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**TO : Mogokare Richard Seleke**

**DIRECTOR-GENERAL**

 **FROM : Justin De Allende**

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**RE :** **PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION NO 774**

**DATE : 20 April 2017**

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To provide the Minister with a response to Parliamentary Question Number 774

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| **COVER MEMO AND THE PACKAGING OF PQ BY:****Department of Public Enterprises**  |
| **……………………………….****Act. Deputy Director-General: TE** **Date:** | **COMMENTS:****………………………………………..** |
| **…………………………………**Mogokare Richard Seleke**Director-General****Date:** | **APPROVED/DECLINED/COMMENTS****…………………………………………..****…………………………………………..****………………………………………….** |



**DEPARTMENT: PUBLIC ENTERPRISES**

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO.: 774**

**DATE OF PUBLICATION: 24 MARCH 2017**

**774. Ms N W A Mazzone (DA) to ask the Minister of Public Enterprises:**

With reference to her reply to question 121 on 28 February 2017, on what basis are the minutes of each meeting of the Transnet Board, where the decision was taken to award the specified contracts, considered commercially sensitive?                      NW833E

**Reply:**

Protection of proprietary rights is a key consideration in Transnet SOC Ltd’s dealing with potential and current suppliers. Transnet is not at liberty to divulge the details of commercially sensitive information belonging to parties we are contracting without written consent. This includes details such as pricing strategies.

Further, I am satisfied that sufficient information was provided and responded to in detail in the response to Parliamentary Question 121.

**Mogokare Richard Seleke Lynne Brown, MP**

**Director-General Minister of Public Enterprises**

**Date: Date:**