

## Foresea Announces New Contract of approximately \$417 million for Norbe IX

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Foresea announces that it has been awarded, after a competitive tender, a new contract for the ultra-deepwater drillship Norbe IX, for a 3-year firm period with Petrobras, the operator of Sepia and Atapu consortium, for work offshore Brazil.

The contract is expected to start at the beginning of 2026 and represents an additional firm backlog of approximately USD 417 million, including mobilization fee.

Norbe IX was the only rig in Foresea's fleet with near-term availability. With this agreement, Foresea's fleet is 100% contracted until the last quarter of 2026. The Company's goal is to maintain the very high operational and safety standards of its fleet and create value for its stakeholders.

Petrobras holds a 65.7% stake in the shared Atapu field, a 55.3% stake in the shared Sépia field and is the Operator in both areas.

## About Foresea

Foresea is a leading offshore drilling company, focused on offering intelligent drilling solutions, with expertise and excellence in chartering and operating rigs for ultradeep waters. Foresea operates a high specification rig fleet of 4 UDW drillships, a semisubmersible and provides operation and management services to third parties' fleet.

With experience, state-of-the-art technology and a commitment to safety and sustainability, Foresea is always innovating when chartering and operating platforms and ships. For further information, please visit: www.investors.foresea.com.

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