

CMM OFFSHORE SIGNS CONTRACT WITH PETROBRAS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SIX HYBRID PSV-OSRV VESSELS



Rio de Janeiro, March 20, 2025 – In a strategic initiative that reinforces its leadership position in the Brazilian offshore market, CMM Offshore announces the signing of a contract with Petrobras for the construction and operation of six state-of-the-art hybrid multipurpose vessels (PSVs-OSRVs). The vessels, developed to meet Petrobras' operational needs, represent a significant investment in the Brazilian naval sector and underscore CMM's commitment to sustainability and technological innovation.

The project is valued at more than \$1.5 billion and includes a firm 12-year contract. The first vessels are expected to be delivered in the first half of 2029. The PSVs-OSRVs were designed by Kongsberg Ship Design and will be equipped with Wärtsilä hybrid engines, offering up to 30% fuel savings compared to conventional ships. Additionally, the vessels

will be prepared for future adaptations to ethanol as a fuel, an innovation that could reduce carbon emissions by at least 70%.

“These vessels are a testament to our commitment to sustainability and long-term performance. With firm 12-year contracts with Petrobras, they will play a key role in supporting offshore operations in the coming years, while also reducing the environmental impact associated with oil and gas production,” said Christophe Vancauwenbergh, CEO of CMM.

Economic and Social Impact: Developing the Brazilian Naval Industry

The construction of the six PSVs-OSRVs in Brazil underscores CMM Offshore's commitment to strengthening the national naval industry. The choice of local shipyards ensures job creation, boosts the supplier chain, and stimulates the regional economy, consolidating the country as a strategic hub for the offshore sector. Additionally, the initiative promotes technology transfer and knowledge sharing, qualifying the local workforce and creating opportunities for professional training.

Technology and Sustainability: Hybrid PSVs-OSRVs and Emission Reduction

The new PSVs-OSRVs will be designed to provide logistical support to Petrobras' offshore operations while being equipped with advanced systems for monitoring, collecting, and storing spilled oil. In addition to their operational versatility, the vessels will feature hybrid propulsion systems and a design optimized for energy efficiency, aligning with CMM's commitments to transitioning towards a more sustainable model in the naval industry.

About CMM Offshore

CMM Offshore is a Dutch-Brazilian maritime company specializing in offshore operations and maritime transportation. With its operational headquarters in Rio de Janeiro, CMM combines international expertise with a strong commitment to sustainable innovation in the maritime sector.

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About Petrobras

Petrobras is the largest energy company in Brazil and a global leader in deep and ultra-deep water oil and gas exploration and production. With over six decades of operations, the company plays a strategic role in the country's economic development, driving the offshore sector's supply chain and promoting technological innovation.

In addition to being a benchmark in safe and efficient operations, Petrobras also invests in initiatives for the energy transition, incorporating technologies that reduce emissions and enhance the sustainability of its operations.

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