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Planning

CP7 Independent Reporter Framework

Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

CP7 Independent Reporter Framework

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79200000 - Accounting, auditing and fiscal services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of this Prior Information Notice is to inform the market that Network Rail are

intending to commence an Occasional joint procurement with Office of Rail and Road for the creation of the CP7 Independent Reporter Framework.

The Independent Reporter Framework sets the criteria for a supplier to be qualified to bid to undertake an Independent Reporter review. The Independent Reporter will work in a collaborative manner with ORR and NR and remain impartial throughout any review. The findings will be reported back to ORR and NR upon completion.

The new Framework will consist of five (5) Lots, and each Lot will contain a minimum of one (1) and a maximum of three (3) Independent Reporters who are qualified to bid for contracts. The Lots available are as follows:

1. Analytical Support
2. Programme, project and cost management & consultancy
3. Asset Management and engineering & environmental matters
4. Railway operations and performance management
5. Efficiency and financial reporting.

It is expected that the Pre Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) will be publish in June and will run for four (4) weeks.

The PQQ will consist of the following envelope weighting:

Qualification: Pass Fail

Technical: 90%

Commercial: 10%

The ITT will consist of the following envelope weighting:

Technical: 70%

Commercial: 30%

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £9,800,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Analytical Support

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72316000 - Data analysis services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Analytical support, focusing on appropriate use of sensitive data and data quality.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Programme, Project, and Cost Management

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72224000 - Project management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Programme, project and cost management assessments in large infrastructure organisations

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Asset management and engineering and environmental matters

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71311230 - Railway engineering services
- 71313000 - Environmental engineering consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Asset management, engineering and environmental sustainability reviews.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Railway Operations and Performance Management

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71311230 - Railway engineering services
- 79313000 - Performance review services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Performance management and operational reviews within the rail industry.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Efficiency and Financial Reporting

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 66171000 - Financial consultancy services
- 79212100 - Financial auditing services
- 79212500 - Accounting review services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Financial reviews on efficiency improvements, financial risks and recommendations on improvements.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

6 January 2025

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No