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Public Works and Infrastructure  
**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

## **TERMS OF REFERENCE:**

### **APPOINTMENT OF SERVICE PROVIDER TO DELIVER IN-HOUSE TRAINING IN PRESENTATION SKILLS**

#### **1. Purpose**

This exercise is aimed at implementing the **2025/2026** Departmental Workplace Skills Plan (WSP) as mandated by the Skills Development Act 9 of 1998 and the National Skills Development Strategy to address the Departmental skills gaps.

Directorate: Human Resource Development has planned to arrange in-house trainings for efficient and effective coordination of training interventions at Head Office. The process will enable the department to close the identified training gaps within different units in Head Office for enhanced service delivery and optimal realization of the departmental objectives.

#### **2. Background**

The Department of Public Works and Infrastructure has in line with the National Skills Development Act and Human Resources Development Strategy conducted a training needs analysis in Head Office for the current financial year to identify the training needs of the Units.

The Head Office Training Calendar was developed using the training needs received from the units as well as Personal Developments Plans (PDP's)

#### **3. Problem Statement**

The Department of Public Works and Infrastructure has identified training needs for its employees for the current financial year **2025/2026** and subsequently developed a Training Plan for effective implementation thereof and therefore requires the services of accredited training providers to assist in delivering the identified training interventions to realise its objectives.



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**Presentation skills course** was identified as one of the cross cutting interventions to address the training needs of the Department's employees.

#### **4. Expected Outcomes/ Deliverables**

The overall objective of this course is to impart skills on how to adapt to different audiences in varying presentation circumstances including formal presentations.

##### **4.1 Duration of the course**

The training intervention in Presentation skills should be presented in a period of **four (04)** days.

The course content should cover but not limited to the following areas;

- Identify and analyse the environment and target audience for an effective presentation,
- Plan and structure information logically to fit audience, purpose and the situation,
- Plan visuals and other devices to involve the audience during presentation,
- Prepare supporting material suitable for effective presentation,
- Identify and choose the kind of presentation fit for the purpose.
- Use verbal / oral communication skills to make an effective presentation,
- Use non – verbal communication effectively to reach audience,
- Make eye contact and maintain good poise during a presentation and
- Handle questions and overcome any objections effectively.

##### **4.2 Total number to be trained**

A total number of thirty eight (**38**) employees from Head Office are to attend the training and the course must be divided into two groups i.e. nineteen (19) each group.

##### **4.3 Certification**

Employees should be awarded Certificate of Attendance upon successful completion of the course.



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#### **4.4 Training Venue**

The training venue and catering should be provided by the appointed service provider.

#### **4.5 Training dates**

Training dates shall be determined collectively by both DPWI and the appointed service provider.

#### **4.6 Training Material**

The appointed service provider should provide the training material for the course.

#### **4.7 Specific professional experience**

The course facilitator should be chosen for their training experience and have proven relevant experience in management and facilitation of Presentation Skills course. The successful bidder must provide a competent facilitator for this skills programme.

#### **4.8 Submission of post training report**

A post-course report on the training should be provided by the appointed service provider within seven (07) days after attendance of the training.

#### **4.9 Monitoring and Evaluation**

The following will be monitored and evaluated by DPWI:

- Conducting of site visits for the duration of training
- The quality of facilitation during training
- Quality of materials utilised for the training.

#### **4.10 Special requirements**

It is a requirement that all service providers facilitating any type of training must be registered/ accredited with the relevant Education Training Quality Assurance (ETQA) body and must be in possession of a letter confirming accreditation/decision number.



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#### **4.11 Delivery of Certificates**

The appointed service provider will be responsible for the delivery of the certificates to the department's premises.

#### **4.12 Important Documents**

The following documents should be attached to the bid:

- Accreditation letter
- Course content/outline
- Facilitator profile

Failure to submit the required documents will result in your Company being disqualified.

**4.13** All disbursements must be included within the cost per delegate.

### **5. Enquiries**

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