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## **Purchase, Service & Calibration of Fusion Boxes**

NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

This Contract is for the purchase of Electrofusion Boxes and associated spares, along with the servicing/calibration and repair of the equipment.

Caldervale Electrofusion Boxes are already in use across the Network and are critically important pieces of equipment that assist Northern Gas operations on the Network. Used in daily operations to allow the operatives to connect PE pipes and fittings together using a heated fusion process.

Northern Gas are unable to tender this equipment due to the Caldervale preloaded/inbuilt software which manages Northern Gases joint management/compliance system for electrofusion joints through Calder Safe technology.

New Electrofusion Boxes may be purchased over the lifetime of the contract for replacement of equipment beyond economical repair or if there are future demands for new equipment on the Network.

### **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

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## **Framework**

### **Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

0%

### **Contracting authorities that may use the framework**

Establishing party only

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## **Contract 1. Purchase, Service & Calibration of Fusion Boxes**

### **Supplier**

- [CALDERVALE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED](#)

### **Contract value**

- £1,500,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

31 March 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Contract may be extended beyond the expiry date for 2 (two) x 1 (one) year periods

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **Additional procurement category**

Goods

## **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Alternative/updated models (plus spare parts) which are not current stated in contract, but would utilise the Caldervale preloaded/inbuilt software.

## **CPV classifications**

- 42662100 - Electric welding equipment
- 50433000 - Calibration services

## **Contract locations**

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD1 - Cumbria
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

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## **Other information**

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

### **Special regime**

Utilities

## **Direct award justification**

- Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights
- Single supplier - technical reasons

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## **Supplier**

### **CALDERVALE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED**

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDWQ-1278-WZLT

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Dewsbury

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Email: [info@caldertech.com](mailto:info@caldertech.com)

Region: UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### **NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED**

- Companies House: 05167070
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRNB-9357-PVLR

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Colton Leeds

LS15 8TU

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@northerngas.co.uk](mailto:procurement@northerngas.co.uk)

Region: UKE42 - Leeds

Organisation type: Private utility