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Contract

Scotland's Railway Slabtrack Repair & Maintenance Framework

Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.6) Main activity

Railway services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Scotland's Railway Slabtrack Repair & Maintenance Framework

Reference number

SCOT/24-25/038

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45234100 - Railway construction works

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Scotland's Railway Slabtrack Repair & Maintenance Framework between Network Rail and one Contractor will deliver repair and maintenance works for the 18 miles of slabtrack across Scotland's Railway. The Contractor shall be required to respond to call outs within the below timescales:

Urgent Response: Attend within 24 hours of Instruction

Route Maintenance: Attend within 7 days of Instruction

Programmed: As stated in Contract Order

The framework encompasses a broad range of slabtrack-related tasks on and around the railway

infrastructure. Key activities include:

- General Slabtrack Works: All trades related to slabtrack, including track fixings and sub-structure work.
- Inspection and Assessment Support: Enabling works to facilitate inspections and assessments.
- Urgent Response: Capability to address urgent situations promptly and respond within 24 hours.
- Design Work: Involvement in design tasks as required.
- Logistical Support: Booking possessions, isolations, and road closures, as well as managing materials stockholding and transportation.
- Surveys and Testing: Conducting surveys and laboratory testing as needed.
- Inspection and Testing: Conduct suitable inspection and testing of works in line with railway

standards.

The framework shall have no committed spend however, it is estimated that there shall be approximately £30 million (including options and headroom) worth of works awarded via this contract over the lifespan of the framework.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £30,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Procurement of a framework to carry out repair and maintenance works of Network Rail's slabtrack asset across Scotland.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical & Resource / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Safety / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability & Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Schedule of Rates / Weighting: 40

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This Framework Agreement may be extended for an additional 2 years with 2 No. 1 Year options at Network Rail's sole discretion. Maximum duration of 6 years (4+1+1).

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

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

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

SCOT/24-25/038

Title

Scotland's Railway Slabtrack Repair & Maintenance Framework

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 January 2026

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Aureos Rail Limited

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £30,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Court of Session

Edinburgh

Country

United Kingdom