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## **Development of hydrogen ancillary device and component standards**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS)

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS)

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London

SW1H 0ET

#### **Email**

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+44 7918450361

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Development of hydrogen ancillary device and component standards

Reference number

TRN: 5152/06/2021

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 76100000 - Professional services for the gas industry

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS) intends to appoint the British Standards Institution (BSI) to develop a series of Publicly Available Specification (PAS) standards for ancillary hydrogen gas devices and components used downstream of the emergency control valve (ECV) in hydrogen end-use applications.

**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: £445,000

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

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

- 24111600 - Hydrogen
- 39341000 - Gas pressure equipment
- 39721410 - Gas appliances

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

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

BEIS requires a series of PAS standards to be developed by BSI to codify guidance and specifications for ancillary hydrogen gas devices and components used downstream of the ECV in hydrogen end-use applications. BSI will undertake a standards mapping exercise and industry stakeholder workshop to define the scope and requirements of the PAS standards to be developed. The series of PAS standards will cover functional and test requirements for hydrogen gas metering, material requirements for ancillary components and devices for use with hydrogen, and functional and test methods for complex ancillary components and devices for use with hydrogen.

#### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

The British Standards Institution (BSI) is nationally and internationally recognised as the author and owner of standards and other supporting literature for the installation, operation and maintenance of gas appliances and systems downstream of the Emergency Control Valve (ECV) in the United Kingdom (UK). No other body can codify the standards in this area.

No other economic operator can provide the service of setting standards in this area, with the specific property of universally recognised and accessible record of an approach that represents good business practice.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract/concession**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract/concession**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

20 August 2021

#### **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**

BSI Standards Limited

389 Chiswick High Road

London

W4 4AL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

07864997

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £445,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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

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

Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS)

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