

## UNELCO ENGIE – DIESEL OIL SUPPLY INVITATION TO SUBMIT EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (EOI)

Union Electrique du Vanuatu Limited (UNELCO ENGIE) invites interested suppliers to submit Expressions of Interest (EOI) for the **on-site supply of Automotive Diesel Oil (ADO)** for its two diesel electric power plants located in Vanuatu. The volume figures below are estimates only and represent the typical annual diesel oil consumption:

- **Tagabe Power Plant (near International Airport):** Estimated annual consumption - 7,000 m<sup>3</sup>.
- **Port Vila Power Plant (Port-Vila – Downtown):** Estimated annual consumption - 7,000 m<sup>3</sup>.

Deliveries are non-linear throughout the year, following a seasonal pattern based on overall electricity demand fluctuations. UNELCO ENGIE cannot guarantee the actual volume of diesel oil offtake each year due to various factors:

- Fluctuations in Vanuatu's economic situation, which can impact demand.
- Increase in renewable energy generation (biofuel, wind, PV, geothermal, etc.), leading to a decrease in fossil fuel dependence.
- Potential engagement of multiple suppliers in a non-exclusive tender, affecting individual supply volumes.

### Alignment with Vanuatu National Energy Road Map (NERM)

UNELCO ENGIE acknowledges the NERM and Vanuatu's commitment to reduce reliance on imported fossil fuels, including diesel, for electricity generation by 2030, aligning with the Paris Agreement (CoP21). In this context, UNELCO ENGIE invites suppliers who are committed to:

- **Sustainable practices:** Demonstrating an understanding of and commitment to sustainable practices within their operations, aligning with the overall objective of the NERM.
- **Innovation:** Proposing innovative solutions that can contribute to a more efficient and potentially lower-carbon diesel supply chain, considering future diversification plans.

By responding to this EOI, you will demonstrate your interest and suitability for further consideration. This process may lead to the invitation of shortlisted suppliers to participate in a formal bidding process and may ultimately result in the award of a contract.

This invitation to submit an EOI is not a formal request for quotation or proposal. It does not constitute a commitment that UNELCO ENGIE will enter into commercial relations with any supplier participating in this EOI process. UNELCO ENGIE has no liability for any costs or expenses incurred by suppliers in preparing their EOI responses and participating in this EOI process.

Interested suppliers may obtain the EOI Response Form available at [unelco.engie.com/](https://unelco.engie.com/) or by request by email to [tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com](mailto:tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com)

### EOI RESPONSE SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- **Submit electronically to:** [tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com](mailto:tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com)
- **Deadline:** 31 May 2024, 4:00pm Vanuatu Local Time

UNELCO ENGIE will disregard submissions made after the EOI submission deadline. Please keep submissions concise and under 20 MB.

If you have any queries, please contact: Tanguy KERZREHO, Director Electricity Production and Distribution ([tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com](mailto:tanguy.kerzreho@engie.com))