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## **Press release**

### **The Eiffage Génie Civil Marine and Saipem SA consortium selected for the Hub/Terminal of the Tortue/Ahmeyim Field Development with an initial contract placed for front-end engineering and execution readiness**

Eiffage Génie Civil Marine today announced that a consortium formed with Saipem SA has been selected to perform front-end engineering design (FEED) studies and execution preparation for the Hub/Terminal for BP's Tortue/Ahmeyim Field Development, a major LNG project located on the maritime border of Mauritania and Senegal. The Hub/Terminal is located 10 km from shore and encompasses berthing facilities for a permanently moored FLNG and the loading of LNG Carriers, and is protected by an offshore breakwater.

During this initial engineering phase, the Consortium, led by Eiffage Génie Civil Marine, will work on defining the design of the infrastructures and the execution plan. The FEED is scheduled to begin and complete this year. The agreement contains a mechanism to allow transition of the contract to a lump sum EPCI contract at a later date.

The initial subsea infrastructure connects the first four wells at more than 2800 m depth, consolidated through 75 km length production pipelines leading to a floating production, storage, and offloading (FPSO) vessel. From here liquids are removed and the export gas is transported via a 35 km pipeline to the floating liquid natural gas (FLNG) hub terminal where the gas is liquefied.

The Tortue/Ahmeyim Field Development is located in the C-8 block off the shore of Mauritania and the Saint-Louis Profond block offshore Senegal. The Tortue discovery was made by Kosmos Energy, which farmed down its investment to BP in December 2016. BP now has the largest interest (~60%) among the four partners in the project and is the operator.

#### **About Eiffage Génie Civil Marine**

Eiffage Génie Civil Marine is allocated to the Eiffage's Infrastructures Branch (4.7 Md€ of revenue in 2017 – 23.400 employees). Sustained by strong track record of multiple projects for all type of marine infrastructures, worldwide, Eiffage Génie Civil Marine is the Eiffage entity in charge of the international performance of marine infrastructure projects, gathering the required skills, having its own engineering department and experienced project management staff.

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