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Award

Contract for the provision of Leakage Repair Products

NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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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 Leakage Repair Products

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 39812500 - Sealants

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Leakage repair sealants are widely utilised within the NGN operational network to repair

mains gas pipes. The current contract expires shortly but due to the new BSI standards being in the early stages of use, a new tender event has not been undertaken to allow time for NGN to understand the best approach to leakage repair sealants to allow for a meaningful tender event to take place in circa 6-7 months time. Therefor NGN are seeking to extend the current contract that's in place with multiple suppliers for a 13 month period, until the new tender is complete and awarded.

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

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

NGN are unable to award the contract at present as the British Standards Institution (BSI) have only just published some of the standards for the correct products and methods of leakage repair application, NGN require time and consultation to understand the new standards to allow for a meaningful and robust tender strategy/scope to be written.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 January 2023

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Gas Networks

Leeds

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United Kingdom