

PROJECT EXPRESSION OF INTEREST	
<b>Project Title.</b>	SecureEnergy – Project EnergyConnect (PEC)
<b>Project Description.</b>	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p>
<b>Opportunity Title.</b>	Provide flexible training, assessment and verification of competencies (VoC) .
<b>Opportunity Description.</b>	<p>SecureEnergy wish to identify suppliers that have the ability and resources to provide training and assessment services and associated training and assessment material / equipment.</p> <p>This includes the provision of training, assessment, VoC as well as plant and equipment inductions. The types of training and assessment / VoC works that would be undertaken would include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Certificate II in Transmission Structure and Line Assembly</li> <li>- Provide First Aid</li> <li>- CPR</li> <li>- LV Rescue</li> <li>- Hazardous manual handling</li> <li>- 4WD</li> <li>- Health and Safety Representative (HSR) – NSW</li> <li>- Working safely at heights</li> <li>- Confined spaces</li> <li>- Tower Rescue</li> <li>- Vertical Rescue</li> <li>- EWP Rescue</li> <li>- Fire training</li> <li>- Various plant &amp; equipment VoCs/inductions</li> </ul>

	<p>Ability to provide training and assessment along the construction route; namely at SEJV's training centre in Wagga Wagga, and camps and laydown locations</p> <p>Scope of training approved by ASQA</p> <p>Quality and customisability/flexibility in packaging units and courses</p> <p>Equipment should be to Industry safety and maintenance standards.</p> <p>Trainers and assessors should possess all necessary VOC and National Certifications of safe plant operation.</p>
<p><b>Supplier Requirements.</b></p>	<p>SecureEnergy require suppliers that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have a demonstrated track record of providing quality training, assessment and VoCs for a Tier One or Tier Two Contractor or above.</li> <li>• Have updated trainer skills and resource matrix</li> <li>• Have the required government or industry certifications, licenses, associations and/or insurances to deliver the opportunity.</li> <li>• Have an exemplary safety record and a documented management system for tracking safety performance.</li> <li>• Are financially viable and can demonstrate commercial value.</li> <li>• Can demonstrate a strong commitment to training and retaining a local workforce.</li> <li>• Have an excellent track record in employing and progressing the careers of Indigenous people.</li> <li>• Are progressively finding ways to develop the careers of women, veterans and people with disabilities.</li> <li>• Treat the environmental they are working in with respect and consideration.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Health and Safety</b></p>	<p>SecureEnergy encourages suppliers who can provide any evidence of Health and Safety (HSE) statistics and/or Lost Time to Injury (LTI) statistics.</p>
<p><b>Similar Experience</b></p>	<p>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)</p>
<p><b>General Information.</b></p>	<p>SecureEnergy will consider all ICN Registrations where:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The business demonstrates through their response a clear capability against the key requirements.</li> <li>• The business completes a response to all SecureEnergy questions and/or SecureEnergy documentation.</li> <li>• The businesses ICN profile is up to date and complete.</li> <li>• The registration is complete prior to any closing date.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The business operates in Australia and is a registered Australian business.</li> <li>• The Business has an Indigenous staffing component in line with Federal Indigenous Procurement Policy and/or NSW State Aboriginal Procurement In Construction.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Local Content</b></p>	<p>SecureEnergy strongly encourages businesses who have head offices and/or dedicated premises with the appropriate Local Government approvals from the following regions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Albury City Council</li> <li>• Edward River Council</li> <li>• Federation Council</li> <li>• Griffith City Council</li> <li>• Hay Shire Council</li> <li>• Lockhart Shire Council</li> <li>• Murray River Council</li> <li>• Narrandera Shire Council</li> <li>• Wagga Wagga City Council</li> <li>• Wentworth Shire Council</li> </ul> <p>Furthermore, SecureEnergy strongly encourages Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander businesses to submit applications.</p>
<p><b>Notes</b></p>	<p>SecureEnergy will obtain ongoing reporting from ICN on a regular basis.</p> <p>SecureEnergy will review all registrations, noting that any incomplete registration will be excluded from consideration.</p> <p>SecureEnergy highly values businesses that can demonstrate performance in line with the Indigenous Participation Plan of 2.5% indigenous employment.</p> <p>Further involvement may range from a request for a follow up meeting; request to prequalify, through to request for tender.</p> <p>Submitting a registration of interest does not guarantee that the supplier will be selected for prequalification or tender opportunities.</p>