

ICGB AD

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To "C&M Engineering" S.A. "

To the attention of Mr Kappos,

Managing director

INVITATION

For

Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data, regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)

DEAR MR. KAPPOS,

In view of the fact that "C&M Engineering" S.A. is a legal entity that prepared the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study for the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project and pursuant to art. 191, par.1, item 2 PPA, we are addressing an invitation to you for performing services related to update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data, regarding the interconnection with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP) as listed below in that invitation.

1. Contracting Entity.

Contracting Entity of this public procurement are the representatives of ICGB AD - a company, pursuant to art.5, par. 4, item 1 PPA.

ICGB AD, having its seat and contact address: 13 Veslets Street, 2nd floor, 1000 Sofia, Bulgaria, telephone: +359 2 92 63 803, fax: +359 2 92 50 392, e-mail: office@icgb.eu

Main address of the assigning authority/contracting entity: <http://www.icgb.eu/>

Buyer's profile address: <http://www.icgb.eu/buyers-profile/public-procurement-procedures>

Contact Person: George Kostopoulos, Technical Director.

2. Subject of the public procurement:

Performing services for the update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data, regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP).

The estimated value of the public procurement is up to EUR 20 100 VAT excluded.

3. Legal grounds

This procurement is awarded pursuant to art. 191, par. 1, item 2 PPA - through an invitation to particular persons.

Grounds: The person invited by the Contracting Authority to submit an offer is the author of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data for the Greek section of Gas interconnector Bulgaria-Greece Project in accordance with Contract No 17/2011 concluded with the invited. As a result of the execution of the contract, the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and the Project's cadastral data for the Greek section for the IGB Project were prepared.

The EIA study for the whole IGB pipeline length was conducted and approved by the relevant Greek Authorities. The relevant Environmental Terms Approval Decision (Α.Π. οικ. 171379 / 29-10-2013) was issued. The same applies to the Installation Act Decision, issued on 28.05.2014 (Δ3/Γ/6271), based on the cadastral data.

The already elaborated EIA study and the Project's cadastral data have to be revised in order to include both the new interconnecting pipeline points between IGB and TAP and the integrated M/R station connecting IGB to both DESFA and TAP pipelines and therefore it is required that EIA study and the Project's cadastral data are updated.

The EIA study and the Project's cadastral data prepared by the invited are subject to copyright under Art. 3, para 1, item 1 of the Copyright and Related Rights Act (CRRA). Any modification and updating of the EIA study and of the Project's cadastral data by a person other than the one who elaborated the original document conflicts with the provision of Art. 18, para. 1 of the CRRA, according to which the author has the exclusive right to use the work he has created and to authorize his use by other persons, for use in the meaning of para. 1 determines the processing and synchronization of the work. Recasting is also the adaptation and introduction of any kind of changes to the work, i.e. its updating or upgrade in the sense of Art. 18, para. 2, item 8 of the CRRA.

In this sense, the services that need to be performed in addition to the updating of the prepared EIA study and of the Project's cadastral data include actions for updating, agreeing, approving, possibly correcting and can only be performed by the person who prepared them.



4. General information.

The IGB Project, developed by ICGB AD (a Company owned 50% by Bulgarian Energy Holding EAD and 50% by IGI Poseidon SA), includes the engineering, financing, construction and operation on a long-term basis of the natural gas interconnector onshore pipeline between Greece and Bulgaria.

It will interconnect the natural gas transmission systems of DESFA and TAP, both in Greece, with the one of BULGARTRANGAZ in Bulgaria. To this extent, the IGB Project will connect the Southern corridor with the C-SEE gas markets and will allow the supply of gas from multi sources (i.e. Caspian, Middle East, etc) through the existing and future interconnection of the Turkish, Greek and Bulgarian gas networks and relevant LNG systems.

The pipeline will start from the Municipality of Komotini in Greece, where it will be linked to DESFA and will end in the Municipality of Stara Zagora in Bulgaria, where it will be linked with the BULGARTRANGAZ system.

A technical study for the evaluation of options for the new interconnection of IGB pipeline with TAP natural gas systems (at the Block Valve Station GBV04 of the TAP), will be provided.

5. Scope of services.

The scope of services is described in details in Appendix No 1 "Scope of services" attached to the Invitation.

6. Implementation term.

The total implementation term is **3 months** as of the date of the signing of the Contract between the Parties and as of the receipt of Assignment letter by the Contracting Entity.

7. Term of validity of the offer.

The offer shall have a validity term of 60 calendar days as of the date it is submitted to the Contracting entity.

8. Deadline for submitting the offer.

The offer along with the appendices shall have to be submitted by **27.07.2018, 18:00** in the premises of ICGB AD, Sofia, 13 Veslets Street, floor 2.



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9. Requirements to the contents of the offer.

The offer and the appendices to it shall be submitted as per the samples attached herein. The offer and the appendices to it shall be submitted in English language.

The offer shall be submitted as a hard copy and shall contain:

- A list of the documents;
- An offer containing a technical and a price offer;
- 2 Declarations under art. 97, par. 5 PPA;

The declaration for non-existence of circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 1, 2 and 7 PPA shall be signed by the persons representing the applicant. When the applicant is represented by more than one person, the declaration for the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 3-5 PPA shall be signed by the person that can represent it individually.

The price offered shall have to include a total lump sum for performing the service, all costs included, as well as prices for each of the activities separately.

The offer shall be submitted personally, through an authorized person or by courier, at the office of the Contracting entity.

10. Considering the offer. Concluding a contract.

The offer of the applicant invited shall be considered in accordance with the requirements of the Rulebook for application of PPA.

Before concluding the Contract the applicant invited shall have to submit documents evidencing the non-existence of the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 1-5 PPA, namely:

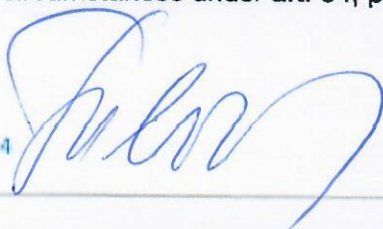
- A conviction certificate of the person representing the applicant invited;
- A certificate by the revenue authorities and by the municipality as per the seat of the contracting entity and the applicant invited for non-existence of liabilities for taxes and mandatory social security contributions pursuant to art. 162, par. 2, item 1 TIPC and interest on them to the state or to the municipality as per the seat of the Contracting entity and the applicant invited.

11. Appendices to the request.

Appendix № 1 – Scope of services

Appendix № 2 - Sample Offer;

Appendix № 3 – Sample of a declaration under art. 97, par. 5 RAPP - for the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 1, 2 and 7 PPA;




Appendix № 4 – Sample of a declaration under art. 97, par. 5 RAPPА - for the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 3-5 PPA;

FOR THE CONTRACTING ENTITY:

Teodora Georgieva-Mileva

Executive officer



Konstantinos Karayannakos

Executive officer



APPENDIX № 1

Scope of services

for

Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)

1. Project Background

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The pipeline will start from the Municipality of Komotini in Greece, where it will be linked to DESFA and will end in the Municipality of Stara Zagora in Bulgaria, where it will be linked with the BULGARTRANGAZ system.

A technical study for the evaluation of options for the new interconnection of IGB pipeline with TAP natural gas systems (at the Block Valve Station GBV04 of the TAP), will be provided.

2. Scope of Works

2.1 Preparation of an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Update/Modification Report, regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of IGB, with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)

An EIA study for the whole IGB pipeline length was conducted and approved by the relevant Greek Authorities. The relevant Environmental Terms Approval Decision (Α.Π. οικ. 171379 / 29-10-2013) was issued.

The abovementioned EIA study has to be revised in order to include:

1. The new interconnecting pipeline between IGB and TAP.
2. The integrated M/R station connecting IGB to both DESFA and TAP pipelines.

A preliminary study for both the pipeline and the M/R station is available along with the basic design and operational parameters of the project (Doc No P574-000-RP-GEN-001 Rev 0 and associated drawings) and the updating of the EIA study will be based on it. The Scope of Works does not include the performance of any other studies, for the provision of additional data that might be requested by the Authorities, to be incorporated in the updated EIA study.

The EIA Study Update/Modification Report (According to Law 4014/2011) will be submitted in order to update the relevant Environmental Terms Approval Decision. The table of contents of such an update/Modification EIA study is stated in Appendix 5 of Ministerial Decision 170225 (Hellenic National Gazette issue 135B' 27/1/2014):

1. Introduction
2. Description of main project (Permits issued)
3. Description of proposed modification(s) to the main project
4. Compatibility of proposed modification(s) with local urban and other regulatory obligations & commitments.
5. Short description of the present status of the environment

6. Results of previous Monitoring and Audits (if any)
7. Environmental Impacts Assessment
8. Mitigation measures
9. Codification of results for Environmental Terms Approval Decision modification
10. Photographic presentation
11. Maps & Drawings
12. Appendices
13. Signatures and Authority approvals

The final documentation is to be submitted in Greek and in English in 4 paper copies (2 Greek & 2 English) and in two electronic copies (CDs).

2.2 Preparation of the cadastral data, which are required for the updating of the Installation Act

This activity involves the following:

- 2.2.1 Performance of Detailed topographical surveys and preparation of the relevant drawings (recording plans and alignment sheets) along the axis of the TAP-IGB interconnecting pipeline (~700 m long). The surveys will be based on the existing trigonometric network of the IGB (T1, T2) which was established during the FEED phase of the project. If the specific Trigonometric points are damaged or assessed as unsuitable, then new trigonometric points will be established. The width of the survey zone will be 40 + 40 m from the pipeline axis.
- 2.2.2 Preparation / Supplementation of the Cadastral Diagrams and Tables along the TAP-IGB interconnecting pipeline.

For the completion of this task the following will be considered:

- a) The land survey data
- b) The distribution diagrams of the Ministry of Agriculture

- c) Data from the National Cadastre office of the Greece (if available)
- d) Data from other authorities and other infrastructure owners (PPC, forestry authority, etc.)
- e) The data collected from items 1 and 2 (described above).

The completed diagrams and tables will be published in the local press and also will be posted at central locations of each of the involved Communities.

After this, the landowners will be informed for the dates that the consultation will be held, during which they will be able to provide the available deeds and declarations for their parcels and also to be recorded their objections

The above mentioned task will be completed within two (2) days maximum.

In order to be provided the required response time to the landowners the specific consultations dates will be announced at least fifteen (15) days before.

After the completion of this action, the cadastral tables and diagrams will be updated and will be issued accompanied with all collected data.

APPENDIX № 2

Name of the applicant:	
Legal form of the applicant:	<i>(the commercial company or alliances or another legal form)</i>
Registered seat	
UIC/Bulstat:	
Correct correspondence address:	<i>(country, city, postcode, street, №)</i>
Telephone number:	
Fax number:	
e-mail:	
Representative:	<i>(names, position or another capacity)</i>

OFFER

For awarding public procurement through an invitation to particular persons pursuant to art. 191, par. 1, item 2 PPA for "Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)".

DEAR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

Hereby we are submitting our offer for participation in the Public procurement announced by you through a request to particular persons pursuant to art. 191, par. 1, item 2 PPA for "Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece- Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)".

We hereby declare that we are aware of the guidelines and terms for participation in the public procurement announced by you, the requirements of PPA and RAPPAs. We agree with the conditions set by you and we accept them without objections.

We agree to stick to this offer for a term not shorter than 60 (in words: sixty) calendar days after the date set as a deadline for receiving the application offers.

We will perform the procurement in accordance with this offer and the conditions of the Contracting entity and in accordance with the implementation term(s) set.

Our price offer is:

For performing the public procurement in its full volume as per the terms of the Request for application we are offering a price as follows:

....., *in numbers and in words*
EUR , VAT excluded, out of which:

The prices offered are final and are not subject to escalation and they include all costs on implementation of the procurement, including transportation, etc.

Payment of the price for performance of the contract shall be made pursuant to the terms of the contract for awarding public procurement.

Date :

SIGNATURE and SEAL

[name and surname]

[capacity of the applicant's representative]

APPENDIX №3

DECLARATION

under art. 97, par. 5 of RAPPА

(for the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 1, 2 and 7 PPA ¹)

The undersigned:, ID №
....., issued by, on, permanent residence:
town/village of, municipality,
district..... Street, block, floor, apartment
....., in my capacity of, representing
.....,

(position)

Having its seat and management address
.....

Tel./fax:, UIC/BULSTAT

An applicant in a public procurement through an invitation to particular persons pursuant to art. 191, par. 1, item 2 PPA for "Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Bulgaria-Greece Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)"

I HEREBY DECLARE THAT:

1. I have not been:

- *convicted with an enforced verdict/ I have been rehabilitated² for a crime under Art. 108a, Art. 159a – 159d, Art. 172, Art. 192a, Art. 194 - 217, Art. 219 - 252, Art. 253 - 260, Art. 301 - 307, Art. 321, 321a and Art. 352 – 353f of the Penal Code;*

¹ The declaration for non-existence of the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 1, 2 and 7 PPA shall be signed by the persons representing the applicant (the persons under art. 40 RAPPА). When the applicant is an alliance, the declaration is filled in also for the natural and/or legal persons members of the alliance.

² The invalid is crossed or the valid is underlined

- *convicted with an enforced verdict/ I have been rehabilitated³* for a crime analogical to the ones under item 1 in another Member State or a third state;

2. There is no conflict of interests which cannot be removed.

I have been informed that for declaring false data in this declaration I shall be liable pursuant to art. 313 of the Penal Code.

Date :

Declarer:

SIGNATURE and SEAL

[name and surname]

[capacity of the applicant's representative]

³ The invalid is crossed or the valid is underlined

APPENDIX № 4

DECLARATION

under art. 97, par. 5 of RAPPА(for the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 3-5 PPA⁴)

The undersigned:, ID
№, issued by, on, permanent residence:
town/village of, municipality, district.....
..... Street, block, floor, apartment, in my capacity of
....., representing,

(position)

Having its seat and management address

.....

Tel./fax:, UIC/BULSTAT

An applicant in a public procurement through an invitation to particular persons pursuant to art. 191, par. 1, item 2 PPA for "Performing services for update of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study and of the Project's cadastral data regarding the interconnection of the Greek section of Gas interconnector Greece-Bulgaria Project with the TransAdriatic Pipeline (TAP)"

I HEREBY DECLARE THAT:

1.⁵ There are payables for taxes and obligatory security contributions in the meaning of art. 162, par. 2, item 1 of the Tax-Insurance Procedure Code and interests on them, to the state or to the municipality where the central office of the contracting authority is and of the applicant or applicant, or analogical payables, established by an act of a competent body, under the legislation of the state, in which the applicant or applicant has been established:

a) none

⁴ The declaration for non-existence of the circumstances under art. 54, par. 1, item 3-5 PPA shall be signed by the person/s who can represent the applicant individually (the persons under art. 40 RAPPА). When the applicant is an alliance the declaration is filled in also for the natural and/or legal persons members of the alliance.

⁵ The valid hypothesis from the sub-items is underlined or the invalid hypotheses from the sub-items are crossed

- b) there are but rescheduling, delay or security has been admitted
- c) there are but the payable is under a deed which has not been enforced.
- d) The amount ** of the unpaid taxes or social-security contributions due is not more than 1% of the amount of the annual total turnover for the last completed financial year

2. For the applicant I represent there is no inequality in the cases under art. 44, par. 5 PPA;

3. For the applicant I represent it has not been established that:

a) it has submitted a document with untrue contents, related to certification of the non-existence of grounds for exclusion or compliance with the selection criteria;

b) it has not submitted information required related to certifying non-existence of grounds for exclusion or compliance with the selection criteria;

I am aware of the liability pursuant to art. 313 of the Penal Code for declaring false data.

Date:

Declarer:

SIGNATURE and SEAL

[name and surname]

[capacity of the applicant's representative]