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Contract

Vision 2030 Partner Framework

EirGrid Plc

F20: Modification notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044c0e

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

EirGrid Plc

The Oval, 160 Shelbourne Road

Dublin

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Email

tenders@eirgrid.com

Country

Ireland

NUTS code

IE - Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.eirgrid.com>

Buyer's address

https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA43172

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Vision 2030 Partner Framework

Reference number

ENQEIR741

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- IE061 - Dublin

Main site or place of performance

Dublin

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

the provision of consultancy advisory services, technical and economic studies, technical consulting and managed services under a multi-party supplier framework agreement.

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

Duration in months

60

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: [2021/S 212-559805](#)

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

1

Title

Vision 2030 Partner Framework

V.2) Award of contract/concession

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

19 October 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract/concession has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

DNV GL Netherlands B.V.

Arnhem

Country

Netherlands

NUTS code

- NL226 - Arnhem/Nijmegen

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Guidehouse Netherlands B.V.

Utrecht

Country

Netherlands

NUTS code

- NL31 - Utrecht

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

AFRY Management Consulting Limited

Oxford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Power System Consultants UK LimitedNational

Warwick

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

RTE INTERNATIONAL

Paris

Country

France

NUTS code

- FR101 - Paris

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Stantec UK Limited

Warrington

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

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

WSP UK Ltd

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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Accenture Limited

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Country

Ireland

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Enzen Global Ltd.

Solihull

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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Smith Institute

Guildford

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

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Ernst & Young

Dublin

Country

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Ireland

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- IE061 - Dublin

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Mott MacDonald

Dublin

Country

Ireland

NUTS code

- IE061 - Dublin

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Powertech Labs, Inc.

Surrey

Country

Canada

NUTS code

- CA - Canada

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

CESI

Milan

Country

Italy

NUTS code

- ITC4C - Milano

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: 45,500,000 EUR

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(MT Ref:231465)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Review Service

Cabinet Office

London

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit>

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- IE061 - Dublin

Main site or place of performance

Dublin

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

the provision of consultancy advisory services, technical and economic studies, technical consulting and managed services under a multi-party supplier framework agreement

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

Duration in months

60

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

45,500,000 EUR

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

DNV GL

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Utrecht

Country

Netherlands

NUTS code

- NL - Netherlands

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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):

Increase in Framework Value for Vision 2030 Framework

EirGrid Group employs the Vision 2030 framework which is required for Strategic Partners to deliver the Governments' ambition under the Climate Action Plan and Northern Ireland Energy Strategy.

Shaping Our Electricity Future programme which is the roadmap for delivering on the Governments' ambition will face significant delivery challenges given the scale of transformation and the level of delivery that will be required. It is estimated that further renewable generation capacity as well as increased interconnection, conventional generation, storage solutions and additional system services will be required to support the 2030 targets and the demand increases anticipated on the island. Key strategic partnerships play a pivotal role in enabling us to achieve this transformation of the power system on the island of Ireland. The delivery of changes has exceeded the amount originally required and an increase in the framework value is required.

It is essential that the framework is now uplifted to ensure the delivery of these projects.

Review Body

The High Court

Dublin

Ireland

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire.

Description of the economic or technical reasons and the inconvenience or duplication of cost preventing a change of contractor:

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire (Art. 43(1)(b) of Directive 2014/23/EU, Art. 72(1)(b) of Directive 2014/24/EU, Art. 89(1)(b) of Directive 2014/25/EU)

Art. 89(1)(c) of Directive 2014/25/EU)

As noted above, the Vision 2030 framework agreement is used by the EirGrid Group to deliver on the Governments' ambition under the Climate Action Plan and Northern Ireland Energy Strategy 2022.

The procurement of this framework agreement was aligned with the Government's initial target of 70% of renewable energy by 2030. In 2022, the Government decided to accelerate on the delivery of this goal by increasing this target to 80% by 2030.

This change in Government policy was not foreseen by the EirGrid Group when the framework agreement was awarded. Thus, order to deliver on the Government's revised ambitious target an increase of the framework value is required.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

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

Value excluding VAT: 45,500,000 EUR

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: 68,250,000 EUR