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# STC1155 Provision of Critical Services

The Corporate Officer of the House of Lords and the Corporate Officer of the House of Commons, acting jointly

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

The Corporate Officer of the House of Lords and the Corporate Officer of the House of Commons, acting jointly

The Parliamentary Estate

London

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKI32 - Westminster

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://in-tendhost.co.uk/parliamentuk

## I.3) Communication

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

http://in-tendhost.co.uk/parliamentuk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

http://in-tendhost.co.uk/parliamentuk

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

STC1155 Provision of Critical Services

Reference number

STC1155

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79417000 - Safety consultancy services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The supplier will be required to manage the assessments, appointment and reappointment of new and existing Authorised Persons (AP's) using the current Safety Rules to ensure on-going compliance. The disciplines involved include HV; LV (complex systems and generation); Steam and Pressure Systems; Confined Spaces; POL (35 second fuel oil); work at height and on roofs; and access to and work in confined and restricted spaces. They will also undertake audits of the AP's and the use of the safety documentation and report to Parliamentary Estates stating how compliantly it is being operated and managed and identifying aspects requiring improvement. The Authorised Engineers will review recent examples of safety documentation raised by AP's and will report on these in terms of their accuracy completeness and adequacy to meet the requirements of the Safety Rules. The appointed Consultancy will also undertake a fundamental review of the existing Safety Rules, Procedures, Permit to Work System

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79417000 - Safety consultancy services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKI32 - Westminster

Main site or place of performance

Parliamentary Estate, London SW1

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The supplier will be required to manage the assessments, appointment and reappointment of new and existing Authorised Persons (AP's) using the current Safety Rules to ensure on-going compliance. The disciplines involved include HV; LV (complex systems and generation); Steam and Pressure Systems; Confined Spaces; POL (35) second fuel oil); work at height and on roofs; and access to and work in confined and restricted spaces. They will also undertake audits of the AP's and the use of the safety documentation and report to Parliamentary Estates stating how compliantly it is being operated and managed and identifying aspects requiring improvement. The Authorised Engineers will review recent examples of safety documentation raised by AP's and will report on these in terms of their accuracy completeness and adequacy to meet the requirements of the Safety Rules. The appointed Consultancy will also undertake a fundamental review of the existing Safety Rules, Procedures, Permit to Work Systems and documentation. It is anticipated that this review will identify changes to the Safety Rules, Documentation and Procedures and result in them being more consistent and easier to use. The forms and supplementary documents by which are an integral part of the system documentation are also to be reviewed.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £425,000

#### 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

From January 2027

# 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 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

27 May 2022

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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

27 May 2022

Local time

12:00am

Place

Parliamentary Estate

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: From 2027

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom**