Modernized AFE process

Current Scenario

Our client an independent oil and gas exploration and production (E&P) company with a regional focus on the North Sea, North Africa, and Southeast Asia, was following a manual (paper based) process for AFE approval which was time & effort intensive and were facing difficulty with traceability and circulation of document

» Each country was processing 400 to 500 AFEs manually

» Each AFE was taking 2 to 3 weeks due to manual (paper based) process

PAIN POINTS

☞ Tedious, labour-intensive manual paper based AFE process which requires physical document circulation for approvals from various personnel

☞ Lack of visibility into status & delay in communication.

☞ Siloed Data available in paper / excel formats, difficult to integrate with ERP systems

☞ Opaque processes for all parties involved

☞ Lack of notifications and reminders.

☞ Lack of confidence in data due to manual entries in the SAP system.

Solution

Using the proven arm for Azure and Power Platform, we deployed solution in a quick span of time and reduced the manual effort required for approval flows.

Features:

» Digital form to submit the AFE form and dashboard view with filters.

» The level of approval is optimized by configuring workflows based on the amount (as per the DOA).

» Usage of the application also brings in transparency for the approval process, as to whom and when the AFE is currently assigned. With easy follow up

» Users can easily trace historical AFE's they have been part of, which was difficult earlier.

» Mail notification when an AFE is assigned for quick action.

» Delegation process when approver/reviewer is on-leave or not available

» The application is multi-lingual.

BUSINESS OUTCOMES

Business Results

50% Time Savings (no more physical document circulation across departments)

80% faster response times for AFE approvals.

Immediate visibility to delays/bottlenecks in approvals.

7X Paper Savings

100% transparency in the AFE approval process.

Auditing visibility for accountability.

Technology driven results

100% accuracy in MMR details fed into SAP.

100% traceability in the complete process.

Save Time & improve efficiency.

Mobile ready with **offline capability.**

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