



## EAST AFRICAN CRUDE OIL PIPELINE

# REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR PROVISION OF PLANT CERTIFICATION AND VERIFICATION SERVICES (ENGINEERING / PROCUREMENT / CONSTRUCTION / COMMISSIONING) REFERENCE NUMBER. 10005392

TOTAL East Africa Midstream B.V. invites experienced and reputable contractors to express their interest in providing plant certification and verification services (Engineering/Procurement/Construction/Commissioning) for the East African Crude Oil Pipeline project.

The Republic of Uganda, the Uganda National Oil Company (UNOOC), the United Republic of Tanzania and/or Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (PPDC), as well as the international oil companies partaking in the development of Exploration Areas 1, 1A, 2 and Kingfisher Discovery Area in the Albertine Graben in Uganda or their affiliates will participate in the implementation of the EACOP Project (Potential Pipeline Participants).

The East African Crude Oil Pipeline Project development involves the engineering, construction, operation and maintenance of a crude oil export pipeline crossing Uganda and Tanzania and an onshore Marine Terminal in Chongoleani, near Tanga Port in Tanzania.

### **Brief Description of the Scope of the Services:**

The service covers the provision of Third Party Authority (TPA) services. A reputable and internationally recognized Third Party Authority shall certify the works

(i.e. Engineering, Procurement, Construction, and Commissioning) by ensuring that the works are in accordance with the contracts requirements including applicable Specifications, Codes and Standards.

As an independent Verification body, TPA shall define its own scope of work necessary to deliver the Certification by ensuring design review, quality check, quality control monitoring at various Project Package Contractors' construction, manufacturing test facilities (including their sub-contractors and equipment vendors' facilities). Such facilities will be located worldwide and mainly in Uganda and Tanzania.

### **Minimum Requirements**

- National/Local Content commitment
- Experience in pipeline, onshore facilities and marine terminal design review
- Performance of similar services in home country and in remote locations
- Suitable resources availability - equipment, systems and qualified personnel
- Accredited body - member of International Accreditation Forum (IAF)
- Worldwide foot print
- Adequate financial capacity to undertake the eventual contract
- Must have a Health Safety and Environment (HSE) Management system, Quality Policy and related procedures in compliance with local and international standards

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Interested companies that meet the minimum requirements and have the capability to provide the services listed above, should request a pre-qualification questionnaire by sending an email to: **ep.eacop-certification-prequal@total.com** on/ or before **17:00 hours East African Time (EAT) on 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2018**

The issue of Pre-qualification Questionnaire to the interested companies will be subject to the signature of a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA), which shall be issued after the Company receives affirmation of willingness to participate.

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**Note:** Only prequalified bidders will receive invitations to submit bids in furtherance of the Call for Tender process.