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Contract

## **Business Strategy Services Framework**

CADENT GAS LIMITED

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-049749

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### **Section I: Contracting entity**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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Coventry

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#### **Telephone**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKG13 - Warwickshire

**Companies House**

10080864

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://cadentgas.com/>

**I.6) Main activity**

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Business Strategy Services Framework

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Cadent have an ambitious programme of activities underway, aimed at building the case for hydrogen to be used in our networks and more recently in making the case for the continued use of the gas network supporting, inter alia the adoption of hybrid heating systems, growth in biomethane and a significant reduction in leakage levels to the lowest levels in the sector.

While we believe hydrogen will have a key role to play in the future, for use in industry, transport and possibly in the heating of homes and businesses, the exact pathway to decarbonisation remains very uncertain.

Cadent seeks to maintain a leadership position externally on the transition to net zero and have a robust position internally on the implications of different pathways on the business.

The awarded suppliers will support our programme of activities with research and consultancy services.

#### **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: £16,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London

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

This contract award is for the provision of a Business Strategy Services Framework being conducted in accordance with the Open Procedure. This will follow the specifications in the Utilities Contracts Regulations 2016.

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to renew in 12 month increments

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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: [2024/S 000-027957](#)

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## **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**

1 April 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 35

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

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

AQUA CONSULTANTS LTD

Harrogate

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

06480615

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Bain & Company INC United Kingdom

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

FC014328

The contractor is an SME

No

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BARINGA PARTNERS LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

OC303471

The contractor is an SME

No

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CAPGEMINI UK PLC

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

00943935

The contractor is an SME

No



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ERNST & YOUNG LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

OC300001

The contractor is an SME

No

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I C S CONSULTING LIMITED

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

04092342

The contractor is an SME

No

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KPMG LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

OC301540

The contractor is an SME

No

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MCKINSEY & COMPANY INC UNITED KINGDOM

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

FC012665

The contractor is an SME

No

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PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

OC303525

The contractor is an SME

No

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SIA PARTNERS UK PLC

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

05884769

The contractor is an SME

No

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SKEWB LTD

Warwick

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

11253470

The contractor is an SME

No

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

THE BOSTON CONSULTING GROUP UK LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

OC359103

The contractor is an SME

No



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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Cadent Gas Limited

Coventry

Country

United Kingdom