

Shell Canada Limited

Shelburne Basin Exploration Drilling Project

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI): TUBULAR AND ASSOCIATED HANDLING EQUIPMENT RENTALS

BIDS Category: 0100; 0200; 0800; 0900

Package number: **Shell 28**

Issue date: **August 21, 2014**

Closing date: **September 4, 2014 1:00 pm AST**

GENERAL

In association with the acquisition of Exploration Licenses 2423, 2424; 2425, 2426, 2429 and 2430 located 350 km south of Halifax offshore, Shell Canada Limited (Shell) has committed to carrying out an exploration drilling program within an initial 6-year exploration period commencing on 1 March 2012. It is Shell's current intention to drill up to 3 exploration wells in these exploration blocks commencing approximately May 2015.

Shell is committed to ensuring that full and fair opportunity is provided to Nova Scotia and Canadian companies through employment, procurement and contracting.

As part of the Project, Shell requires the provision of Tubular and Associated Handling Equipment Rentals.

SCOPE OF WORK

Shell is seeking qualified contractors to provide the following key deliverable for its proposed Project:

Refer to Attachment 1 – Well Schematic for hole sizes, mud weights, casing weights/sizes.

Shell requires Tubular and associated equipment for the drilling of the upcoming Shelburne Basin Exploration Drilling Project.

The following is list of the types of equipment which may be required for the campaign; further definition will be provided in the RFP to follow:

1. Drillpipe
2. Heavy Weight Drill Pipe
3. Drill Collars
4. Lift Nubbins
5. Cross-over subs
6. Drillpipe Slips
7. Drillpipe Elevators
8. Jars
9. Accelerators

10. Cross-over Subs
11. Bit Subs
12. Float Valves
13. C-Plate/False Rotary
14. Elevators
15. Circulating Swedges
16. Well Control Cross-overs
17. Fully opening Safety Valves
18. Grey Valves

Tubulars and related tools must be inspected according to DS1 Cat 1- Cat 5.

Vendor must provide a Certificate of Conformance upon request that indicates the piece of equipment's rating, design and manufacture codes.

Drill pipe must be ordered to NS-1 specifications, and be internally plastic coated.

Hardbanding types approved (TCS Titanium, TCS-8000, Armacor-M, Arnco 100XT, Arnco 300XT, Pinnchrome, Duraband).

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST REQUIREMENTS

Shell will select qualified bidders from respondents to this EOI.

Included in the qualification process is a Safety Assessment: Any company providing a formal response to this EOI must register for ISNetworld (ISN), which enables Shell to assess the safety management systems and help pre-qualify potential suppliers. Companies may register at this link (<http://www.isnetworld.com/>). There is a registration cost involved, dependent upon company size.

Pre-qualified companies will be required to complete a Contractor Local Implementation Plan, and demonstrate their commitment to and compliance with Shell requirements regarding Canada–Nova Scotia Benefits, during the tender process

BID SCHEDULE

Expressions of Interest must be received on or before **September 4, 2014 1:00 pm AST**

A Request for Proposal (RFP) will be issued to a list of qualified bidders chosen from the responses to this EOI. Issue of the RFP is expected by mid-September 2014 and award of contract in October 2014.

All inquires and Expressions of Interest (electronic format only) must be clearly marked with the EOI reference number and should be directed to:

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Attention: Janice Frost, Local Benefits Manager
Email: Janice.Frost@shell.com

In addition:

Potential suppliers for this Project, if they have not already done so, are encouraged to register their companies by contacting BIDS at:

Phone: 1-800-397-0393

Email: bids@istar.ca