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Tender

Scotland's Railway - Scotland Civils Framework

Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd

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://networkrail.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://networkrail.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.html>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.6) Main activity

Railway services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Scotland's Railway - Scotland Civils Framework

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45234100 - Railway construction works

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Scotland's Railway is running a procurement event that will engage four (4) contractors in the delivery of Structures Renewals, Buildings, Enhancement, Geotechnical and Drainage works, across Scotland. The procurement shall be awarded under a nil value NR30 Framework Commission Agreement and be separated into three lots.

The initial estimate of the value of works currently intended to be awarded under the Framework is approximately £900m over the effective period of the Framework. The Framework will be tendered as three lots with indicative values for the works to be included in each initial workbank of £100m (Lot A), £480m (Lot B) and £320m (Lot C).

Scotland's Railway has provided for a total Framework value of £1.3 billion, taking into account emerging work, additional design and unplanned or emergency works which are yet to be identified but which may become necessary during the effective period.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,300,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots

2

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 1

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Scotland Civils Framework (Lot A)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45213321 - Railway station construction work
- 45221112 - Railway bridge construction work
- 45221113 - Footbridge construction work

- 45221115 - Construction work for steel bridges
- 45221119 - Bridge renewal construction work
- 45221122 - Railway viaduct construction work
- 45221220 - Culverts
- 45221242 - Railway tunnel construction work
- 45223110 - Installation of metal structures
- 45234100 - Railway construction works
- 45234114 - Railway embankment construction work
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 71510000 - Site-investigation services
- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot A– Minor Civils

Focus on smaller value building and civil interventions, and with an expertise in repairs to metallic structures works, across Scotland.

Lot A has an initial indicative value over the effective life of the Framework of One Hundred Million Pounds (£100m) but as set out in the Procurement Documents this may extend to One Hundred and Fifty Million Pounds (£150m).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £150,000,000

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

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 4

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Available within the procurement documents.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This Framework Agreement may be extended by 3 years to a maximum duration of 8 years.

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

Scotland Civils Framework (Lot B)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45213320 - Construction work for buildings relating to railway transport
- 45213321 - Railway station construction work
- 45221112 - Railway bridge construction work
- 45221113 - Footbridge construction work
- 45221115 - Construction work for steel bridges
- 45221119 - Bridge renewal construction work
- 45221122 - Railway viaduct construction work
- 45221213 - Covered or partially-covered railway excavations
- 45221220 - Culverts
- 45221242 - Railway tunnel construction work
- 45234100 - Railway construction works
- 45234112 - Railway depot construction work
- 45234114 - Railway embankment construction work
- 45234116 - Track construction works
- 45234140 - Level crossing construction works
- 45243500 - Sea defences construction work
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 71510000 - Site-investigation services

- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot B – Buildings and Civils

Focus on medium value building and civil interventions across Scotland. Workbank to be divided between 2 contractors.

Lot B has an initial indicative value over the effective life of the Framework of Four Hundred and Eighty Million pounds (£480m) but as set out in the Procurement Documents this may extend to Seven Hundred and Thirty Million Pounds (£730m).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £730,000,000

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

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 6

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement may be extended by 3 years to a maximum total duration of 8 years.

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

Scotland Civils Framework (Lot C)

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45111220 - Scrub-removal work
- 45111230 - Ground-stabilisation work
- 45111240 - Ground-drainage work
- 45111250 - Ground investigation work
- 45112000 - Excavating and earthmoving work
- 45213321 - Railway station construction work
- 45221112 - Railway bridge construction work
- 45221113 - Footbridge construction work
- 45221119 - Bridge renewal construction work

- 45221122 - Railway viaduct construction work
- 45221213 - Covered or partially-covered railway excavations
- 45221220 - Culverts
- 45221242 - Railway tunnel construction work
- 45234114 - Railway embankment construction work
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 71510000 - Site-investigation services
- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot C – Geotechnical and Minor Civils

Focus on earth works and drainage interventions and with an ability to deliver minor civils works across Scotland.

Lot C has an initial indicative value over the effective life of the Framework of Three Hundred and Twenty Million pounds (£320m) but as set out in the Procurement Documents this may extend to Four Hundred and Twenty Million Pounds (£420m).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £420,000,000

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

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 March 2029

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 4

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This Framework Agreement may be extended by 3 years to a maximum duration of 8 years.

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

III.1.4) Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria

as stated in the procurement documents

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

as stated in the procurement documents

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

Framework agreement with several operators

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

3 August 2023

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

31 August 2023

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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