

Energy for India CAIRN ENERGY INDIA PTY LIMITED

(Incorporated in New South Wales, Australia – ACN 002 066 784)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR HIRING OF PASSENGER VEHICLES FOR PIPELINE OPERATIONS IN GUJARAT & RAJASTHAN FOR MANGALA DEVELOPMENT PIPELINE PROJECT

Cairn Energy India Pty Ltd. ("CEIL") is the operator of block RJ-ON-90/1 (the "Block") in India, and operates the Block on behalf of itself and its Joint Venture (JV) partners Cairn Energy Hydrocarbons Limited and Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC). The Block contains a number of major oil discoveries, including the Mangala field, the largest onshore oil discovery in India since 1985. CEIL and its JV partners have approval from Government of India (GOI) for a pipeline to transport crude oil from the Block at Barmer, Rajasthan to a coastal terminal facility in Gujarat.

The pipeline project involves an Oil Evacuation Pipeline and Gas Pipeline of approximately 670 km, pumping / terminals and related facilities for the transportation of 1,50,000 to 1,75,000 barrels of crude oil per day from the upstream process terminal at the Mangala field to the downstream terminal point on the Gujarat coast at Bhogat, in Jamnagar District. The pipeline laying work in Barmer – Salaya section is in advance stage of completion.

CEIL shall require passenger vehicles on hiring basis confirming to International Association of Oil & Gas Producers (IAOGP) guidelines for their operation offices between Barmer in Rajasthan to Salaya in Gujarat and vice-a –versa to transport personnel in and out of operation offices.

The contract shall be for dedicated vehicles on Monthly hire and day rate hire callout basis for duration of two (2) years commencing November 2009.

CEIL seeks expression of interest (EOI) from suitably experienced Transport contractors from Gujarat (preferably from Salaya, Bhogat, Jamnagar, Rajkot, Surender Nagar, Ahmedabad, Viramgam, Radhanpur, Deodhar) & Rajasthan (preferably from Barmer/Jodhpur) for the work which broadly encompasses the following:

- 1. Providing passenger vehicles as per OGP guidelines on monthly 12/24 hrs basis and Day rate callout basis.
- 2. Providing drivers (Salaya, Bhogat, Jamnagar, Rajkot, surrender Nagar, Ahmedabad, Viramgam, Radhanpur, Deodhar Based in Gujarat) with minimum 3 years experience and under gone Defensive driving training.
- 3. Providing drivers (Jalore, Barmer, Based in Rajasthan) with minimum 3 years experience and under gone Defensive driving training.

With this EOI, CEIL intends to short list names of experienced transport service contractors for invitation to bid for the same

Only contractors with the below pre-requirements shall bid for this tender.

- 1. Annual turn over of Rs.30 lakhs and above
- 2. Minimum of 2 years experience as operators/contractors particularly dealing with oil exploration and exploitation, refineries/ petro-chemicals.
- 3. Should have capacity to provide 30 % of Total vehicles requirement during the contract period of all categories with support facilities for operations.
- 4. Should have lawful occupancy of the office premises including supervisor at Gujarat & Rajasthan from the Contract is to be operated.
- 5. Should be profit earning firm/ company for at least three proceeding years.
- 6. Should never be black-listed by Govt./PSU/ CEIL/ Reputed company
- 7. Should be registered as Rent-a-Operator.
- 8. Should be registered with service tax authority.
- 9. Should follow HSE policy of the Cairn strictly.

Interested Contractors who can fulfil all the criteria listed above shall submit their response with the following details within 10 days of publication of this advertisement to the address given below:

- 1. Company profile, Organization, Set-up
- 2. List of vehicles owned and Operational Facilities
- 3. List of similar work successfully executed in last 2 years and contract in hand
- 4. Balance Sheet and P/L account for last 2 years

The envelope should be subscribed with "Reference No. CEIL/C&P/EOI/VEHICLES". All information and documentation shall be provided at address below within 10 days of publication of this EOI by e-mail as attached PDF file and via courier to:

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