

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI)
ON BEHALF OF GUYANA DEEP WATER OPERATIONS INCORPORATED (GDO)

GDO-SCM-112
OFFSHORE PAINTING SERVICES



1. BACKGROUND

Guyana Deep Water Operations Incorporated (GDO), hereinafter referred to as the "Company", a subsidiary of SBM Offshore is the operator of the Liza Destiny, Liza Unity, Prosperity and ONE GUYANA Floating Production, Storage and Offloading (FPSO) vessels. SBM Offshore provides floating production solutions to the offshore energy industry, over the full product life cycle. The Company is market-leading in leased floating production systems with multiple units currently in operation and has unrivalled operational experience in this field. The Company's main activities are the design, supply, installation, operation and life extension of FPSO vessels. These are either owned and operated by SBM Offshore and leased to its clients or supplied on a turnkey sale basis.

2. GUYANESE CONTENT

Guyanese content development is the key factor to the success of our operation. We are committed to establishing Guyanese partnerships and developing Guyanese content. Thus, at technical and commercial similarities between bidders, we will consider the following preference:

1. Guyanese Company (as per definition in Act No. 18 of 2021, LOCAL CONTENT Act 2021)
2. Guyanese-owned, registered in Guyana

It is our commitment to long-term sustainability to create social and commercial benefit back to Guyana whenever possible without jeopardizing the HSE & Quality of the products and services to be delivered as well as for our crew & facilities. Companies answering the Request for Information will have to present their involvement in the Guyana community and/or any involvement in sustainability projects or development in Guyana.

3. OBJECTIVES

This request for information (RFI) seeks technical and operational information from suppliers to meet the Company's bid selection requirements for **Offshore Painting Service**.

This RFI has several objectives:

1. We may use responses from you and the other participants to validate and further develop Company's recommendations for the Request for Quotation (RFQ) for **Offshore Painting Service**. The RFI process allows us to seek your input and develop a list of qualified bidders before structured bid rules take effect.
2. Second, the RFI process provides you with an opportunity to begin developing your responses to some of the potential requirements if you are selected for the RFQ.

Finally, depending on responses from you and the other participants, the Company may unbundle the services described in this RFI and in a future RFQ (Request for Quotation) into several enabling agreements that may be awarded to more than one bidder.

4. SCOPE OF SUPPLY

a. Description

The Company is seeking potential suppliers to provide offshore painting services. The scope includes surface preparation and application of protective paint systems on offshore structures, piping and equipment. All activities shall be executed offshore, in live operating environments, and in full compliance with the Company's fabric maintenance painting specification, applicable group technical standards, and international coating standards.

Typical areas include, but are not limited to, topsides structures, hull above waterline, piping, vessels, equipment, access ways, and general structural steel.

b. Scope of Supply Requirement(s)

The contractor shall be able to provide the following as a minimum:

- Proven experience in offshore fabric maintenance painting on FPSOs or similar offshore assets
- Qualified personnel, including:
 - AMPP (NACE) Certified Coating Inspectors (CIP Level II or higher)
 - Certified painters, blasters, and operators trained in abrasive blasting, power tool cleaning, and coating application
 - Personnel certified for offshore safety, confined space entry, and working at height
 - IRATA certified personnel for the rope access activities
- IRATA Full Member Certificate. All rope access technicians shall be IRATA certified.
- Ability to carry out surface preparation and apply coatings exactly as specified by the Company and according to the approved paint manufacturers' data sheets

- Availability of all required painting, surface preparation, and inspection equipment, with valid calibration certificates
- Ability to execute work in hazardous areas and confined spaces
- Submission of painting procedures, ITPs, risk assessments, and COSHH assessments when requested
- Provision of daily reports, inspection records, and final QA/QC documentation
- Provision of progress and quality management reports
- Full compliance with HSE and offshore operational requirements
- Supply of all required PPE, tooling, and consumables necessary for execution of the work

5. TIMETABLE

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Bid Package Identification	RFI Issuance date	RFI Due Date (5pm GYT)
	April 22, 2026	May 22, 2026

*Bid package opportunities may be subject to change at the discretion of GDO without prior notice.

Please be informed if you don't reply to our Request For Information (RFI) within the expected time frame, or you do not provide the required documentation, your company may not be considered for this supply.

6. RFI INSTRUCTIONS

Bidder shall not contact any other employee of the Company who are in any way related to this RFI process during this RFI process, unless otherwise specifically instructed.

6.1. Deliverables

- 6.1.1. Bidder shall fill and return the **COMPANY INFORMATION** document provided
- 6.1.2. Bidder shall sign and return the **NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT** document provided
- 6.1.3. Bidder shall provide the **SCOPE OF SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS** documents under 4. SCOPE OF SUPPLY, if mentioned
- 6.1.4. Bidder shall provide additional information using prescribed forms or templates when specifically instructed

7. DELIVERY

- 7.1. All documents required shall be delivered at the following email address before the RFI Due Date, **May 22, 2026-COB** (Close of Business, 5:00 PM GYT). No delay or extension will be granted.

- Diquan.Lewis@sbmoffshore.com
- GuyanaDeepwaterOperationsInc@SBMOffshore.com

- 7.2. The email title format must respect as follows: **GDO-SCM-112 OFFSHORE PAINTING SERVICES RFI – Your Company Name — Final RFI Submission**

- 7.3. Your e-mailed responses should be limited to a reasonable size (<15MB). If the response is >15MB, then multiple submissions <15MB are acceptable.

8. FOLLOW-UP PROCESS

Upon screening your company details with the Centre for Local Business Development (CLBD) portal, you will receive pre-qualification questionnaires from the Company. It is your responsibility to meet the necessary deadline to go further for consideration. During this time, you may still receive Request for Quotations (RFQs), but the final award will ONLY be to qualified companies.

9. DISCLAIMER

This RFI is not an invitation to tender for the described Scope of Supply. The Company has no commitment or obligation, implied or otherwise, to issue a tender or enter a contract related to the described Scope of Supply. Participation in this RFI exercise does not construe or imply any commitment to any party or entitle any party to any indemnity or any form of payment from the Company.

Sincerely,

GUYANA DEEP WATER OPERATIONS INCORPORATED