



Supply Chain Management: The Falkland Islands

CHALLENGE

AGR was appointed to undertake a six well drilling campaign in the North Falklands Basin in 2009. Six wells became 20 wells with operations continuing into 2012.

With no local service providers or suppliers in place to support such an operation and the remoteness of the Falkland Islands this project demanded a unique approach to supply chain management be taken.

APPROACH

AGR set-up a seamless supply-chain from the UK using established service providers and suppliers:

- AGR developed a Contracting & Procurement strategy
- Managed all 3rd Party Services and Supplier Contracts (with the exception of the rigs)
- Lead local relationship management
- Leveraged combined spending power for better pricing.



RESULT

A robust, repeat supply chain process which involved AGR's UK-based service providers and suppliers in one of the furthest-reaching oil and gas projects handled from the UK. From setting up the base, to transporting equipment and mobilising over 5,000 personnel to the Falkland Islands throughout the campaign, AGR and the UK supply chain have demonstrated working efficiently and effectively at a significant distance from the UK.

- Over 1 million man hours
- Number Of Wells Drilled: 20
- Total Number Of Equipment Tonnes Shipped: In excess of 25,000 tonnes.

AGR will continue to roll out this tried and tested approach across other regions.

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