



PPI Technology Services LLC is a private upstream and energy related construction services company based in Houston, Texas, US.

With a range of affiliated companies, the company has about 500 workers, including contractors and employees.

The company's services include drilling and production, engineering, project management, quality assurance, regulatory compliance, inventory management, mechanical testing, and software for quality assurance, regulatory compliance, incident investigations and equipment inventory management. In addition, the company's construction services include pipeline design, right-of-way and inspection.

PPI Technology Services operates in 14 countries around the globe including the US, Australia and Malaysia. The company has overseen production of more than 200 billion cubic feet of gas and 345,000 barrels of oil for its customers in areas around the world.

Since 1996, PPI has managed drilling, completion, or workover of more than 500 onshore and offshore wells worldwide. The company specialises in project and rig management, drilling and completions, and workover operations.

#### About the sector

PPI Technology Services was the first in its sector to deliver a web-based asset tracking and data management system.

#### UHY services

UHY Advisors in Houston and UHY Haines Norton, Perth, Australia, have provided international business consulting and tax advice to PPI Technology Services for nearly three years.

A team of more than 12 has provided advice about business contacts, offices, legal matters, employment and tax matters.

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business opportunities in the sector requiring global reach – bringing into play their core oil and gas industry expertise in Houston and Perth, their regional-specific operations in the United Arab Emirates, Nigeria and Angola. In addition, their wider-scale energy expertise provides consultancy to the productive, albeit depleting, oilfields of the North Sea, off the UK coast. UHY's Aberdeen-based team has a portfolio of small to medium-size clients in the region which are increasingly providing services to larger-scale operations in more sustainable oilfields elsewhere in the world.

#### Why UHY?

When PPI Technology Services was looking to establish operations in Australia, the company initially did so alone, then approached UHY Advisors' Houston office to refer them to the Perth

offices of UHY Haines Norton, one of UHY's member firms in Australia.

“When PPI Technology Services was moving into international markets, our company sought advice about restructuring its operations,” says PPI Technology Services chief financial officer Chris Edwards. “UHY firms were able to provide the personalised services our middle market company needs.”

As a consequence, UHY member firms now provide a range of services to PPI Technology Services, including tax, corporate, employee, general business, migration and audit services.

#### Working with UHY

Chris Edwards at PPI Technology Services says: “UHY firms understand my sense of urgency and are able to meet my timetable.”