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Award

Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03decf

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks

120 Malone Road,

Belfast,

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.nienetworks.co.uk>

I.6) Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 18220000 - Weatherproof clothing

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Award of Supply of Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear under a Direct Award.

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: £940,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 18221000 - Waterproof clothing

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear

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.2.14) Additional information

In order to ensure continuity of supply of mandatory Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear which will safely facilitate NIE Networks employees in performing their operational duties, it is necessary to purchase garments from an alternative supplier additional to the current awarded contract. A renewal procurement process will commence imminently.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting entity

Explanation:

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IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement

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: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Title

Supply of Flame Retardant/Arc Protective Workwear

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 July 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Skanswear Clothing Company Ltd

Old Bawtry Road, Finningley, Doncaster, South Yorkshire, United Kingdom

Finningley

DN9 3BZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £940,000

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Ltd

120 Malone Road

Belfast

BT9 5HT

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland

Royal Courts of Justice, Chicester Street

Belfast

BT1 3 JY

Country

United Kingdom