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Contract

# C348 - Supply of 300kV Current Transformers

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

F20: Modification notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-007734

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044765

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# Section I: Contracting authority/entity

# I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

120 Malone Road.

Belfast

BT9 5HT

#### Contact

Ruadhrai O'Kane

#### **Email**

Ruadhrai.OKane@nienetworks.co.uk

# Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.nienetworks.co.uk

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

C348 - Supply of 300kV Current Transformers

Reference number

C348

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 31170000 - Transformers

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

# II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

C348 - Supply of 300kV Current Transformers

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

Northern Ireland

# II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

The supply of 300kV Current Transformers for NIE Networks' distribution and transmission network for a period of 5 years subject to satisfactory performance review, with an option, entirely at the discretion of the contracting entity, to extend for the period by a further 2 years.

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

Duration in months

84

### 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.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract

Notice number: 2019/S 026-058778

# Section V. Award of contract/concession

#### **Contract No**

C348

Title

C348 - Supply of 300kV Current Transformers

# V.2) Award of contract/concession

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

8 January 2019

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

# V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Pfiffner Instrument Transformers Ltd	
Lindenplatz 17	
Hirschthal	

5042

Country

Switzerland

**NUTS** code

• CH - Switzerland

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract; excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £2,000,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

120 Malone Road

Belfast

BT9 5HT

Country

**United Kingdom** 

## VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland

Royal Courts of Justice, Chichester Street

Belfast

BT1 3JF

Country

**United Kingdom** 

# Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

# VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

• 31170000 - Transformers

## VII.1.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** code

• UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

Northern Ireland

#### VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

The supply of 300kV Current Transformers for NIE Networks' distribution and transmission network for a period of 5 years subject to satisfactory performance review, with an option, entirely at the discretion of the contracting entity, to extend for the period by a further 2 years.

# VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Duration in months

84

## VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£2,560,000

## VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Pfiffner Instrument Transformers Ltd

Lindenplatz 17

Hirschthal

5042

Country

Switzerland

**NUTS** code

CH - Switzerland

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

# VII.2) Information about modifications

### VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

NIE Networks requires additional 300kV Current Transformers from the incumbent supplier primarily due to increased requirements in excess of the forecast at the time of the published Contract Award Notice. Furthermore, due to significant lead times it is necessary for NIE Networks to place orders to ensure continued supplies of these units, which are critical to maintain operations, until the award of the new procurement process. This procurement process will commence in 2024.

# VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

NIE Networks requires additional 300kV Current Transformers from the incumbent supplier primarily due to increased requirements in excess of the forecast at the time of the published Contract Award Notice. Furthermore, due to significant lead times it is necessary for NIE Networks to place orders to ensure continued supplies of these units, which are critical to maintain operations, until the award of the new procurement process. This procurement process will commence in 2024.

# VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptions and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £2,000,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £2,560,000