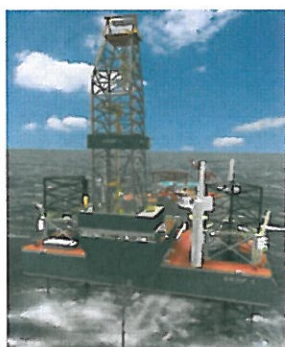


**Dear Applicant....**

First of all we will like to thank you for showing interest in Skeie Rig Management (SRM) by applying for a job in our company. Receiving this Newsletter indicates that you are a potential employee / colleague for us in the future. We assume that you have some well qualified colleagues you want to bring along. If so, don't hesitate to send them the link to our web page www.skeiedrilling.com. They will then be evaluated and registered, and if qualified have a possible opportunity to join us into an exciting future.

Company Information

In 2006 Skeie Drilling & Production ASA (SKDP) signed a contract with Keppel FELS in Singapore, to build three jack-up rigs, which will be among the world`s largest dual mode rigs (drilling & production). The rigs are also built for Harsh Environment as the North Sea and Canadian waters.



The jack-up drilling rigs will be operated by SRM, a wholly-owned subsidiary in the Skeie Group, which also have a Management support agreement with Pier Offshore Management Services (POMS). POMS do also have a similar Management agreement with Sevan Marine`s drilling units.

For further information, please go to www.skeiedrilling.com. To visit the web page of PIER Offshore Management Services, please go to www.poms.no.

Project Progress

According to the last reports from the yard all rigs are in schedule, and will be delivered during 2010 and 2011.

In our main office in Trondheim we now have a group of 16 employees working with preparations for operation, mainly QHSE related issues, manuals and procedures. At present we have two Technical Section Leaders attending the SKDP Site-team in Singapore.

All activities are on schedule according to our main Operations Preparations Activity Plan.

We have offered our rigs to all the major Operators. At present we have a very positive dialog with them all. Our main goal is to have the rigs in operation in the North Sea.

Recruitment Information

For those of you who have friends or relatives without offshore experience who want to join the offshore drilling industry, information about minimum requirements can be found at www.olf.no. There they can click 'guidelines' and then 'guidelines 024.' *SRM requires a relevant craftsmanship ('fagbrev') as outlined in OLF's guideline 024.* This is typically relevant for Roustabouts ('hjelparbeidere'). Qualification Requirements for each offshore position are now updated on www.poms.no (click 'Employment') and 'Skeie Rig Management – Offshore Positions').

