

Arbitration Clause

This clause is part of this document to be compliant to regulation 50 of Supply Chain Management Regulations as published in Gen N 868 in Government Gazette 27636 of 30 May 2005.

Any dispute of whatsoever nature arising out of this contract concerning any of the rights and/ or obligations of any party thereto, either during the currency of the contract or after the completion thereof, including a dispute as to the validity of the contract, is hereby referred to the arbitration. The decision of a single arbitrator would be final and the parties agree to accept the award as final and binding upon them.

The arbitrator shall be:

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- Selected by agreement between the parties, or failing such agreement,
- Appointed at the request of either party by the chairman for the time being of the Free State Council.
- A person with more than 10 years in the practice of law and a member of the arbitration foundation of Southern Africa.
- The costs associated with the arbitration action would be those prescribed by the Arbitration Association of South Africa

The cancellation of this contract by either party for whatever reason shall not affect the validity of this clause.

**Signature by tenderer of
acceptance**

Date