This document is work around reference to below error when geth network interacts with ethjsonrpc python client.

Hexastring without 0x prefix:

BadResponseError: {u'jsonrpc': u'2.0', u'id': 1, u'error': {u'message': u'invalid argument 0: json: cannot unmarshal hex string without 0x prefix into Go struct field CallArgs.data of type hexutil.Bytes', u'code': -32602}}

Pre-requisites:

- 1. Make sure python ethjsonrpc is installed .If not installed, refer to below link. https://github.com/ConsenSys/ethjsonrpc
- 2. Eth_utils module is installed . If not installed installed refer to below link. <u>https://github.com/ethereum/eth-utils</u>

Steps to copy the modify ethjsonrpc python client.

- 1. Copy the attached tar.zip file to your system and and untar it .
- tar -xvf ethjsonrpc_with_fix.tar
- 2. Copy the client.py file to ~/.local/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ethjsonrpc/client.py location.
 - 3. In your python code use below import eth_utils and add_0x_prefix function from eth_utils import add_0x_prefix

And adding it when required contract_tx = c.create_contract(c.eth_coinbase(), add_0x_prefix(compiled), gas=300000) for example