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Contract

OEM - On-train Wi-Fi Support & Maintenance

Transport for Wales Rail Limited (Utility Buyer)

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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UKL - Wales

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Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA80566

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.6) Main activity

Railway services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

OEM - On-train Wi-Fi Support & Maintenance

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

OEM - Hardware Support & Maintenance Agreement

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Direct award for a new support and maintenance contract with Icomera UK Limited which encompasses the existing legacy fleet and also the introduction of the new CAF and Stadler Fleet. Both train manufacturers have contracted with Icomera to supply and install the Icomera kit to provide passenger Wi-Fi and also an additional router on some of the new fleets for other onboard train systems. TFWRL therefore require a Support & Maintenance contract for delivery into service

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: 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 works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

A new support and maintenance contract has been agreed with Icomera UK Limited which encompasses the existing legacy fleet and also the introduction of the new CAF and Stadler Fleet. Both CAF and Stadler have contracted with Icomera to supply and install the Icomera hardware to provide passenger Wi-Fi and also an additional router on some of the new fleets for other onboard train systems. Therefore, TFWRL require a support & maintenance agreement to be in place with the Wi-Fi OEM for delivery into service. The hardware is configured by Icomera to their specifications and managed by an Icomera central system

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

1 February 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Icomera UK Ltd

Victory House, Quayside, Chatham Marina

Chatham

ME44QU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ41 - Medway

The contractor is an SME

No

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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