

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/014509-2021>

Contract

Supply of phase identification unit testing equipment

SSE PLC

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-014509

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02c020

Published 25 June 2021, 11:54am

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

SSE PLC

Inveralmond House, 200 Dunkeld Road

PERTH

PH13AQ

Contact

Chris Harvey

Email

christopher.harvey@sse.com

Telephone

+44 7826706121

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.sse.com

I.6) Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object**II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

Supply of phase identification unit testing equipment

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 31682500 - Emergency electricity equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply of phase identification units for investigating low voltage faults.

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: £490,075

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of testing units plus 5 year service agreement

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

There is only one piece of equipment that allows an operative to establish the connected phase and power status without having to connect to the network or enter a customer's property. The PIU also provides other functions that provides other information about our network. We would be unable to fulfil the business as usual ambitions without this product. There are no alternative providers who can offer an equivalent product.

As part of the requirements to gain funding through the Network Innovation Allowance process it is a prerequisite that there cannot be a solution already in place. This is also checked by other DNO's as part of the 10-day review process.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 June 2021

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

SSE Plc

Perth

Country

United Kingdom