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Tender

Distribution Flexibility Services

Northern Powergrid

F05: Contract notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://berkshirehathawayenergy-npg.app.jaggaer.com/esop/upv-host/public/berkshirehathawayenergy/npg/login.jst>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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I.6) Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Distribution Flexibility Services

Reference number

NPg19295_2022

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 65310000 - Electricity distribution

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Northern Powergrid aims to develop a market for local flexibility, giving its customers the opportunity to take an active part in the energy system by using their energy resources to support the network, and be compensated for it. Northern Powergrid hopes to make use of DER's that can import or export energy, and of its customers' ability to reduce the amount of energy they are taking from the network. To help manage the network the Company wishes to contract with customers to turn up or turn down their electricity demand, generation and storage upon instruction from the Company.

As part of our commitment to roll out our customer flexibility strategy, our next step is to invite you to participate in Northern Powergrid's Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) for distribution flexibility services.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £5,700,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 09310000 - Electricity
- 31121000 - Generating sets

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

NPg's distribution regions

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The DPS will run to 31st December 2022 and initially cover 10 broad location, split down by post code, however we reserve the right to add more locations throughout the life of the DPS. Details of the locations of proposed locations requiring distribution flexibility service can be found on the Flexibility Website:

<https://www.flexiblepower.co.uk/locations/northern-powergrid/where-we-are-procuring>

The total spend is unknown however, following market research and internal analysis the DPS has an estimated value of up to £5,700,000 for the maximum life of the DPS.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 100

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £5,700,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

1 July 2022

End date

31 December 2023

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

1 December 2023

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Powergrid Internal Audit

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