



# Review of the Port Tariff Methodology 2027/28 - 2029/30

The Ports Regulator is in the process of reviewing the multi-year Tariff Methodology which forms a cornerstone of the ports regulation framework. The Methodology is set for a three-year tariff period, and the current methodology is in its last year of utilisation (applicable to the 2026/27 tariff period). The Regulator has thus published a Discussion Document on the Review of the Tariff Methodology, a Methodology which will be applicable to Tariff Periods 2027/28- 2029/30, and has invited stakeholders to submit written comments and submissions, in response thereto.

The latest iteration of the Methodology, is based on the Revenue Requirement (RR) formula, which provides for the Authority to earn revenues which include a return on capital, a depreciation allowance, OPEX allowance, an allowance for tax expenses, revenue adjustments for performance and a savings component i.e., Clawback and the WEGO.

The Discussion Document considers possible revisions to such elements of the Methodology. The final Tariff Methodology will be published in March 2026, for applicability to future tariff periods.

***An invitation is hereby extended to port users and interested parties to attend public hearings on the Review of the Tariff Methodology***

Date	Venue	Time	Registration
16 February 2026	Cape Town, TBC	09h00 - 13h00	
17 February 2026	Microsoft Teams	09h00 - 13h00	
18 February 2026	Durban, TBC	09h00 - 13h00	
23 February 2026	Port Elizabeth, TBC	09h00 - 13h00	<a href="#"><u>Register Here</u></a>

**Port users and stakeholders are invited to submit comments on the Tariff Methodology, as well as present their Submissions at the Roadshow**

**Please indicate the confidentiality of the Submission, as well as whether you wish to present your Submission at the Roadshows.**

Written submissions should be addressed to:  
The Chief Executive Officer, Ports Regulator, Private  
Bag X54322, Durban, 4000 or  
11th Floor, The Marine Building, 22 Dorothy Nyembe  
Street, Durban, 4001.

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All comments to be submitted by  
**Tuesday, 30 January 2026**