



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ACQUISITION BY MEANS OF VESSEL
EQUIPPED WITH ROV FOR ENI EAST AFRICA SpA ACTIVITIES IN THE REPUBLIC OF
MOZAMBIQUE

eni east africa S.p.A. invites interested companies to submit expressions of interest for offshore geophysical and environmental survey to be carried out for eni east africa's activities in the Republic of Mozambique.

Scope of the work is to execute a survey with Remote Operated Vehicle (ROV) equipped with Multi-Beam Echo Sounder (MBES) and Side Scan Sonar (SSS).

Interested companies shall be capable to offer a complete proposal including provision of suitable vessel, ROV (that shall be a working class ROV capable to operate up to 2,000 m water depth), qualified personnel to execute field activities up to relevant reporting and interpretation. The survey will also include collection of environmental data regarding water, sediment and air quality, underwater acoustics and Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services in the nearshore area. The survey will be conducted in the Offshore of Northern Mozambique (Cabo Delgado Province, offshore of Palma District).

Companies interested in this invitation may submit their *Expression of Interest* to participate in a tender process for "GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ACQUISITION BY MEANS OF VESSEL EQUIPPED WITH ROV" by registering on our website indicated below and submitting the following required documentation:

1. Company and group structure with the list of major shareholders and ultimate beneficiaries (if not listed in the stock exchange);
2. Scanned certified copy of the trade register, legal entity name and contact person for receiving qualification and commercial information;
3. Documented proof of 10 years' experience in the Oil&Gas domain for both activities: Offshore Geophysical ROV activities and environmental survey acquisition (water, sediment, air, acoustic and biodiversity);
4. Evidence of being owner of the ROV and owner (or disponent owner) of the Vessel;
5. At least three professional references justified by customer testimonials (documented);
6. Quality Management System Manual in compliance with international Quality Standards (ISO 9001:2008);
7. Evidence of Health, Safety and Environment Management System that complies with the requirements of International standard (ISO 14001, OHSAS 18001, etc).

8. Financial balance sheets (last year)/Annual Report proving minimum financial capacity for the realization of the scope of work;
9. Frequency Rate: HSE performance indicator available on our website.

The registration website (Mozambique Application) is available to the following URL:

https://eprocurement.eni.it/int_eng/Suppliers/Qualification/Mozambique-Application (for application in English)

https://eprocurement.eni.it/int_ita/Fornitori/Qualifica/Autocandidatura-Mozambico (for application in Portuguese/Italian)

IMPORTANT:

The submission must refer to the following commodity codes:

SS02BB03 - GEOTECHNICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS FOR ENGINEERING
SS05AC10 - REMOTE OPERATED VEHICLE (ROV) SERVICE
SS05BC03 – CONVENTIONAL OFFSHORE SERVICE VESSEL

Within the website application, under the section "Object of the Application", the area "Origin of invitation" shall be completed as follows: *"GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ACQUISITION BY MEANS OF VESSEL EQUIPPED WITH ROV"*.

Subject to the submission and compliance of all the above documentation, companies interested in this Expression of Interest may receive from Vendor&Compliance unit of eni east africa the Qualification Package.

Eni east africa will evaluate the above requested documentation and, if satisfied, as a result of its careful evaluation, will include the applicant in its Vendor List for consideration in future tender processes regarding the subject activities.

Only companies or consortia or JV that have proven capability and experience of supplying the above required services will be considered for potential tenders for the scope of service described above.

In particular companies or consortia or JV reply to this request for expression of interest shall demonstrate to be the owner of the ROV and to be the owner (or disponent owner) of the Vessel.

The purpose of the information and documents request is to start a "qualification assessment" and to give an opportunity to the selected companies to provide details of their legal structure, management, experience, resources and overall capability to perform the service.

This enquiry shall not be considered an invitation to bid and therefore it does not represent or constitute any promise, obligation or commitment of any kind on the part of eni east africa, to enter into any agreement or arrangement with you or with any company participating in this pre-enquiry.

Consequently all data and information provided by you shall not be construed as a commitment on the part of eni east africa to enter into any agreement or arrangement with you, nor shall they entitle your company to claim any indemnity from eni east africa.

All data and information provided pursuant to this enquiry will be treated as strictly confidential and will not be disclosed or communicated to non-authorized persons or companies except eni east africa.

The deadline for receipt of Expression of Interest by the email address indicated above is set at 8th of April 2016.

Any cost incurred by interested companies in preparing the Expression of Interest shall be fully born by companies who shall have no recourse to eni east africa in this respect.