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Contract

## **EGL 3 & 4 Marine Surveys**

National Grid Electricity Transmission PLC

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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

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

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**I.6) Main activity**

Electricity

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

EGL 3 & 4 Marine Surveys

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 71354500 - Marine survey services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

As part of the Eastern Green Link Projects (EGL 3 & EGL 4) new connections will increase the

capability of the electricity transmission network between England and Scotland.

The general requirement is for a marine survey of two cable routes to inform of seabed morphology and shallow sediment structure, and to provide benthic characterisation and habitat maps. The planned marine cable routes are both East Coast UK, from Peterhead

to

Lincolnshire and from Fife to Lincolnshire.

Lotting of the Requirements:

- Lot 1- EGL 3 Marine Cable Route Survey: approximately 500 km route from Peterhead to

Lincolnshire

- Lot 2 - EGL 4 Marine Cable Route Survey: approximately 450 km route from Fife to

Lincolnshire

The survey scope of work covers geophysical, geotechnical, topographic and environmental

sampling.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

EGL 3 Marine Cable Route Survey \_Peterhead to Lincolnshire

Lot No

1

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

- 71354500 - Marine survey services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 1- EGL 3 Marine Cable Route Survey-approximately 500 km route from Peterhead to Lincolnshire

There may be parts of the EGL 3 and EGL 4 routeing which are similar and may be surveyed

as one.

The survey scope of work covers geophysical, geotechnical, topographic, and environmental

sampling.

Requirements for the scope are listed below:

- Obtain accurate Bathymetric (Inc. MBES/SBES) data
- Obtain accurate high-resolution Side Scan Sonar (SSS) data
- Obtain accurate high resolution Sub-Bottom Profiler (SBP) data
- Obtain high quality Magnetometer data
- Obtain high quality Benthic Grab Samples
- Obtain high quality soil samples
- Obtain high quality CPT/VC results
- Obtain high quality lab testing results of soil samples
- Obtain high quality topographic survey data
- Obtain high quality UAV imagery
- Data analysis and production of full and detailed Survey Reports in accordance with the Technical Specification of the survey - to be issued at RFP stage
- Produce a conformant GIS deliverable package in accordance with the Technical Specification of the survey

As an option

-Obtain high quality onshore geotechnical data at landfalls

-Obtain high quality onshore geophysical data at landfalls

Nearshore works shall include water depths of less than 10m LAT, offshore areas involve water depths up to 120m LAT.

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - EGL 4 Marine Cable Route Survey-approximately 450 km route from Fife to Lincolnshire

Lot No

2

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

- 71354500 - Marine survey services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 2 - EGL 4 Marine Cable Route Survey-approximately 450 km route from Fife to Lincolnshire

There may be parts of the EGL 3 and EGL 4 routeing which are similar and may be surveyed

as one.

The survey scope of work covers geophysical, geotechnical, topographic, and environmental

sampling.

Requirements for the scope are listed below:

- Obtain accurate Bathymetric (Inc. MBES/SBES) data
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#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Restricted 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: [2022/S 000-033048](#)

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

### **Lot No**

Lot 1

### **Title**

EGL 3 Marine Cable Route Survey \_Peterhead to Lincolnshire

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 May 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**

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NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

### **Lot No**

Lot 2

### **Title**

EGL 4 Marine Cable Route Survey\_Fife to Lincolnshire

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 May 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**

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- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

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The contractor is an SME

No

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

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