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Tender

Supply of Class 158 & Class 159 USB-C At Seat Power Material

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY LIMITED

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Scope

Description

South Western Railway Limited (SWRL) is planning to install at seat power for customers within standard and first-class accommodation within its Class 158 and 159 fleet as part of the wider ongoing project to refurbish this fleet.

The purpose of this modification is to make at seat power within first class more accessible along with the addition of USB-C charging and to introduce USB-C charging facilities for the first time to standard class and a minimum of one USB-C outlet for the non-driving side of each cab.

This is a Supply of Goods requirement. The headline requirements are as follows:

A minimum of one USB-C outlet per seat for both standard and first class;

A minimum of one USB-C outlet for the non-driving side of each cab;

The wheelchair bays shall have both USB-C and 230V outlets.

No minimum order quantity for spares.

As a business we have decided to bring the Works element of installation in house but still require the goods to be procured.

Total value (estimated)

- £600,000 excluding VAT
- £720,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 22 May 2026 to 21 May 2031
- Possible extension to 22 May 2032
- 6 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Extension option available in case of delay to wider C6 refurbishment project.

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

If additional Goods are required for the wider C6 Refurbishment project SWRL reserves the right to add to the scope.

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 30237132 - Universal Serial Bus (USB) Interfaces
- 30237280 - Power supply accessories
- 31224100 - Plugs and sockets

Contract locations

- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

As detailed in Tender Pack/ Documentation.

Technical ability conditions of participation

As detailed in Tender Pack/ Documentation.

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

30 March 2026, 11:59pm

Tender submission deadline

10 April 2026, 2:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://swrl.medius-s2c.com/S2C/DisplayModules/TradeModules/Negotiations/Opportunities/ViewOpportunityEvent.aspx?EventID=4563&Culture=en-GB>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

22 May 2026

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type
Price per quality points	As detailed in Tender Pack/ Documentation.	Quality

Weighting description

Price per quality points. As detailed in Tender Pack/ Documentation.

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Utilities

Documents

Associated tender documents

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Once you have expressed an interest through the above link, the full tender pack/documentation will be released to you.

Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public undertaking (commercial organisation subject to public authority)

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