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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATION (RFQ) RFQ NUMBER TNPA 2013/08/003CM

Request for Qualification for the Financing, Operation and Maintenance of the CONTAINER TERMINAL AT THE PORT OF NGQURA for an operational period of 25 years

Transnet National Port Authority (TNPA), a division of Transnet (SOC) Ltd, formally invites all interested parties with relevant experience to submit proposals in order to qualify and be selected as pre-qualified bidders. Interested parties are advised that RFQ Bid Submissions must be submitted in accordance with the Request for Qualification ("RFQ") and the bid rules set out therein. The RFQ Bid Submission must remain open and capable of acceptance by the TNPA for 360 (three hundred and sixty days) from 03 December 2013 which is the RFQ Bid submission closing date.

The RFQ documents may be inspected and purchased on and after Monday 05 August 2013, from Lwandiso Matoti, contact number +27 11 351 9094 (office hours only) at no. 30 Wellington Street, Parktown, Johannesburg, Gauteng, South Africa, during the office hours of 08h00 to 16h00 [South African time (GMT+02:00) Harare, Pretoria] on weekdays. These RFQ documents will only be available for purchase until 15h00 GMT on 30 August 2013, after which no further RFQ Bid documentation will be sold.

Please note: These documents will be available for purchase, at a non-refundable fee of R4 000 (Four thousand Rand) per Bid document (VAT incl.) and all copies sold will be controlled and registered. RFQ Bid Submissions, other than those submitted against a controlled issue, will be disqualified.

Payment is to be made into the Transnet National Port Authority Head Office bank account at Standard Bank, Parktown, Johannesburg, Gauteng, South Africa Account Number 401947092, Branch Code 000355, and Reference TNPA 2013/08/003 CM. Bidders to clarify and indicate the RFQ reference number on the deposit slips/Electronic Transfer receipts. An official bank deposit slip or EFT statement together with a valid company letterhead must be presented when collecting the document/s.

N.B: NO CASH PAYMENTS TO TRANSNET WILL BE ACCEPTED.

TNPA shall only communicate with Bidders that have paid on or before the closing date of the 30th of August 2013, the required bid document fee and who have completed the registration form at the compulsory briefing session.

Enquiries should be directed to the *Project Office via email on:* nctrfq@ transnet.net and also refer to the RFQ Part A document for more information.

A compulsory RFQ briefing session will be held on the 18th of September 2013 at 10:00 a.m. at the Port of Ngqura in Port Elizabeth, Eastern Cape, South Africa GPS Coordinates S 33 47.46; E 025 41,52. The details of the Bidders Briefing Session are set out in paragraph 32 in Part A of the RFQ document. Only bidders who attend the compulsory briefing session qualify for participation in the bid.

This RFQ shall close punctually at 10h00 a.m. GMT on 03 December 2013 in the tender box located at 30 Wellington Street, Parktown, Gauteng, Johannesburg, South Africa, Ground Floor. No RFQ Bid submissions will be accepted after the closing of 10h00 a.m. GMT 03 December 2013.

All RFQ submission must be clearly marked indicating RFQ number: TNPA 2013/08/003CM

Preference will be given to Respondents based on their B-BBEE status.

Transnet fully subscribes to Government's New Growth Path objectives and Supplier Development commitments by Respondents will be evaluated as part of qualification criteria to this RFP

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