



Energy for India Cairn Energy India Pty Limited (CEIL)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR GEOPHYSICAL AND GEO TECHNICAL SERVICES

Cairn Energy India Pty Ltd. ("CEIL") is the Operator of the Palar PR-OSN-2004/1 Contract Area in India, on behalf of Joint Ventures comprising CEIL, ONGC and Tata Petrodyne. CEIL is planning to conduct a Geophysical and Geo Technical survey in the Palar block between October 2009 to February 2010. Water depth in the proposed locations is 6 to 35m. The work scope for geophysical survey includes collection of bathymetric data, recording of any magnetic anomalies, sub bottom profiling , high resolution shallow gas survey (up to a depth of 1000 mtrs below sea bed), sea bed and sub soil data for determining suitability of jack up drilling rig location and platforms installation. Geo Technical survey of 80 to 100 m borehole shall be conducted for the drill sites to perform the conductor drivability study and for platform design. Work duration is expected to cover survey in a minimum of 5 to 6 locations as outlined above.

Interested Parties with proven experience who can mobilize the equipment and complete the site survey before February 2010 are invited to submit their expression of interest with the following documents within 14 days of publication of this advertisement:

Companies are requested, as a minimum, to submit the following documents and details:

1. Lists of similar work successfully executed in the last three years and projects currently under execution.
2. Details of work conducted in shallow water and coastal areas
3. Equipment listings and vessel availability details.
4. Lists of policies, procedures and quality assurance practices currently in place for the execution of similar work.
5. Health, Safety and Environment policies, procedures and statistics covering the last 4 years
6. Corporate financial details

Interested Contractors who can fulfill all of the specifics listed above shall submit their response including the details and references stated above, within 14 days of publication of this notice.

The envelope shall be superscripted with "**PR-OSN-2004/1 Geophysical and Geotechnical Services**" and shall be addressed to:

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