Employment Equity Solution

An integrated TAP Business tool for confident Employment Equity compliance.



Why This Matters

The **Employment Equity Solution** is an advanced compliance tool built by **SpecCon Holdings**, designed to help designated employers meet South Africa's Employment Equity requirements with accuracy, speed, and confidence.

Integrated into the **TAP Business** platform, this solution streamlines data management, reporting, and planning — reducing the cost, time, and risk associated with Employment Equity compliance.

Why You Should Care

With recent amendments to the Employment Equity Act, designated employers face:

- Increased compliance complexity
- Tight reporting deadlines
- · Severe penalties for non-compliance

This pack explains how the Employment Equity Solution helps you navigate these challenges, offering:

- ✓ A clear understanding of its purpose and benefits
- ✓ A breakdown of its key features and how they work
- Guidance on how it fits into your broader business operations.

Creating an Integrated Compliance Ecosystem



Together, Employment Equity and Skills Development tools within the TAP Business ecosystem empower organisations to not only meet compliance requirements, but also build stronger, more inclusive, and future-ready workforces.

Features and Functionality

Features

What It Does

Guided Data Capture Process

Step-by-step screens help users collect all required Employment Equity data accurately and efficiently.

Automated DoL Report Generation

Prepares EEA12 and EEA13 reports on official Department of Labour templates, ready for submission.

Pre-Loaded Analysis & Planning Tools

Provides built-in suggestions for barriers, strategies, and non-numerical objectives to guide organisational decisions.

Numerical Target
Selection Tool

Supports strategic diversity planning by providing tools to set and track realistic numerical goals.

Bulk Data Import Capability

Uploads large employee datasets efficiently, reducing manual work and input errors.

Legal Appointments & Committee Management Automates creation of appointment letters, tracks committee activities, and sends automatic reminders to keep everything compliant and on schedule.

What Challenges Does It Address?

- Removes uncertainty around required compliance data and processes.
- Prevents inaccurate data capturing and provides easy corrections.
- Reduces time spent on manual input through bulk imports.
- Simplifies legal appointments and committee administration.
- Minimises risk of fines or penalties for non-compliance.
- Helps employers move beyond compliance to meaningful workforce transformation.

From Risk to Results: How the Employment Equity Solution Transforms Your Compliance Journey

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Before	After
Manual paperwork and data chaos	Less paperwork, more time for strategy
High legal and compliance risk (R1,5m fine)	Reduced legal and compliance risk
Missed deadlines and rushed reporting	Confidence in meeting deadlines
Poor workforce diversity insight	Smarter workforce planning and diversity outcomes

Who We Serve

<u>Any designated employer across industries,</u> with 50 or more employees.

Who Is This Solution For?

Designated Employers

Organisations with 50 or more employees, across sectors, legally required to comply with South Africa's Employment Equity Act.

- Employment Equity Managers and HR Teams
 The people responsible for collecting, analysing, and reporting on employment equity data.
 - Employment Equity Consultancies

External service providers supporting multiple clients in achieving Employment Equity compliance.



Part of the TAP Business Ecosystem

The Employment Equity Solution is not a standalone product

— it is an integrated tool within the TAP Business platform,
working alongside other key compliance and business
enablement solutions.

How It Fits

Integrated Data Flow

Shares and synchronises data with other TAP Business modules, improving consistency and reducing duplication.

Shared User Access and Roles

Uses the same login and permission structure as TAP Business, simplifying system management.

Combined Strategic Reporting

Supports consolidated insights across compliance areas, including Employment Equity, Skills Development, and B-BBEE contributions.

The Ecosystem Advantage

By working within the TAP Business environment, employers gain:

- A unified compliance system
- Centralised data and reporting
- Streamlined business processes
- · Confidence across all regulatory areas

How We Deliver

The Employment Equity Solution is delivered using the proven implementation framework of the TAP Business platform, ensuring a smooth, supported rollout for every client.

Implementation Timeline: What Happens When You Sign Up



- System configuration
- User role and permission setup
- Initial data imports

User Training

- · Guided platform walk-throughs
- How-to sessions for data capture, reporting, &planning
- · Access to user guides and support materials

Go-live Support

- Final system checks and sign-offs
- First reporting cycle assistance
- Hands-on troubleshooting and guidance

Ongoing Support and Updates

- Access to helpdesk and technical support
- Regular system updates aligned with legislative changes
- Optional refresher or advanced training as needed

Why Compliance Matters

South Africa's Employment Equity Act sets out clear requirements for designated employers. Non-compliance can result in serious legal and financial consequences, including:

- Minimum fine of R1,5 million for non-compliance
- Reputational damage and loss of business opportunities
- Exclusion from certain tenders and contracts

Key Compliance Requirements:

- Designated employers (50 or more employees) must submit EEA12 and EEA13 reports annually by 1 September.
- Develop, monitor, and implement an Employment Equity Plan.
- · Identify and address barriers to employment equity.
- Set and report on numerical and non-numerical targets.

How The Employment Equity Solution Helps:

- Ensures all required reports are generated and compliant.
- Guides employers in identifying barriers and setting realistic targets.
- Maintains accurate records to withstand audits or inspections.
- Stays updated with legislative changes so you don't have to.

What Sets Us Apart

Built for the New Legislation

Our solution was specifically developed in response to the latest amendments to the Employment Equity Act, ensuring you are always aligned with current requirements.

First-Mover Advantage

As of now, no other known system has been marketed as fully capable of addressing the new compliance demands — making us a market leader.

Industry Experts and SME-Backed

We partnered with industry experts and subject matter experts (SMEs) throughout development, testing, and refinement. This makes our product the top choice of professionals in the Employment Equity space, specifically designed to address the latest legislative changes.

Part of an Integrated Ecosystem

Unlike standalone tools, our Employment Equity Solution works seamlessly within the TAP Business platform, creating a unified environment for compliance, reporting, and strategic workforce management.

Your Competitive Edge

By using the Employment Equity Solution, you gain:

- · A proven tool tested against the latest regulations
- A product developed with expert and SME input
- A partner that understands both the compliance landscape and the strategic HR landscape
- A head start on competitors still scrambling to adapt

Key Messages For The Market

Certainty in Uncertain Times

We provide clarity and confidence for designated employers navigating the amended Employment Equity landscape.

- Time Is Short Be Ready
- With the 1 September submission deadline approaching, employers need a solution that is ready to perform now, not in development or coming soon.
- No Other System Advertised for New Compliance
 Our Employment Equity Solution is uniquely positioned as one of the first, if not the only, systems publicly marketed as fully adapted to the latest Employment Equity Act amendments.
- Integrated Compliance, Not Standalone Chaos
 Position the product as part of the TAP Business ecosystem, offering clients an integrated compliance experience, not just another separate tool to manage.



Key Messages For The Market

Suggested Marketing Phrases / Headlines

- The only Employment Equity solution ready for South Africa's amended Employment Equity Act.
- Simplify, comply, and get ahead all in one platform.
- Your Employment Equity reports. Done. Correct. On time.
- Backed by experts. Built for leaders.

Urgency Factors To Highlight

- Compliance deadline: 1 September
- Minimum non-compliance fine: R 1, 5 million.
- Industry is moving fast dont be left behind.



Ready To Get Started?

Book your personalised demo of the **Employment Equity Solution** today. See firsthand how it can simplify your compliance process, reduce risk, and position your organisation for success under the amended Employment Equity Act.

How to Book

Get in touch with your dedicated sales representative to:

- Schedule a one-on-one demo
- Ask questions about how the solution fits your business
- Receive personalised advice on next steps

Book Your Demo Today!

