

DEAL TENDER

DEAL Contract

The current DEAL management contract (held by BGS) expires at the end of December 2009. CDA intends to issue a competitive tender on 6th April 2009 and to award a new contract in September 2009.

To qualify, bidders must be able to demonstrate:

1. appropriate domain knowledge and track record;
2. a suitable Internet-facing application;
3. skilled and experienced personnel to operate the required services;
4. organisational substance;
5. absence of any material conflict of interest;
6. financial stability; and
7. registration with FPAL in the appropriate category

DEAL Services and Data Types

DEAL is the primary directory for locating UKCS geotechnical data or metadata. Data types include:

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| ▪ Wells | ▪ 2D, 3D & 4D Seismic |
| ▪ Licences | ▪ Infrastructure |
| ▪ Fields & Culture | ▪ Environmental Assessments |

The following services are required by CDA:

- Data management (receipt, quality-control and loading)
- Database management and storage
- User management, including subscription services
- On-line data search by forms and maps, viewing, and downloads
- Regulatory compliance services (relating to PON 9/14a)
- User helpdesk and support

Think you are qualified to bid?

Only companies that meet CDA's qualification criteria will receive the ITT documents.

If you believe your organisation is qualified, please email Colleen Bonthron, CDA's Commercial Manager (cbonthron@cdal.com) no later than **16th March 2009** providing a brief narrative addressing each of the seven criteria above. All applications will be reviewed in confidence.

About CDA

Common Data Access Limited is a not-for-profit subsidiary of Oil & Gas UK, set up in 1994 to provide shared data management services to industry (see www.cdal.com for more details).

