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Contract

## **FW Services - Compensatory Planting - Scotland 1031**

Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission plc

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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### **Section I: Contracting entity**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.ssen-transmission.co.uk/>

**I.6) Main activity**

Electricity

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

FW Services - Compensatory Planting - Scotland 1031

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 77231600 - Afforestation services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc (SHET, the Authority) has awarded framework agreements to contractors who have the necessary capacity, capability, and expertise to deliver compensatory planting schemes.

Significant expansion in renewable generation in the SHET network area has driven a need to undertake a series of network reinforcement and expansion projects to increase capacity and improve network security. This work includes the building and rebuilding of Transmission overhead lines, the development of grid substations, converter stations and underground cable systems.

Due to the extent of this project portfolio, forestry is inevitably affected, and woodland removal is required in project areas to facilitate the construction and reinforcement of Transmission infrastructure. In response to this a significant volume of compensatory planting will be required. Compensatory planting will be required to support projects under RIIO T2, ASTI and RIIO T3.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 77211600 - Tree seeding

- 77231000 - Forestry management services
- 77231100 - Forest resources management services
- 77231800 - Forest nursery management services
- 77310000 - Planting and maintenance services of green areas
- 77315000 - Seeding services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Compensatory planting across the Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc network area.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50%

Price - Weighting: 50%

### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-027137](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

1

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

8 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Bidwells LLP

Cambridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

2

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

29 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Cawdor Forestry Limited

Cawdor

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

3

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

11 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

RTS Limited

Crief

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes



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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

16 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Scottish Woodlands Limited

Edinburgh

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

5

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

25 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Tilhill Forestry Ltd

Altrincham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

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