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Tender

FW Works - Underground Cable, Substation and Overhead Line Large Capital Delivery Projects - Scotland 1132

Scottish Hydro Electric Power Distribution plc

F05: Contract notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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UK - United Kingdom

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I.3) Communication

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

<https://sse.app.jaggaer.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://sse.app.jaggaer.com/>

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I.6) Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

FW Works - Underground Cable, Substation and Overhead Line Large Capital Delivery Projects - Scotland 1132

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45314300 - Installation of cable infrastructure

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Scottish Hydro Electric Power Distribution (SHEPD, the Authority) intends to award framework agreements to contractors who have the necessary capability, capacity, and expertise to Design & Build Underground Cabling, Substation & OHL Schemes within the SHEPD regions as detailed within the procurement documents.

Action to address the climate emergency is increasing in priority and pace and with aggressive pathways now set to deliver a net zero energy system by 2035, SHEPD must ensure that the electricity networks are an enabler for a smart, equitable transition to net zero, rather than a constraint. The recent RIIO ED2 settlement, acknowledges the need for investment the networks and reconciles this with ensuring efficiency and affordability for all.

This significant programme of work within CAPEX & Connections amalgamates several scopes of work that SHEPD has traditionally delivered under separate contractual arrangements, including but not limited to substation, overhead line, cabling, civil works, design, associated services and works.

We are seeking long-term strategic partners to deliver our ambitious RIIO-ED2 Business Plan, play a significant role in our transition to net-zero and deliver great outcomes for our customers by driving efficiency through innovation, development of new technology and products, development of skills and supporting the growth of a locally sourced skilled workforce within our sector. This strategy is underpinned by the intention to award frameworks based on the geographical lotting (as set out in the procurement documents), removing the need for mini competition, to provide commitment to our delivery partners to facilitate growth. An initial view of our work bank is available as part of the PQQ pack.

Given the considerable growth within SHEPD it is the intention of this tender to enhance our supply chain and engage with contractors that can commit to our ambition who will collaborate with us in our delivery of the RIIO-ED2 Business plan and beyond.

How to register your interest

The Pre-Qualification Questionnaire documents (Underground Cable, Substation and Overhead Line Large Capital Delivery Projects - PQQ Questions) can be downloaded from www.sse.com/potential-suppliers (Call for Competition drop down).

Should you wish to participate in this PQQ, please email Michael.Cooney@sse.com and Paul.Towert@sse.com and confirm your request to be invited to respond to the PQQ. Please advise if you are are/are not registered on Jaggaer.

If your company is already registered on Jaggaer, please contact Michael.Cooney@sse.com and Paul.Towert@sse.com by email to register interest, you will be added to the event and a confirmation email will be sent to you, confirming the usernames registered to your Jaggaer account.

If your company is not already registered on Jaggaer, please contact Michael.Cooney@sse.com and Paul.Towert@sse.com with the name of your company and contact email address. We will start the registration process for you and you will receive an invitation by email to complete this.

Once you have completed the registration, please let us know and we will activate your account, following which you will be able to access and complete the PQQ.

You will then be added to the PQQ event within our Jaggaer procurement system which can be accessed through the link already provided.

Any queries should be sent to the above email addresses unless you have been added to the Jaggaer event, in which case queries should be sent through the Jaggaer messaging system.

Full details of the opportunity can be found at <https://sse.app.jaggaer.com/>

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £470,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 9

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

SC Argyll & West

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45314300 - Installation of cable infrastructure

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

High level scope of work:

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- Works associated with substation, cabling, OHL and civils.
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- Support with and management of necessary access requirements including, consenting, wayleaves, local access negotiations,
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- Interface management and negotiation with external stakeholders including Local authorities, landowners, and customers.
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- Activities as required during storms and other times

II.2.5) Award criteria

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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

3 x 1 year Optional years

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

H&I - Sutherland & Caithness

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

NC - Aberdeen

Lot No

4

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II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

NC - Moray

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45314300 - Installation of cable infrastructure

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Orkney

Lot No

6

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II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Shetland

Lot No

7

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

SC - Perthshire & Tayside

Lot No

8

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Lot No

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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

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Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 9

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

9 May 2024

Local time

5:00pm

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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