

## CAIRN ENERGY INDIA PTY LIMITED

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

# GLOBAL EXPRESSION OF INTEREST / PRE-QUALIFICATION FOR PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR DRILLING, TESTING AND COMPLETION OF EXPLORATORY WELLS

#### Introduction

Cairn Energy India Pty Ltd. ("CEIL") is the Operator of the Offshore Palar PR-OSN-2004/1, on behalf of the Joint Venture partners Cairn India, ONGC and Tata Petrodyne. CEIL is planning to commence exploration drilling activities (3 firm wells + 3 optional wells) in the Offshore Block PR-OSN-2004/1, off the Andhra Tamilnadu coast in shallow water block, by October 2010 to December 2010.

CEIL seeks an Expression Of Interest from suitably experienced Services Contractors who wish to receive bids to provide Services in support of the Exploratory Drilling in this offshore block. Only Contractors who have a minimum of five years experience in providing the below mentioned Services, any or a combination of, in support of an offshore Drilling campaign shall be considered under international Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures.

### **Specifics**

Only those Contractors who can comply with all of the following and can, by their submission, demonstrate a successful track record, listing previous projects, current Services projects in progress, clients, and client key contacts who may be approached, in each of the areas below should respond to this Notice. The Contractor must submit details for the following:

- Organisational outline proposal detailing their nominated management, staff, and business process support to carry out an Offshore Drilling campaign for all types of wells.
- A demonstrable capability to mobilise and commence work to meet CEIL's schedule. The Contractor's experience in mobilising on schedule shall be clearly stated.
- Particular experience of providing Services in offshore Drilling operations and flexibility to accommodate CEIL's programme is paramount.
- The Contractor shall submit details of his Management, Operating and Maintenance schemes with copies of their certification.
- A willingness to develop a close long term relationship with CEIL.
- The Contractor must demonstrate that they have sufficient financial standing to commence and continue an operation of this magnitude.
- Have an appropriate comprehensive Health, Safety and Environmental management system in place which promotes, aligns with and upholds CEIL's and the Contractor's HSE commitments. Details and copies of their certification must be submitted.
- Audited financial statements for the last three years
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#### **Services Details**

The Contractor shall submit his response to this Expression Of Interest stating which of the following Services he wishes to be considered for inclusion on the bid list(s). In addition the Contractor shall indicate which, if any, Services he would be willing to bid for on a Bundled basis.

Services comprise, inter alia, the following:

- 1. AHTS Supply Vessels and Offshore Supply Barges
- 2. Directional Drilling, MWD, LWD & Deviation Monitoring services
- 3. Wireline Logging Services
- 4. Casing, Tubular and Completion handling (make-up and running) services
- 5. Cementing Services
- 6. Drilling Tools, Fishing Tools & Services
- 7. Mud Logging Services
- 8. Drilling and Completion fluids and Mud Engineering
- 9. Solids Control, Filtration, Centrifuges and SBM cuttings processing / disposal
- 10. Cased Hole DST and Subsea services
- 11. Well Testing (Surface test equipment and services)
- 12. Tubing Conveyed Perforation Services
- 13. Bottomhole sampling services
- 14. Supply of Liner Hanger Equipment & Accessories
- 15. Supply of Drill Bits
- 16. Supply of Casing Accessories (Float equipment & accessories)
- 17. Hydraulic Bolt Torquing & Cold Casing Cutting Services
- 18. Rig Positioning & Site Survey Services
- 19. Coring Services
- 20. Well bore cleanout services
- 21. Supply of Wellheads
- 22. Sand Control Services
- 23. Core Handling, Preservation & Analysis services
- 24. Weather Forecasting services
- 25. Supply of Casings & Tubings
- 26. Supply of Fuel
- 27. Supply of Water
- 28. Local transportation services
- 29. Provision of local logistics support (Cranes, Forklifts, trailers, trucks, Port clearances, boat calls, local labour)
- 30. Offshore Supply Base services
- 31. Third Party Inspection of Tubulars services
- 32. Clearing & Forwarding Services
- 33. Air logistics (Helicopters) services
- 34. Communication (Voice & Data) services
- 35. Ambulance Services

Interested Contractors who can fulfil all of the Specifics listed above must submit their response including the details and references stated above, in writing and by e-mail not later than 10 (ten) days

from the date of this publication. Please also state clearly the particular service / services from the list above (e.g. 1 – Provision of AHTS) on the envelope. The envelope shall be superscribed with "Provision of Drilling and Well Completion Services – Palar Drilling – PR-OSN-2004/1 - Prequalification 2009" and shall be addressed to:

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