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| PROJECT EXPRESSION OF INTEREST | | |
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| Project Title. | SecureEnergy – Project EnergyConnect (PEC) | |
| Project Description. | SecureEnergy has partnered with TransGrid (electricity transmission operator in New South Wales (NSW) and ElectraNet (electricity distributor in South Australia (SA) are currently investigating the proposed construction and operation of a new electrical interconnector and network support options between NSW and SA. | |
| | The interconnector is aimed at reducing the cost of providing secure and reliable electricity transmission between NSW and SA in the near term, while facilitating the longer-term transition of the energy sector across the National Electricity Market (NEM) to low emission energy sources. | |
| | The current preferred option involves constructing a high voltage electricity interconnector of approximately 900 kilometres between the power grids of SA (starting at Robertstown) and NSW (finishing in Wagga Wagga), known collectively as Project EnergyConnect. | |
| Opportunity Title. | Buronga Substation Earthworks | |
| Opportunity Description. | SecureEnergy wish to identify suppliers that have the experience, plant and personnel to complete the following Works. | |
| | • Site set up and operation of the borrow pits, including: | |
| | • Set up of all tempoaray fencing, | |
| | Set up of all environmental controls, | |
| | Clear and grub site, | |
| | Strip and stockpile topsoil, and | |
| | • Produce fill material for the substation bench. | |
| | Site set up and completing of the substation bench and drainage in 3x stages, including: | |
| | Set up of all tempoaray fencing, | |
| | Set up of all environmental controls, | |
| | Clear and grub site, | |
| | Total cut earthworks volume is approximately 15,700m³, | |
| | Total fill earthworks volume is approximately 113,800m³, | |
| | All survey (excluding initial set out) and geotechnical testing, | |

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| | Approximately 4,100m of drainage network, including pits, various size RCP pipe, and large spill oil tanks, and |
| | Approximately 2,000m of chainwire fencing. |
| | Site mobilisation is expected March 2022, with all works to be |
| Supplier Requirements. | SecureEnergy require suppliers that: |
| | • Have a demonstrated track record of providing earthworks and drainage services for a Tier One or Tier Two Contractor. |
| | • Have the required government or industry certifications, licenses, associations and/or insurances to deliver the opportunity. |
| | • Have an exemplary safety record and a documented management system for tracking safety performance. |
| | • Are financially viable and can demonstrate commercial value. |
| | • Can demonstrate a strong commitment to training and retaining a local workforce. |
| | Have an excellent track record in employing and progressing the careers of Indigenous people. |
| | • Are progressively finding ways to develop the careers of women, veterans and people with disabilities. |
| | • Treat the environmental they are working in with respect and consideration. |
| Health and Safety | SecureEnergy encourages suppliers who can provide any evidence of Health and Safety (HSE) statistics and/or Lost |
| | Time to Injury (LTI) statistics. |
| Similar Experience | SecureEnergy encourages suppliers to provide case study examples of projects they have undertaken that are similar to the scope for SecureEnergy on Project EnergyConnect (PEC) |
| General Information. | SecureEnergy will consider all ICN Registrations where: |
| | • The business demonstrates through their response a clear capability against the key requirements. |
| | • The business completes a response to all SecureEnergy questions and/or SecureEnergy documentation. |
| | • The businesses ICN profile is up to date and complete. |
| | • The registration is complete prior to any closing date. |

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| | • The business operates in Australia and is a registered Australian business. |
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| | The Business has an Indigenous staffing component in line with Federal Indigenous Procurement Policy and/or NSW State Aboriginal Procurement In Construction. |
| Local Content | SecureEnergy strongly encourages businesses who have head offices and/or dedicated premises with the appropriate Local Government approvals from the following regions: |
| | Albury City Council |
| | Edward River Council |
| | Federation Council |
| | Griffith City Council |
| | Hay Shire Council |
| | Lockhart Shire Council |
| | Murray River Council |
| | Narrandera Shire Council |
| | Wagga Wagga City Council |
| | Wentworth Shire Council |
| | Furthermore, SecureEnergy strongly encourages Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander businesses to submit applications. |
| Notes | SecureEnergy will obtain ongoing reporting from ICN on a regular basis. |
| | SecureEnergy will review all registrations, noting that any incomplete registration will be excluded from consideration. |
| | SecureEnergy highly values businesses that can demonstrate performance in line with the Indigenous Participation Plan of 2.5% indigenous employment. |
| | Further involvement may range from a request for a follow up meeting; request to prequalify, through to request for tender. |
| | Submitting a registration of interest does not guarantee that the supplier will be selected for prequalification or tender opportunities. |