



## **ENCANA CORPORATION Expression of Interest (EOI)**

<b>PROVISION OF:</b>	<b>Onshore Clearing and Grubbing</b>
<b>BIDS Category:</b>	1100 1110
<b>Reference:</b>	EOI PL12
<b>Issue Date:</b>	October 21, 2008
<b>Closing Date:</b>	November 4, 2008

### **INTRODUCTION**

EnCana is developing the Deep Panuke natural gas project in Nova Scotia's offshore (PROJECT). The PROJECT involves the installation of the facilities required to produce natural gas from the Deep Panuke field, located about 175 kilometres offshore Nova Scotia, approximately 47 kilometres west of Sable Island in a water depth of approximately 44 metres. The Deep Panuke Project includes four satellite subsea production wells and one injection well (for acid gas disposal) individually tied back to a leased Production Field Center (PFC). The PFC will provide facilities for separation, inlet and export compression, sweetening and dehydration equipment. The export gas will be sales quality and exported via a new 176km (173km offshore and 3km onshore), 22-inch gas pipeline to Goldboro, Nova Scotia where it will be interconnected to the M&NP pipeline, downstream of the existing SOEP gas plant.

Regulatory applications for Deep Panuke were filed in 2006, with approvals granted in 2007. Deep Panuke was approved for development by EnCana's Board of Directors in October 2007. First gas from the project is expected in late 2010.

EnCana is a leading North American natural gas producer. EnCana common shares trade on the Toronto and New York stock exchanges under the symbol ECA. For more information on EnCana, see [www.encana.com](http://www.encana.com).

### **SCOPE OF WORK**

EnCana Corporation seeks qualified, experienced contractors to provide services for the clearing and grubbing within the pipeline corridor and metering sites in preparation for 2009 construction activities. Land clearing and grubbing consists of the removal of trees, stumps, brush, and other woody materials.

The onshore pipeline Easement is approximately 3 km in length and is 25 metres in width.

The scope of work is summarized as follows:

- Clearing and grubbing of the Pipeline Easement;
- Clearing and grubbing of Metering Site (1 Acre);
- Removal and disposal of and/or Chipping and spreading on the easement of all unsalvageable timber, stumps, and woody material;
- Removal and transportation of all salvageable timber to a specified location.

Interested parties must include provision of all necessary personnel and equipment to complete the entire scope of work.

It is anticipated that the Work will be awarded in December of 2009, and must be complete before April 1, 2009.

## **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

Respondents must be qualified and demonstrate that they have suitable resources, capability and capacity to complete the scope of work. They must also be able to demonstrate previous experience on similar projects.

Interested firms are asked to demonstrate their capabilities and experience via a formal response to this Expression of Interest. Respondents shall provide, as a minimum, the following:

- Details of available equipment;
- List/details of previous experience; and
- Safety, lost time and incident records for previous three years.

In accordance with the commitments made by EnCana, priority will be given to companies who can demonstrate the capability to complete the scope of work on a competitive basis, meeting or exceeding EnCana's requirements for safety, reliability, and environmental requirements. Pre-qualified companies will be required to complete a Canada-Nova Scotia Benefits questionnaire, and demonstrate their commitment to and compliance with EnCana's requirements regarding Canada-Nova Scotia Benefits, during the tender process.

EnCana will select qualified bidders using the respondents to this Expression of Interest as a guide.

Expressions of Interest must be received on or before **November 4, 2008 1:00 pm Halifax local time**.

All inquiries and Expressions of Interest must be clearly marked with the EOI reference number and should be directed to:

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