

## Teamwork and efficient logistics ...

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In an example of teamwork and efficient logistics, Röhlig-Grindrod moved an enormous PET

(polyetheleneraphthalate) plant from Bellville, Western Cape, to the Middle East.

Getting the 1 722 cubic-metre breakbulk cargo to its destination

involved the purchasing and forwarding of 49 forty-foot containers, as well as the part-charter of a vessel.

Because of road embargoes on the movement of abnormal cargo during

the December and January holiday periods, the 18 breakbulk pieces were transported to the port within a 12-hour period to make the booked vessel.