



# REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: PROVISION OF ONSHORE SECURITY SERVICES FOR EACOP PROJECT REFERENCE NO. REQ-00001081

East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) Ltd invites experienced and reputable companies to express their interest in providing Onshore Security Services for the Operations Phase to the East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) Project as of 31 July 2026.

The EACOP Project involves the construction and operation of an underground and cross-border pipeline to transport crude oil from Lake Albert area in Uganda to eastern coast of Tanzania 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 kilometres, of which 296 kilometres will be in Uganda and 1,147 kilometres in Tanzania. In Tanzania the pipeline will traverse eight (8) regions comprising of Kagera, Geita, Shinyanga, Tabora, Singida, Dodoma, Manyara and Tanga, 27 administrative District Councils, and 231 Villages.

## BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THE SERVICES

The East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) project will require a comprehensive turnkey solution to support its security operations from Mutukula border in Misenyi Kagera Region to Marine Terminal Transfer Tanks in Chongoleani, Tanga, Tanzania during operations phase. The contract will cover static and mobile onshore security services along the Right of Way (ROW), including Above Ground Installations (AGIs), Main Line Block Valves (MLBVs), Pump Stations, Pressure Reduction Stations, Yards and Critical Access Routes, focused exclusively on the Operations phase. The area of operations shall be divided into 3 operational zones. **This solution must include the following components:**

### 1. Manpower:

Provision of skilled and trained personnel to manage and operate all aspects of the security operations. This includes security officers, drivers and supervisory personnel.

### 2. Eligibility Requirements:

Providers must be legally licensed in Tanzania, demonstrate Oil & Gas or industrial security experience and have a proven VPSHR compliance framework.

### 3. Confidentiality:

All information provided as part of this EOI shall be treated as confidential and used solely for the purpose of this process.

### 4. Resources & Capabilities:

Providers shall demonstrate capacity to deploy trained personnel, supervisors, compliant vehicles, communication means and long-term operational support.

### 5. Contract Outlook:

The future contract will be long-term, scalable and performance based. Issuance of this EOI does not constitute a commitment to award a contract.

### 6. Reporting & Coordination:

Selected providers will coordinate with EACOP Security and public authorities as required, and provide structured daily, weekly and monthly reports.

### 7. Security Philosophy:

Ops Phase: The security model shall be based on prevention, deterrence, early detection and strict respect and adherence of the Voluntary Principles on Security and Human Rights (VPSHR).

### 8. 24/7 Operations:

The solution must enable continuous, round-the-clock security operations. This includes ensuring that all personnel and equipment are available and operational at all times to respond to any security incidents.

### 9. EOI Submission Requirements:

Interested companies shall submit company profile, relevant experience, operational security concept, VPSHR approach, resources overview and references. No pricing required at EOI stage.

## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

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

- Must be able to demonstrate experience of successfully conducting similar operations in support of the Oil & Gas sector in dynamic, challenging security environments.
- Proof of registration with the Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA) and Tax Clearance Certificate for the latest year available.
- Certificate of Incorporation and recent Business Registrations and Licensing Agency (BRELA) search (attach copy).
- Valid Business License.
- Financial capacity to deliver the services required including submission of financial accounts for the past three years.
- A copy of a current official search report from the BRELA.
- Profile of key personnel to be involved in the provision of Services including personal certifications as necessary and level of qualifications, and experience and capacity to deliver the required services in a major capital oil and gas project.
- Evidence of a QHSE Management system, organization, and process in compliance with applicable Local and Industry standards for similar works.
- Proof of Anti-corruption, Anti-bribery, Compliance and Human Rights policies.
- Proof of registration with EWURA Local Supplier Service Provider (LSSP) database or approved application at the time of submission of the response to this expression of interest is strongly recommended.
- Compliance with Local Content Regulations, 2017 and Local Company definition.
- Evidence of and commitment to VPSHR training.
- Companies are expected to provide proof that they hold all/some of the following certifications/accreditations:
  - ⇒ ISO 28000 (Required)
  - ⇒ ISO 9001:2015 (Required)
  - ⇒ ISO 14001 (Desirable)
  - ⇒ ISO 28007 (Desirable)
  - ⇒ ISO 45001:2018 (Desirable)
  - ⇒ ISO 18788 (Required)
  - ⇒ ICOCA (Required)

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](mailto:procurement.tz@eacop.com) (max. email size 20MB) on or before **17:00** hours East African Time (EAT) on or before **27 May 2026**.

Email subject shall be: **REQ-00001081 – Provision of Onshore Security Services for EACOP Project.**

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 or organizations will be included in the list of pre-qualified companies or organizations. Only the pre-qualified companies or organizations 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 or organization and maintain its decision without having to give reasons to the company or organization concerned.