

GNPC awards additional contract to DPTS

DPTS are pleased to have been awarded another contract from Ghana National Petroleum Company (GNPC) to assist with the transcription of their data archive in Tema, Ghana.

GNPC first started discussions with DPTS in 2003 which led to DPTS supplying a Tape Transcription System and Diplomat™ Software for GNPC to use in its Tema office.

This was followed by the award of a second contract in 2005 for DPTS to transcribe 6,500 GNPC 9-track tapes which were being stored in the UK. Two members of GNPC staff worked very closely with DPTS on this project and thus gained experience in tape transcription methods and procedures.

GNPC now have a further 13,500 tapes and cartridges to be transcribed in Tema and have asked DPTS to assist with this project. DPTS are sending a Project Supervisor to Ghana to work with the GNPC staff. They are also providing an additional transcription system to supplement the GNPC system, enabling the project to be completed within five months.

Alan Jepson, Managing Director of DPTS, commented “we were delighted that GNPC chose a Diplomat™ Transcription System in the first place, but we are particularly pleased that they have come back to us to assist in the transcription of their data archive”.