

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: PROVISION OF FIELD OPERATIONS PERSONNEL TRAINING SERVICES DURING THE TRAINING PROGRAM REFERENCE NO 00000303

East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) LTD ("EACOP LTD") invites experienced and reputable companies to express their interest in providing Technical Field Operations Personnel Training Services.

The EACOP Project involves the construction and operation of an underground and cross-border pipeline to transport crude oil for export to international markets. The pipeline will run from Kabaale, Hoima District in Uganda to the Chongoleani peninsula in Tanga, Tanzania. The length of the pipeline is 1,443 km, of which 1,147 km will be in Tanzania and 296 km will be in Uganda.

## **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF SERVICES**

The selected contractor shall, on behalf of EACOP Ltd, provide training services to Pipeline Operations and Maintenance Personnel in Mechanical, Electrical, and Instrumentation during the various phases of technical training in the selected Tanzanian and Ugandan training centers. The training program shall run between 24 – 30 months and shall involve aapproximately 160 trainees. The selected contractor will provide the following specific services:

- Provision of Technical Trainers (6 to 8) for 24-30 months.
  Approximately 160 trainees
- EACOP trainées training in partnering institutions in Tanzania and Uganda
- On-the Job Orientation and Training at companies or vendor sites (Optional)
- On-the Job Orientation and Training at EACOP sites in Tanzania and Uganda
- Provision for Learning Management System (LMS) and Student Information System (SIS)
- Provide OPITO accreditation up to level 2 and readiness for level 3

## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Companies or organizations expressing their interest are invited to document their request with:

- Registration Certificates in both Uganda and Tanzania including certificate of registration, business license etc.
- Experience, performance, and capacity in delivering the Scope of Services outlined above at a large scale in Tanzania / Uganda, with at least 10 years' experience/performance of similar services internationally in compliance with national and international standards (including International Finance Corporation's Performance Standards (IFC).

- Profile of key personnel to be involved in the project including personal certifications as necessary and level of qualifications, and experience and capacity to deliver the required services in major capital oil and ass projects.
- Proof of registration with Uganda (TIN) Revenue Authority and Tax Clearance Certificate for the latest year available.
  - Audited financial statements for the past three years.
- Evidence of a QHSE Management system, organization, and process in compliance with applicable Local and Industry standards for similar works.
- Proof of Registration with the National Supplier Database (NSD) in Uganda or with EWURA Local Supplier Service Provider (LSSP) database in Tanzania at the time of submission.
- Compliance with Uganda Petroleum Midstream National Content Regulations, 2016 and Compliance with Tanzania Local Content Regulations, 2017.
- Proof of Anti-corruption, Anti-bribery, Compliance, and Human Rights policies.

Companies which have the ability, capacity, and resources to implement the activities listed above should express their interest by sending together with the documents stated in the above section through an email to procurement.tz@eacop.com (for adverts in Tanzania), and procurement.ug@eacop.com (for adverts in Ugand) (max. email size 20Mb) on or before 17:00 hours East African Time (EAT) on or before 20th August 2023. Email object shall be: 00000303 - Provision of Field Operations Training Services.

Statements of EOI should be no more than ten (10) to twenty (20) pages long.

All Expression of Interests should be submitted in English Language.

Note: EACOP LTD will review and assess the documents provided by companies that have expressed interest in accordance with this EOI and conduct evaluations based on internal criteria to determine which companies will be included in the list of pre-qualified companies. Only the pre-qualified companies will receive, by signing a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA), an invitation to bid as a continuation of the call for tender process. EACOP LTD reserves the right at its sole discretion to make the decision to select or reject a company and maintain its decision without having to give reasons to the company concerned.