
Participation in the Durban Port Container Handling Process

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Participation Goals

- We want to:
 - Provide access to information
 - Involve as broad a group of stakeholders as possible
 - Create opportunities for comprehensive discussion and debate
 - Deal with key concerns and interests
 - Seek as much agreement as possible

Phases of Participation

- **Phase One**

- Initial Contact
- Initial Information



- **Phase Two**

- Environmental Impact Assessment Process
 - Scoping
 - Impact Assessment
 - Reporting

- **Phase Three**

- Ongoing Contact and Involvement

Forms of Participation

- Public Meetings
- One-on-One Consultations
- Workshops
- Stakeholder Forum
- Other

Stakeholder Forum Overview

- To bring together representatives of key sectors
- To deal with the process and the proposed development
- To work with us throughout the process

Not to replace the ongoing process of public participation

Purpose of Stakeholder Forum

- To be:
 - Representative of all key sectors who:
 - Have an interest
 - Are affected
 - A vehicle to debate:
 - Process issues
 - Proposals and Implications
- Note:
 - Not a decision making body, but seeks as much agreement as possible

Composition of Stakeholder Forum

- We suggest the following sectors:
 - Transnet
 - Local Government
 - Organised Business
 - Trade Unions
 - Tenants
 - Community Organisations
 - Environmental Organisations
 - Recreational Groups
 - Other Bay Users
- Each sector to select own members
- Numbers to be at manageable level
- Numbers to be determined in consultation with sectors

Stakeholder Forum Implementation Steps

- Tonight:
 - In principle agreement
- After Tonight:
 - Consult on numbers and Terms of Reference
 - Convene general meeting to confirm composition and for sectors to agree on representatives

Next Steps in the Process

- We will take steps to establish a stakeholder forum
- We will continue to engage with stakeholders in the various sectors
- We welcome you to approach us to get involved in the process

Conclusion

- We seek as much participation as possible
- We want your feedback on:
 - The process as a whole
 - The idea of the Forum and its composition
 - The proposed process for establishing the Forum

Further Information

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Copies of the presentations given tonight are available on:

www.transnet.net/TransnetProjects.aspx