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Planning

## **23/001 - The Provision of Hydrogen Consultancy Services**

GNI (UK) Limited

F07: Qualification system – utilities

No call for competition

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

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

GNI (UK) Limited

Scotland

Kirkcudbright

DG64TR

#### **Contact**

Tender Admin

#### **Email**

[tenders@gasnetworks.ie](mailto:tenders@gasnetworks.ie)

#### **Telephone**

+44 214239065

**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKM - Scotland

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.gasnetworks.ie>

Buyer's address

<https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/prepareViewCAOrganisation.do?id=1362>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://www.etenders.gov.ie>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.etenders.gov.ie>

**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**

23/001 - The Provision of Hydrogen Consultancy Services

Reference number

23/001

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

- 76100000 - Professional services for the gas industry

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

Services

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

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

- 65000000 - Public utilities
- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services
- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 76000000 - Services related to the oil and gas industry

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

NUTS codes

- IE - Ireland

Main site or place of performance

Ireland

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

This Qualification System is designed to allow for the assembly of a multi-supplier panel with competent entities whose capabilities include but are not limited to providing services associated with Hydrogen Consultancy

Services for GNI Ireland/GNI (UK) projects located in the Republic of Ireland. In 2021, GNI were tasked by the Department of Environment

Communications and Climate (DECC) to; 1. Test the technical feasibility of safely injecting green hydrogen blends in the gas grid 2. Assess

the potential for energy system integration between electricity and gas networks including the production, storage and use of green

hydrogen 3. Develop a policy/regulatory roadmap for green hydrogen use in the natural gas grid. This Qualification System will cover

hydrogen services required across GNI including Safety, Technical, Commercial, Regulatory, Economic, Strategy etc. GNI are seeking to

partake in numerous hydrogen projects related to the existing asset base and exploring new hydrogen investments which will be detailed

by way of specific lots as part of this Qualification System.

## **II.2.8) Duration of the qualification system**

Start date

18 July 2023

End date

18 July 2033

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 021-058793](#)

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

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **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**

The High Court

High Court Central Office, Four Courts, Inns Quay,

Dublin

Email

[highcourtcentraloffice@courts.ie](mailto:highcourtcentraloffice@courts.ie)

Telephone

+353 18886000

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<http://www.courts.ie>

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Please refer to Statutory Instrument 131 of 2010, European Communities

(Award of Contracts by Utility Undertaking) (Review Procedures) Regulations 2010 (and in particular Regulation 7 and 10(2)).