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Tender

EC0974 High Voltage (HV) Switching, Maintenance and Authorisation Service Contract

University Of Edinburgh

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00107

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

EC0974 High Voltage (HV) Switching, Maintenance and Authorisation Service Contract

Reference number

EC0974

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University wishes to appoint a HV Services Contractor for a High Voltage (HV) Switching, Maintenance and Authorisation Service Contract, including annual maintenance, call outs and remedial works, system modifications or major/minor upgrades/replacements and additional associated services. Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details of the scope.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £750,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50530000 - Repair and maintenance services of machinery
- 50532000 - Repair and maintenance services of electrical machinery, apparatus and associated equipment
- 50532400 - Repair and maintenance services of electrical distribution equipment
- 50532200 - Repair and maintenance services of transformers
- 31214000 - Switchgear
- 45315400 - High voltage installation work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 80

Price - Weighting: 20

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This Contract is for a period of 3 years, with the option to extend for up to two years (3+1+1).

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

SPD Part IV: Selection criteria - A: Suitability – Question 4A.2

Bidders must confirm that they are the following:

- NERS accredited to at least 33kV
- An Independent Connection Provider

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Part IV: Selection criteria - B: Economic and financial standing – Question 4B1.1 (turnover requirement), 4B5.1 and 4B5.2 (insurance requirements), and 4B6 (other requirements).

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Question 4B1.1

Tenderers are required to have a minimum “general” annual turnover of GBP 300,000 for the last three financial years. Where turnover information is not available for the time period requested, the bidder will be required to state the date which they were set up/started trading in question 4B3

Question 4B5.1 and 4B5.2

Tenderers are required to hold, or commit to obtaining prior to the commencement of any subsequently awarded contract, the types and levels of insurance indicated below:

- Employer’s Liability Insurance: GBP 5,000,000
- Public Liability Insurance: GBP 2,000,000
- Professional Indemnity Insurance: GBP 1,000,000

Question 4B6

SPD 4B.6 Statement 1 (PCG):

Where the bidder is providing a submission on behalf of a subsidiary company, upon request, the bidder must obtain a Parent Company Guarantee prior to commencement of any subsequently awarded contract.

SPD 4B.6 Statement 2 (Financial Strength):

Bidders will be required to provide adequate assurance of financial strength to successfully complete their contractual obligations.

Bidders must be able to provide upon request, their 3 most recent sets of annual audited accounts, including profit and loss information, and the following ratios:

- Current Ratio
- Quick Ratio
- Debtors Turnover Ratio
- Return on Assets
- Working Capital
- Debt to Equity Ratio
- Gross Profit Ratio

A review of your ratios and audited accounts may be undertaken. In some cases this review may lead to an additional request for further financial information to help clarify any potential issues raised.

This information may be used to assess financial sustainability.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Part IV: Selection criteria - C: Technical and Professional Ability – Question 4C1.2 and 4C10

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Question 4C1.2

Bidders will be required to provide three relevant examples of services carried out during the past three years that demonstrate that you have relevant experience to deliver the services described in the Contract Notice. Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

Question 4C10

Bidders will be required to confirm whether they intend to subcontract and, if so, for what proportion of the contract.

Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

6 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

6 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: Early 2028

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) Additional information

SPD Part IV: Selection criteria - D: Quality Assurance Schemes & Environmental Management Standards– Question 4D1 and 4D2

4D1 Statement 1 Quality Management:

The bidder must hold a UKAS (or equivalent) accredited independent third party certificate of compliance in accordance with BS EN ISO 9001 (or equivalent). If the bidder does not hold this, then the bidder must have equivalent, regulated reviewed documented policy and processes. Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

4D1 Statement 2 Health and Safety:

The bidder must hold a UKAS (or equivalent), accredited independent third party certificate of compliance in accordance with BS OHSAS 18001/ ISO 45001 (or equivalent) or have, within the last 12 months, successfully met the assessment requirements of a construction-related scheme in registered membership of the Safety Schemes in Procurement (SSIP) forum. If the bidder does not hold this, then the bidder must have equivalent, regulated reviewed documented policy and processes. Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

4D2 Statement Environmental Management System:

The Bidder must hold a UKAS (or equivalent) accredited independent third party certificate of compliance with BS EN ISO 14001 (or equivalent) or a valid EMAS (or equivalent) certificate. If the bidder does not hold this, then the bidder must have

equivalent, regulated reviewed documented policy and processes. Please refer to the ITT tender documents for full details.

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 23649. For more information see:

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343>

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Edinburgh Sheriff Court

Sheriff Court House, 27 Chambers Street,

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom