



TRANSACTION ADVISOR ADVERTISEMENT

BID NUMBER: PR&T/PPP01/2011/12

The Department of Police, Roads and Transport seeks a Transaction Advisor for a feasibility study and possible PPP procurement for the Harrismith Freight Logistical Hub.

The Department of Police, Roads and Transport has identified the need for the Harrismith Freight Logistical Hub to investigate the feasibility and affordability of the different procurement options which will provide the best technical, financial and legal solution in delivering the Project, including the option of a public private partnership. A public private partnership (PPP) may be appropriate.

In accordance with the relevant Treasury regulations and *National Treasury's PPP Manual and Standardised PPP Provisions*, a suitably skilled and experienced transaction advisor is required to assist the Department of Police, Roads and Transport with:

- consolidated feasibility study report that will show affordability, value for money and transfer of risk in order to acquire Treasury Approval: I
Should the department decide to proceed with the project further, the TA team will be expected to provide the following outputs;
- the production of all bid documents, including draft PPP agreement, for Treasury Approval: IIA
- PPP procurement and value-for-money report for Treasury Approval: IIB
- negotiated PPP agreement and PPP agreement management plan for Treasury Approval: III
- a close-out report and case study.

The procurement phase will be decided by the Department of Police, Roads and Transport only on completion of the feasibility study report, and the department reserves the right to end the transaction advisor contract on completion of the feasibility study report.

The contract for these services will be with a single transaction advisor, and all other team members must be hired by the transaction advisor via subcontract or joint venture.

High quality expertise and experience is required in, but is not limited to:

- financial analysis and project finance
- legal
- PPPs
- negotiations
- BBBEE
- technical

Bids will be evaluated in terms of regulation 16 of the PFMA and supporting practice notes, on technical, BBBEE and price considerations, and will include interviews with short-listed bidders before selection.

Terms of reference, detailing the work and bid requirements, are available from Ms SJB Matjoa at matjoaj@freetrans.gov.za or on www.treasury.gov.za and / or in hard copy from 45 Maitaland street, Perm Building, 2ND floor, Room 204, bloemfontein at no charge.

All queries must be directed to Ms SJB Matjoa at matjoaj@freetrans.gov.za or on 082 853 9511 or on 051 409 2348.

A compulsory briefing session for bidders will be held on the **02 September 2011 at 11:00 at the training centre, Centlec Building, Room no. 30 Rhodes Avenue, Orangesig, Bloemfontein.**

Bids must be submitted in accordance to the specifications in the terms of reference and must be deposited in the tender box, ground floor, 45 Maitaland street, Perm Building, bloemfontein. Closing date **11:00 on the 09 September 2011.**