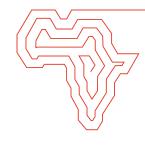


# **RFP Major Amendments**



Clause	Previous version	Revision
65.1.5	Land Size Offer  The total available footprint as per the Site Map (Annexure B) is 20.552 Ha (Hectares). However, the terminal design must indicate the Bidders' proposed footprint (land) required for developing a Liquid Bulk Storage Handling Terminal in line with their business case. The highest ranked bidder will be determined in terms of the price formula based on the Land (square meters) multiplied by the Concession Fee Offer (rate per square meter per month) resulting in the highest potential revenue to be earned by TNPA based on the following formula	The land offer for Liquid Bulk handling terminal is 10 hectares to ensure project viability. This is also informed by the current capacity at the Port of PE Tank Farm.
Due Date Q&A	05 September 2025	06 October 2025
Bid Submission Closing Date	19 September 2025	20 October 2025

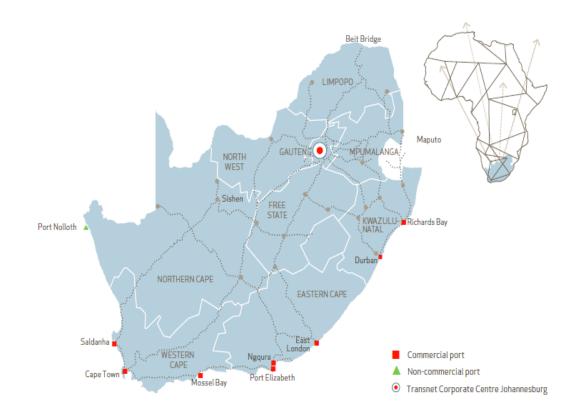
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### **TNPA Overview**



The TNPA occupies a strategic position in the country's transport logistics chain, managing South Africa's eight commercial seaports, namely Cape Town, Durban, East London, Mossel Bay, Ngqura, Port Elizabeth, Richards Bay, and Saldanha Bay.

- The ports under the control of the National Ports
   Authority span the South African coastline, which
   measures approximately 2 800 km.
- The National Ports Authority's asset base consists of port land, basic port infrastructure, and marine fleet at the eight commercial ports.
- The TNPA manages port land of approximately 43,4 million m<sup>2</sup> and about 750 leases across the port system.

#### **TRANSNEI**

### **TNPA Overview**



Transnet National Ports Authority (National Ports Authority or TNPA), an Operating Division of Transnet SOC Ltd, was established through the National Ports Act, No 12 of 2005 (the Ports Act) to be a landlord port responsible for the safe, efficient, and economic functioning of the national ports system which it manages, controls and administers on behalf of the State.

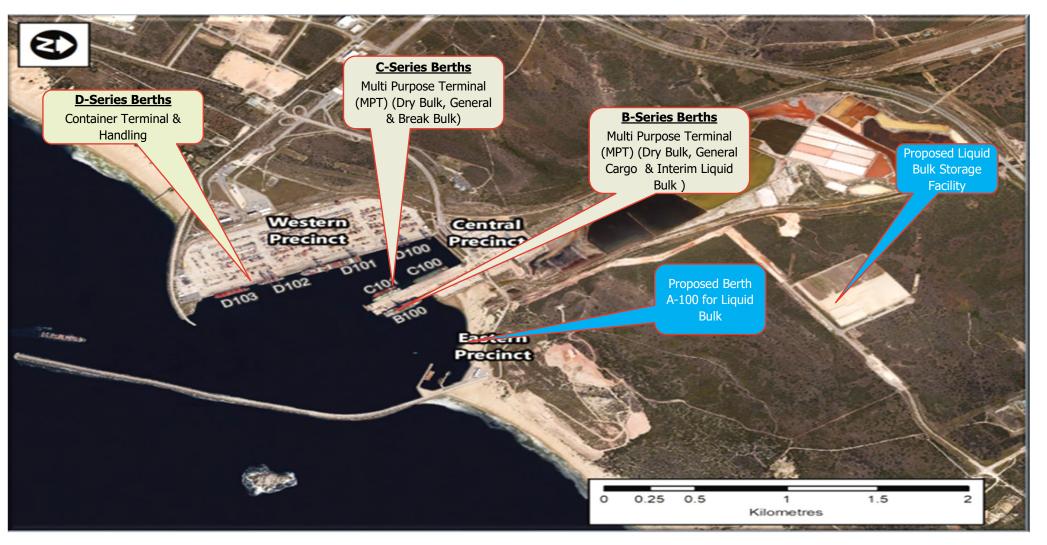
**Section 11 of the National Ports** Act prescribes the core functions of the National Ports Authority as follows:

- To plan, provide, maintain, and improve port infrastructure;
- To promote the use, improvement, and development of ports and control land use within the ports, having the power to lease port land under conditions that it determines;
- To promote greater representation, in particular, to increase participation in port operations of historically disadvantaged people;
- To provide or arrange marine-related services, i.e., pilotage services, tug assistance, berthing services, dredging, and hydrographic services;
- To ensure that adequate, affordable, and efficient port services and facilities are provided, including regulatory
  oversight of all port activities;
- To provide aids to assist the navigation of vessels within port limits and along the coast.

#### **TRANSNET**

# **Port of Ngqura - Precincts**

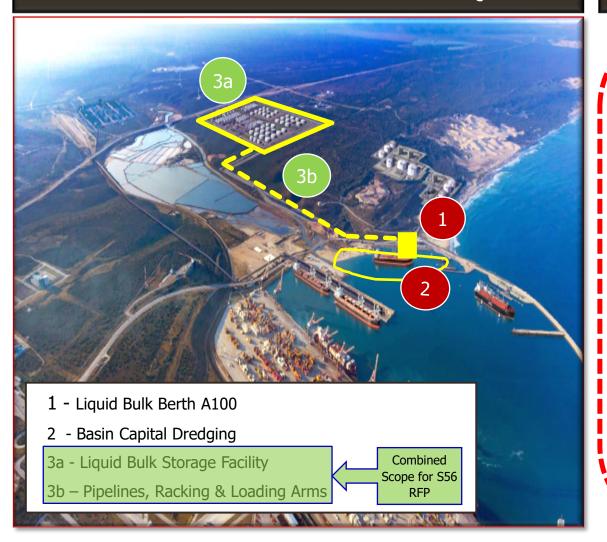




## Port of Ngqura - Liquid Bulk Overview



#### PORTFOLIO OF PROJECTS AT PORT OF NGQURA



### LIQUID BULK PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY



# BERTH A100 & BASIN CAPITAL DREDGING

Construction of berth and other infrastructure for the safe mooring and handling of liquid bulk tankers

To be funded, designed and constructed by TNPA



# TANK FARM FACILITY, PIPELINES, RACKING & LOADING ARMS

Landside storage facility with infrastructure to convey products from and to the berth for - Black Fuels, White Fuels, Green Fuels & LPG

To be funded, designed and constructed by Section 56 private sector concessionaire

Operation & Maintenance by Sec 56 Tank Farm Concessionaire

#### **TRANSNEI**

### **Issuance of the RFP & Section 56 Concession**



- TNPA issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) to the market for the appointment of a terminal operator to design, finance, develop, construct, operate, maintain, and transfer a Liquid Bulk Terminal for a twenty-five (25) year concession period in accordance with section 56 (1) and (5) of the National Ports Act No.12 of 2005 ("the Act").
- Section 56 (1) of the Act permits TNPA to enter into an agreement with any person in terms of which that person, for the period and in accordance with the terms and conditions determined by TNPA, is authorized to:
  - design, develop, fund, construct, operate, maintain, and transfer a port terminal or port facility, or provide services relating thereto;

#### **TRANSNEI**

### **Salient Feature of the Site**



- 1. The proposed Project Site has no permanent top structures (Greenfields).
- 2. The Project Site will include a pipeline servitude from the storage facility to the berth.
- 3. Bulk earthworks were already completed by a previous concessionaire with soil improvements performed to accommodate liquid bulk tanks.
- 4. The Project Site is fully services with municipal infrastructure:
  - Water supply reticulation;
  - Sewerage reticulation;
  - ❖ Access/road frontage on to the main entrance/exit road within Port Boundaries through the Coega SEZ Zone 7 via the N2 freeway;
  - Electrical supply (Low & Medium Voltage); and
  - Perimeter port land fencing with CCTV (Project Site not fenced).



### **Project Overview**



- The Terminal Operator will be responsible for the operation and maintenance of the Terminal infrastructure, or any fixed improvements to the Project Site, which shall include but not be limited to, sheds, offices, ablutions, canteens, fencing, security systems, Terminal paving, bulk services, communication systems, lighting, substations, and general machinery, plant and equipment, as may be required to operate the Terminal.
- A draft Terminal Operator Agreement (TOA) is attached as Annexure M of the RFP to expedite the negotiations between TNPA and the Preferred Bidder. TNPA is no way bound by the terms of the draft Terminal Operator Agreement.

#### **TRANSNE**

### Salient Points of the RFP

- All infrastructure required for the project must be designed to enable the realization of a minimum annual throughput of 1 (one) million kilolitre per annum and scaling up to achieve the new Berth capacity is limited to a maximum of throughput of 3 (three) million kilolitres per annum.
- The Terminal Operator (TO) will be responsible for negotiating and concluding any associated services/ inter connection points within port boundaries for other 3<sup>rd</sup> parties/stakeholders.
- An Environmental authorization (EA) is in place and valid for this [proposed new liquid bulk storage facility with associated services.
- The Preferred Bidder will be responsible for an EIA to allow for the handling of Green Fuels (Ammonia, Hydrogen, Biofuels or any other fuels) should there be any interest for these commodities.
- The Terminal Operator shall, for the avoidance of doubt be granted the right to operate and maintain the Terminal, the envisaged Berth A100 and carry all risks relating thereto as provided for in the Terminal Operator Agreement.
- The successful bidder shall conclude off take agreements to make the Terminal commercially viable.
- The successful Bidder will be responsible for obtaining all necessary approvals and licenses (i.e NERSA) to ensure full compliance with relevant regulations.

### **Qualification and Evaluation Criteria**

### PART I - QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

#### Qualification Criteria 1: Administrative Responsiveness

- ✓ Timely Submission of Bid Response
- ✓ Bid Response Duly Signed on all relevant documents.

### **Qualification Criteria 2: Substantive Responsiveness**

#### (Mandatory Returnable)

✓ Whether the bid contains a Concession fee offer

Bidders who comply with all the requirements of administrative and Substantive Responsiveness will be eligible for evaluation under Part III Evaluation Criteria.

### PART II -EVALUATION CRITERIA STAGE 1 FUNCTIONALITY

- Previous Exp. & Track Record (35)
- SHE & Risk (15)
- Financial Capacity (50)
- Business Case (100)
  - ✓ Market Analysis (25)
  - √ Financial Management Plan (25)
  - ✓ Operating Model (20)
  - ✓ Project Schedule (15)
  - ✓ Concept Design (15)

**Total (200)** 





of **140 points** 

(70%) of the total 200 Points is required for a Bidder to be eligible for evaluation under Stage 2 of this Evaluation Criteria. A Bidder who does not meet the minimum 140 points (70%), will not be evaluated further.

### PART III -EVALUATION CRITERIA - STAGE 2 PRICE & PREFERENCE

- Price
- ✓ Concession Fee Offer (90)

**Points Scored** = Points out of 100 x 90% = 90 points

- Preference:
- ✓ Specific Goals (10)

**Points Scored** = Points out of 100 x 10% = 10 points

On completion of the evaluation under Stage 2, Bidders will be ranked and be eligible for appointment as the Preferred Bidder if there are no objective criteria that justify the appointment of another Bidder other than the Highest Ranked Bidder.

### PART IV – DUE DILIGENCE ASSESSMENT

Detailed Due Diligence will be conducted on all bidders who meet the requirement of Part III stage 1 & 2



If no Criteria under Due Diligence\Probity Check justifies the appointment of another Bidder other than the Highest Ranked Bidder who scores the highest points will be appointed as the preferred Bidder and the Bidder with the Second Highest will be appointed as the Reserve Bidder.

# **Enterprise and Supplier Development (SCM/ESD HQ)**

Specific Goals (90/10) System



### **Transnet Preferential Procurement Policy (TPPP):**

☐ The following preference points were allocated to selected specific goals in accordance with provision 5.7.14 of the TPPP policy:

SPECIFIC GOALS	NUMBER OF POINTS (90/10 SYSTEM)
B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor 1 or 2	2.00
The promotion of supplier development through subcontracting for a minimum of 30% of the value of a contract to/with EMEs and /or QSEs 51% owned by black people, youth, women (30% owned) or disabled people owned.	8.00
Non-compliant and/or B-BBEE Level 3-8 contributors	0.00

# **Enterprise and Supplier Development (SCM/ESD HQ)**

Specific Goals (90/10) System



### **Transnet Preferential Procurement Policy (TPPP):**

☐ Specific Goals Evidence:

SPECIFIC GOAL	EVIDENCE
B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor 1 or 2	B-BBEE Certificate / Sworn- Affidavit / B-BBEE CIPC Certificate (in case of JV, a consolidated scorecard will be accepted) as per DTIC guideline
The promotion of supplier development through subcontracting for a minimum of 30% of the value of a contract to/with EMEs and /or QSEs 51% owned by black people, youth, women (30% owned), or disabled people owned.  For works/projects/activities/services to be undertaken during the	<ol> <li>Sub-contracting agreements and Declaration / Joint Venture Agreement</li> <li>CIPC – B-BBEE Certificate / Sworn- Affidavit / B -BBEE CIPC Certificate as per DTIC guideline</li> </ol>
developmental and operational phases throughout the concession period.	January 10 pm January

### **KEY POINTERS DETERMINING VALIDITY OF B-BBEE CERTIFICATE**

#### Valid B-BBEE Certificate



#### **VA Name**

Enterprise Name (Cross referenced to Tax Clearance Certificate & Enterprise Registration No.)



#### **COMPANY NAME**

(REG No: 2003/007768/07\*\*VAT No: 466021785) t/a

#### AQUA TRANSPORT AND PLANT HIRE (PTY) LTD

13 LEMANS ROAD, PINETOWN

HAS BEEN INDEPENDENTLY RATED IN TERMS OF BROAD-BASED BLACK ECONOMIC

#### AND IS DEEMED TO BE A

#### **LEVEL 2 CONTRIBUTOR**

GENERIC ENTERPRISE

AND HAS A RECOGNITION LEVEL OF 125%

B-BBEE Status, Generic Codes, & Procurement	Ė
Recog level	

#### Elements verified

B-BBEE STATUS	POINTS		STATUS
Ownership Equity	20.00	Black Ownership	100%
Management Control	14.27	Black Female Ownership	20%
Skills Development	16.00	ED Beneficiary	No
Supplier & Enterprise Development	42.00	Designated Supplier	No
Socio-Economic Development	05.00	Certificate Number	Gen 001/2017
Priority Elements achieved	Yes	Date Issued	06/02/2017
Level discounted	No	Expiry Date	05/02/2018
Final Level	2		

TECHNICAL SIGNATOR

**Certificate Number & Validity Period** 

**Example:** 

VALID B-BBEE

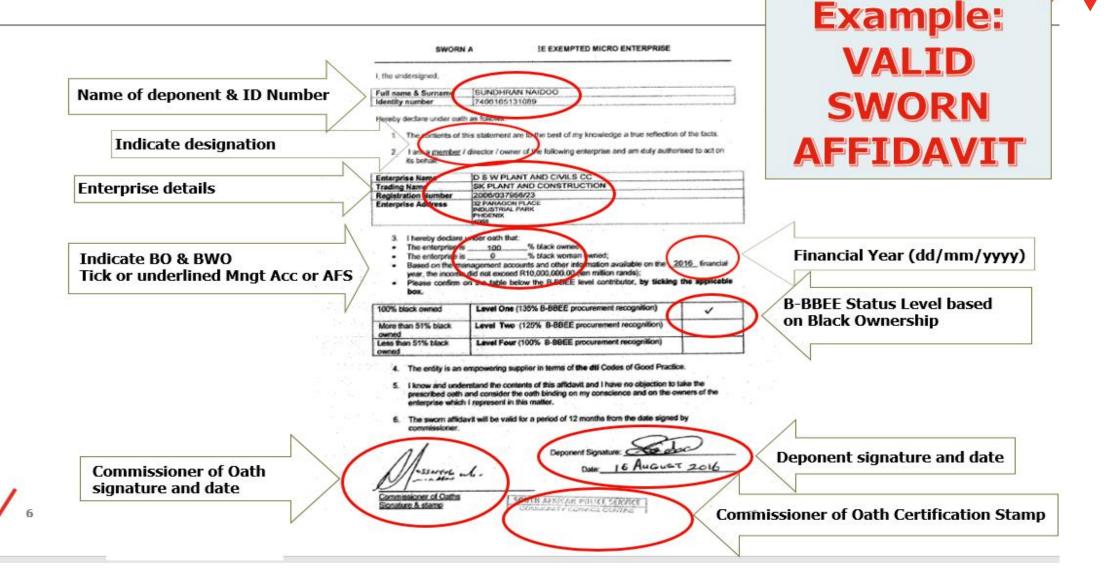
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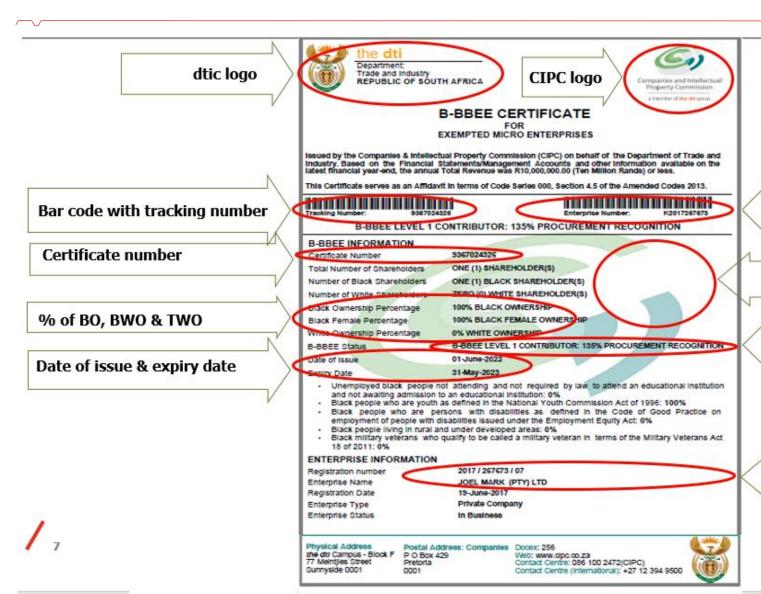
### **KEY POINTERS DETERMINING VALIDITY OF SWORN AFFIDAVIT**



#### **TRANSNER**

### **KEY POINTERS DETERMINING VALIDITY OF CIPC AFFIDAVIT**





# Example: VALID CIPC B-BBEE

Bar code with enterprise number

CIPC Watermark

B-BBEE Status & Proc Recog Level

Reg. Number & Enterprise Name



### **Submission of Bid Responses**



- Bid Responses in relation to the Bid Submission Date are to be submitted by no later than **16h00** Central African Time on **20 October 2025**.
- All Bid Responses and documents contained therein must be:
  - in a PDF format.
  - Properly indexed, readable, and capable of being electronically accessed.
- 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.
- Bidders are advised to ensure that electronic bid submissions are done at least a day before the closing date to
  prevent issues that they may encounter due to their internet speed, bandwidth, or the size of the number of uploads
  they are submitting. Transnet will not be held liable for any challenges experienced by bidders as a result of the
  technical challenges. Please do not wait for the last hour to submit. A Bidder can upload 30 MB per upload and
  multiple uploads are permitted.



### **Submission of Bid Responses**



- The Transnet e-Tender Submission Portal can be accessed as follows:
  - Log on to the Transnet e-Tenders management platform website/ Portal (transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net);
  - Please use Google Chrome to access the Transnet link/site);
  - Click on "ADVERTISED TENDERS" to view advertised tenders;
  - Click on "SIGN IN/REGISTER for a 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; and
  - No late submissions will be accepted.
  - The bidder guide can be found on the Transnet Portal transnetetenders.azurewebsites.net.

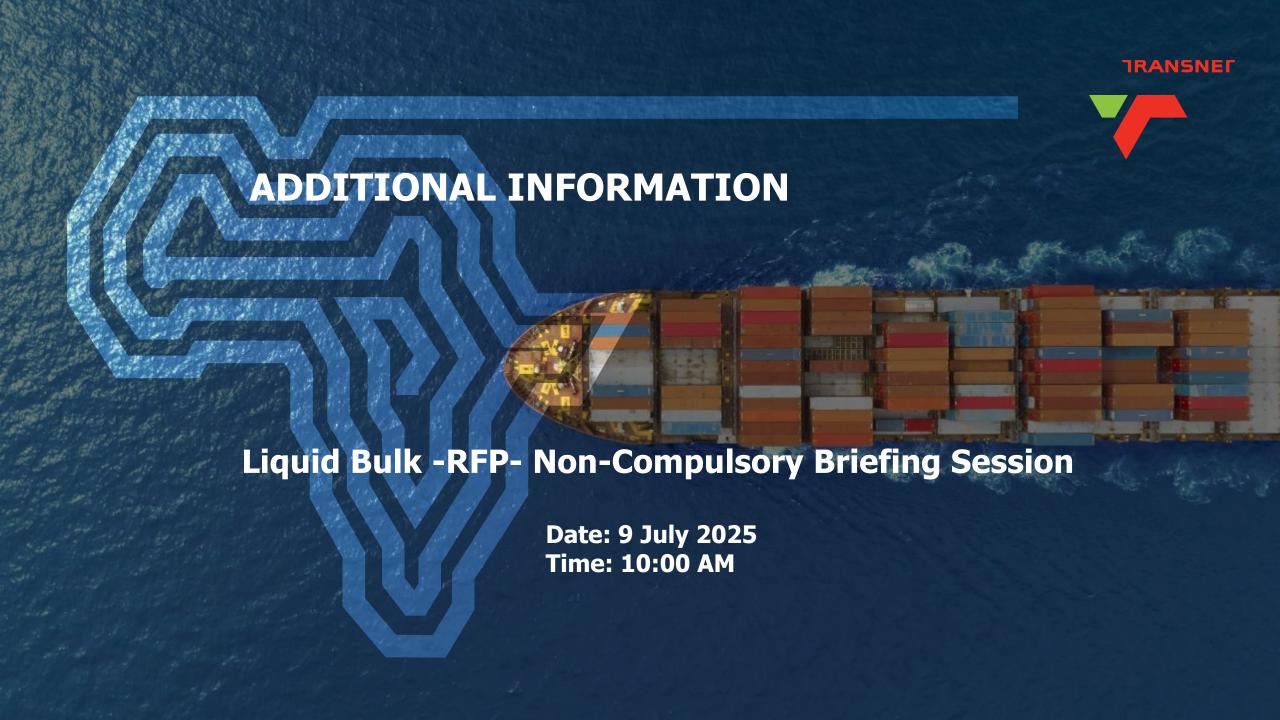


# **Important Items to Note**



Action items	Timeline
Issue of the RFP	20 June 2025
Non-Compulsory Briefing Session in Port of Port Ngqura	9 July 2025
Deadline for all questions and requests for clarification	06 October 2025
Bid Submission Closing Date	20 October 2025
All queries and requests for clarification in respect of this RFP shall be requested by way of Annex V (RFP Clarification Request Form) of this RFP,	The contact details of the Project Officer are the following:
addressed, in writing, to the Project Officer.	TNPA Project Manager: Port of Ngqura  Email: ngquraliquidrfp@transnet.net

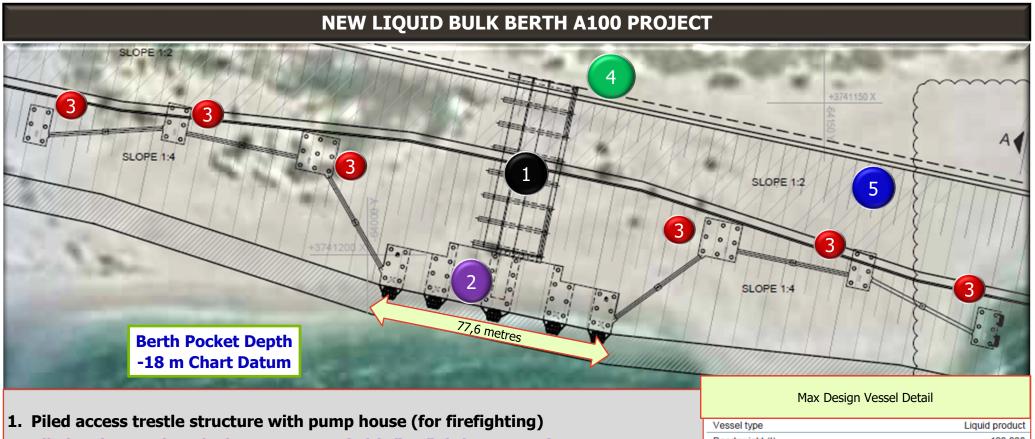






# New Liquid Bulk Berth A100 Background





- 2. Piled main mooring platform structure (with fire fighting towers)
- 3. Six (6) piled dolphin mooring structures
- 4. Control building & carpark
- 5. Revetment

Vessel type	Liquid product
Deadweight (t)	120,000
Displacement (t)	155,000
Length overall (m)	279
Length between perpendicular (m)	270
Breadth (m)	45.0
Depth (m)	24.0
Maximum draught (m)	16.5



# **Key Dates**



### **PROCUREMENT & CONSTRUCTION PLANNED DATES**

Key Milestone / Deliverables	Date
Issue RFP to market	Mid November 2025
RFP Close	Mid February 2026
Adjudication & Approvals	End June 2026
Contract Construction Award	July 2026
Construction Start	August 2026
Construction Completion (30-month construction duration)	November 2028



### **Approved Environmental Authorisations**



- 3 environmental authorisations (EAs)in place as indicated within the RFP.
- Additionally a Provisional Atmospheric Air Emmissions Licence is in place.
- Specifically to the Bulk Liquid Facility EA, Bidders are required to familiarise themselves as the EA has DFFE's authorised scope when considering their designs.
- Any changes to the approved scope will require an amendment with DFFE.
- TNPA understands the growing interest in sustainable energy solutions, eg, green fuels. Bidders are encouraged to pursue these opportunities. (Note that the existing EA may require an amendment or a new EA process, to accommodate this need).