

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EoI) UNDER COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR SUPPLY, ERECTION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF 33KV LATTICE STEEL TOWER WITH DOUBLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINE IN RAJASTHAN BLOCK IN RAJASTHAN

Cairn Oil and Gas, a vertical of **Vedanta Limited** is the Operator at onshore block RJ-ON-90/1 located in Barmer & Jalore Districts in the state of Rajasthan; Offshore block CB/OS-2; located off the west coast of the state of Gujarat; Offshore Block Ravva Oil and Gas Field (Ravva), located off the east coast of the state of Andhra Pradesh.

The Operator on behalf of itself & Joint Venture (JV) partner(s) invites interested contractors with proven capabilities and demonstrated performance in similar requirement to express their interest for pre-qualification to participate in the Competitive Bidding Process for the **“SUPPLY, ERECTION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF 33KV LATTICE STEEL TOWER WITH DOUBLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINE IN RAJASTHAN BLOCK”**

Scope of Work broadly includes:

- Supply, Installation, Erection, Testing & Commissioning of 33 KV or above Double Circuit Lattice Steel Towers along with stringing of Conductors.
- Installation shall be done on existing OHL corridor of Vedanta Cairn.

Interested companies meeting following criteria should respond to this EoI:

Specific Pre-Qualification Criteria (Go/No-Go Criteria):

Technical:

- Bidder should have an experience of executing minimum two contracts which includes supply, installation, Erection Testing & Commissioning of 33KV or above overhead line on Lattice Steel Tower, in preceding Five (05) Years.
- Bidders must have completed minimum 30 KM of Lattice Tower transmission line work in one single contract.

Financial:

- Turnover in each of the immediately preceding two financial years should be equal to or more than the estimated contract value.
- Positive net worth in each of the immediately preceding two financial years.
- Liquidity ratio in each of the preceding Two (02) financial years shall not be less than 0.60

Bidder to indicate its interest in the following locations:

1. Rajasthan

Participants are requested to submit the following pre-qualification documents as a minimum:

1. Letter of interest clearly indicating the project reference.
2. Detail Company Information with Organization structure, indicating total number of manpower and crew working in field.

3. Details of unpriced P.O copies of major contracts executed in last 5 years on EPC/Non EPC basis for 33KV and above OHL on Lattice Tower along with completion certificate.
4. Details of unpriced P.O copies of project executed in past with at-least one single project of minimum length 30Kms OHL on Lattice Tower on EPC/Non-EPC basis.
5. Experience criteria: Purely electrical/EPC/Non EPC mode of execution with HT experience shall be demonstrated.
6. Details of unpriced P.O copies with work experience in populated area.
7. Details of current commitments - List of all jobs under execution with the value of the Job and percentage completion.
8. Documentary evidence to ensure availability of crew to execute the jobs.
9. Details of resources available with bidders like Crane/Hydra/Trailers/ Hydraulic Jacks / Stringing Tools /Cutting Tools / Special Tools etc.
10. Project execution Plan for the earlier executed projects on EPC/Non-EPC basis for Supply, Installation, Erection, and Testing & Commissioning of 33 KV or above Lattice Steel Tower Transmission line.
11. Quality assurance & quality control practices currently in place for the execution of similar work along with Quality Manual.
12. Documents in support of Health & Safety along with HSE Manual and company HSE Policy.
13. Copies of Valid Quality Certifications / Accreditations (e.g.: ISO 9001, OHSAS 18001) or any other certification as applicable.
14. Company's financial performance documents (Audited Balance sheets and Profit and Loss statements, Auditors Report and Notes to Accounts etc.) for last 2 (two) years. Latest financial statement should not be older than 18 months on the date of submission of response to Expression of interest.

Also, note -

- i. In case, the Interested Party is in Consortium arrangement, then in such scenario, Consortium partner names/ arrangement with Lead Contractor name shall be defined and submitted.
- ii. Normally standalone financials of the bidding entity only shall be considered. However, consolidated financials at the bidding entity level, if available, can also be submitted. Parent company or Affiliate's financials can be submitted and considered, subject to submission of Parent/ Affiliate company guarantee. This should be clearly mentioned in the EOI response.
- iii. Evaluation will be done only on the basis of the published annual reports / audited financials containing Auditor's report, Balance sheet, Profit & Loss a/c and Notes to Accounts.
- iv. In case of unaudited statements (if there are no audit requirements for auditing of financials as per the local law), the financials shall be accompanied by a certificate from a Certified Accountant. Certificate should also mention the fact that there is no requirement of audit of the financials as per the Local law.

All qualifications and exceptions brought out in Auditor's report and Notes to Accounts would be factored in while undertaking financial evaluation

EOI submission shall be complete with the above requested information.



The interested parties should evince interest to participate in the Expression of Interest by clicking on the “Evince Interest” link against the corresponding EoI listing on the Cairn website and submit their contact details online. Further to this, interested parties would be invited to submit their response via Smart Source (Cairn’s e-Sourcing Platform). The interested parties would be requested, as a minimum, to submit the above documents and details for prequalification via Smart Source within Ten (10) days of date of publication of Expression of Interest.

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