

MEMD PROCUREMENT & EOI NOTICES (UGANDA) · UGANDA

Uganda tenders Line Installation Lots 5-8

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Uganda's Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development (MEMD) has issued an Expression of Interest for the procurement of Line Installation Contractors covering Lots 5 through 8. The notice, published through MEMD's official procurement and EOI channel, invites qualified contractors to submit credentials for line installation works across the designated lot categories.

The EOI represents an active procurement process, meaning the ministry is in the process of identifying and shortlisting capable contractors ahead of a formal tender or contract award. At this stage, the instrument is a prequalification / EOI — not a signed contract — and interested parties should respond directly to MEMD's procurement process to be considered for subsequent bidding rounds.

Line installation work in the Ugandan energy context typically relates to electricity transmission and distribution infrastructure, which is a priority area for MEMD as Uganda scales up power connectivity ahead of and alongside its upstream oil and gas development programme. The East African country has seen significant infrastructure investment tied to its broader energy ambitions, including the Lake Albert oil development and the East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP), both of which drive parallel demand for local power and utility infrastructure. However, the article does not specify whether these lots are directly connected to the upstream hydrocarbon sector or are purely power-sector works, and no contract values, geographic locations within Uganda, or technical specifications are provided in the notice.

For Norwegian service companies tracking African energy opportunities, the EOI is noteworthy as an open, active procurement window. Companies with experience in pipeline installation, electrical line installation, or general energy infrastructure contracting should assess their eligibility and consider submitting prequalification documents directly to MEMD. Given Uganda's expanding energy infrastructure demands — power, pipeline, and associated facilities — early visibility in MEMD procurement registers is strategically valuable for companies positioning for larger upcoming contracts in the country.

Why this matters to partners and clients of Saga

This is an open EOI / prequalification notice, making it one of the few instrument stages where direct procurement engagement is appropriate right now. Norwegian service companies with pipeline or line installation capabilities should submit prequalification materials to MEMD to secure a position on the shortlist for subsequent contract rounds. Companies not active in line installation should monitor this process for intelligence on Uganda's infrastructure procurement tempo ahead of larger energy contracts.

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- **Pipeline:** Companies with pipeline or conduit installation expertise should assess lot specifications and submit EOI responses to MEMD ahead of the prequalification deadline.
- **Service:** General energy infrastructure contractors can use this EOI as an entry point to establish a procurement track record with MEMD for future, larger Ugandan energy tenders.
- **Subsea/FPSO:** Monitor only — this is a land-based line installation tender, but MEMD engagement now builds relationships relevant to Uganda's upstream oil infrastructure procurement pipeline.
- **Drilling:** No direct drilling relevance, but Uganda's accelerating energy infrastructure programme signals active government procurement capacity worth tracking for timing of upstream contract cycles.

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