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Contract

## **FW Services - Forestry Projects and Tree Felling - Multi Site 0927**

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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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

SC213461

**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 - Forestry Projects and Tree Felling - Multi Site 0927

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 77200000 - Forestry services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Framework for Forestry Projects, Tree Felling, Operational Tree Cutting and Tree Maintenance.

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

**II.2) Description**

**II.2.1) Title**

## Lot 1 Forestry Projects and Tree Felling

Lot No

1

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

- 77200000 - Forestry services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission plc (the Authority) is the licensed operator for the electricity transmission network in the north of Scotland. In-line with the UK Government policy, the objectives of Net Zero decarbonisation and significant expansion in renewable generation in this 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, rebuilding and upgrade 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.

To address this, the Authority has awarded a framework for the delivery of woodland removal/felling services to support a proposed significant programme of capital projects.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 Operational Tree Cutting and Maintenance

Lot No

2

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

- 77200000 - Forestry services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

The Authority has awarded a framework agreement for Vegetation Management services to maintain a compliant network in accordance with the Electricity Safety, Quality and Continuity Regulations (ESQCR) including network resilience as defined within Energy Networks Association Engineering Technical Report 132.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

### **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**

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

#### **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: [2021/S 000-000004](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 Forestry Projects and Tree Felling

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

4 June 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

EUROFOREST LIMITED

Carlisle

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

**Lot No**

1

**Title**

Lot 1 Forestry Projects and Tree Felling

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

29 May 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

FUTURE FORESTRY LTD

Alford

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

**Lot No**

1

**Title**

Lot 1 Forestry Projects and Tree Felling

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

3 June 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

RTS LIMITED

Crieff

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

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 Forestry Projects and Tree Felling



A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

30 May 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Lot 2 Operational Tree Cutting and Maintenance

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

29 May 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 4

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

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

FUTURE FORESTRY LTD

Alford

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**

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### **Lot No**

2

## **Title**

Lot 2 Operational Tree Cutting and Maintenance

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

5 June 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 4

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

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

SMERDON TREE SERVICES (STS) LIMITED

Treharris

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**

7

### **Lot No**

2

## **Title**

Lot 2 Operational Tree Cutting and Maintenance

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

30 May 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 4

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**

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**Lot No**

2

**Title**

Lot 2 Operational Tree Cutting and Maintenance

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract****V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

30 May 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

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

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

WEST CONTRACT SERVICES LIMITED

Portree

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Plc

Perth

Country

United Kingdom