Tenders close Thursday 10th June 1920 @ 2 p.m.

MELBOURNE & METROPOLITAN TRAMWAYS BOARD ...

Melbourne, Vic.

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MANUFACTURE, SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF STEEL CASTINGS. Contract No. 98'.

SPECIFICATION.

<u>QUANTITY</u> - The total quantity to be supplied shall be that required for the ordinary service of the Board for period ending 30th June 1921. As a guide to the Contractor it is stated that the total quantity used by the Board during the year ended 30th June 1920 was about 50 tons, but this statement shall not in any way bind the Board not to order any less or greater quantity during the period of this contract, and the Contractor shall supply any quantity so ordered.

<u>QUALITY</u> - All Castings shall be made of the best crucible cast steel, and be free from blow holes, cracks, or any other defects, and shall be made in a good workmanlike manner true to pattern in every particular. Castings shall not be painted nor defects in any way be concealed.

<u>PATTERNS</u> - All Castings shall be made from the Board's patterns. The Contractor shall take delivery at the Board's Car Repair Shops of all patterns required and shall at the conclusion of the work return same to the said Repair Shops.

<u>DELIVERY</u> - Delivery of Castings shall be made at the Repair Shops of the Board, Nicholson Street, North Fitzroy, and within such time after the order for same shall have been given or the patterns delivered to the Contractor, as may be deemed reasonable by the Manager of the said Repair Shops. In the event of delivery not being made by the Contractor within what in the opinion of the Manager of the said Repair Shops is a reasonable time, the Board shall have the right to obtain such Castings elsewhere and to debit the Contractor with the cost of same,

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REJECTION - The Manager for the time being of the Repair Shops of the Board shall have the absolute right of rejection either on delivery or at any time thereafter, and all rejected castings shall be removed by the Contractor from the Works of the Board within one week after notice of their rejection has been given, either verbally or in writing, by the officers of the Board to the Contractor or his carters or other servants,

> The Contractor shall replace all rejected Castings within such time as shall be deemed reasonable by the Manager of the Board's Repair Shops.

PAYMENT - Payment shall be made for Castings delivered as specified and accepted by the Manager of the said Repair Shops on the basis of weights taken by the Board's officers, and during the calendar month following the month of delivery or acceptance.

CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT - If, after the expiration of a period of six months from the acceptance by the Board of any tender, an Award of the Court of Conciliation and Arbitration or a determination of a Wages Board shall raise the rates of wages to be paid to workmen employed in connection with this contract - the Contractor shall be entitled, upon giving seven days! notice to the Board, th cancel the balance of his contract. He shall thereupon be paid for all Castings actually delivered under the contract.

W. O. STRANGWARD,

secretary.

This is the Specification marked "C" referred to in the annexed Agreement with the Board.

Witness

Contractor