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Contract

Contract for the provision of Logistics

NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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I.6) Main activity

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Contract for the provision of Logistics

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 63122000 - Warehousing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Northern Gas Networks are seeking a logistics provider to support its daily operations

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Main site or place of performance

Within Northern Gas Networks operational region

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Following expiry of their existing logistics contract which expires in July 2023, Northern Gas Networks seeks to establish a contract with a single supplier by January 2023 to provide logistics management to support NGNs daily operations ensuring a fast and efficient service. In awarding the contract 6 months ahead of expiry will allow for any mobilisation / de-mobilisation and TUPE requirements to be complete, should this be required.

The awarding supplier will be responsible for the central purchasing, storage and distribution of stock for Northern Gas Networks and will be expected to provide and deliver the following as a minimum:

A suitable warehouse facility - This must be located within NGN's geographic area (as shown on the map below)

Warehouse access for NGN personnel, for a minimum of 51 weeks per annum, 5 days a week from Monday to Friday 7am - 5pm, with the facility to provide out of hours emergency support outside of the dedicated days and hours stated above

Warehouse management and associated staff

Distribution facility - Centralised delivery system to NGN depots and occasionally direct to site.

Gas Meter management & distribution

Materials planning

Stock level optimisation

Stock profiling

Vendor performance reporting

Integrated supplier collection service using dedicated fleet

Circa £2m of stock management

The Logistics Contractor shall be expected to order all goods from Framework Agreements with a range of NGN contracted suppliers

Support NGN Accounts Payable team with any invoice queries.

Support the onboarding of additional work streams to the existing materials management processes

Provide logistics support and solutions to the business as required

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Non-Commercial / Weighting: 40%

Cost criterion - Name: Pricing Schedule / Weighting: 50%

Cost criterion - Name: Legal / Weighting: 10%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The proposed contract will be awarded for an initial term of 3 years with the option to extend the contract for a further 5 x 1-year periods thereafter taking the potential contract expiry to 2031

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a periodic indicative notice

The contracting entity will not award any further contracts based on the above periodic indicative notice

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

15 December 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Ceva Logistics Limited

Leicestershire

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

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The contractor is an SME

No

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Gas Networks

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom