



Newsletter - 7 April 2010

1) Absa Insurance Company - Application for Other Panels

As an applicant service provider to Absa, you are invited to update your company's profile via the www.webportunities.net website as frequently as necessary. To do this, you will need to download, complete and upload the Profile.xls file available on the website, next to **ABSA's** name. You will need to be registered with **ABSA** on the website before you will be able to download/upload the file. Note that those companies who applied and who were shortlisted as a potential supplier through the recent non motor tender do not have to register again. You will only need to register if you want to apply for additional panels not listed previously.

Once uploaded, your profile will be scored and evaluated. Based on the evaluation and in case of a vacancy, **ABSA** may commence with a process of due diligence and quality assurance of your company's ability to provide **ABSA** with services or goods. If your application is unsuccessful based on your profile score or **ABSA** does not have a vacancy at present, you will be notified by **ABSA**.

For **ABSA specific enquiries**, please contact the AIC Supplier Selection Support Centre on 011 330 2192 or 011 330 2463 or e-mail aic.supplier@absa.co.za. Otherwise send us an email via the "Contact Us" page on the website.

You will note that ABSA has extended the list of panel descriptions as below:

- Building, all types of building construction and repairs (excluding plumbing)
- Electrical installations and repairs
- Swimming pool construction and repairs, related component installations, construction and repairs
- Carport and awnings construction and repairs
- Security, homeowner security-related installations and repairs
- Cupboard installations and repairs
- Thatching construction and repairs
- Steel construction and repairs
- Air conditioning - Motor
- Air conditioning - Non Motor
- Appliances, Domestic
- Appliances, Domestic Repairs
- Assessors, Loss Adjusters
- Audio Visual Repairs
- Audio Visual Replacements
- Auto Body Repairs
- Blinds, Decor
- Boreholes
- Furniture (Residential)
- Furniture Restoration
- Furniture, Office Furniture & Equipment
- Garden Tools & Equipment
- Jewelers
- Locksmith
- Tracers, Investigators

2) Advertise your company on www.webportunities.net

Our website information is being circulated to thousands of buyers in the mining, heavy industry, insurance and government sectors. We thus urge you to as soon as possible, spend a little time to update your company's profile to enable buyers to easily find your company as a potential supplier of their requirements. You only need to have 1 paid and non-expired registration with a Buyer Organisation on the website, to make your company's profile visible to all website visitors. If you don't find a suitable buyer to register with, then register with "Webportunities Advertising".

Tara Nawa have extended their footprint within the Short Term Insurance Industry. As such we are making all Short Term Insurance Companies in South Africa aware of our website. This will allow them to easily "Search For Suppliers" to satisfy their claims repair needs. Note that you can link your company to all of the above mentioned panels (and more) on the website so that you are visible to any visitor to the website. When you update your profile and link your company to Material Groups/Services, type "Short Term Insurance Panels" in the keyword box and click on Search. You will then get a list of all the panels so that you can link to them. Full instructions are available on the website.

Note that the cost of advertising your company on our website is **less than 10%** of what is available elsewhere for the same facilities.

Please click the following link to learn more about advertising your company on our website. Alternatively copy and paste the link into your web browser's address bar and press enter.

<http://www.webportunities.net/SupplierExposure.pdf>

3) News & general information area on the website

Please ensure to read the News & general information area daily as it is updated frequently with important information. Right now there are invitations to submit tenders online for Foskor, Namdeb and Langer Heinrich.

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