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Tender

Cadent Gas Customer Contact Centre Tender

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Section I: Contracting entity

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.3) Communication

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

www.achilles.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.achilles.com

I.6) Main activity

Other activity

Telecommunications

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Cadent Gas Customer Contact Centre Tender

Reference number

WS1876653121

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 64220000 - Telecommunication services except telephone and data transmission services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Cadent Gas is seeking to engage with suppliers to buy a modern, cloud-based solution for its emergency customer contact center infrastructure, including the network connectivity and the associated telephony applications.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 32412100 Telecommunications network
- 32524000 Telecommunications system
- 50332000 Telecommunications-infrastructure maintenance services
- 64226000 Telematics services
- 64227000 Integrated telecommunications services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKG33 - Coventry

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Cadent Gas is seeking to engage with suppliers to buy a modern, cloud-based solution for its emergency customer contact center infrastructure, including the network connectivity and the associated telephony applications. Once in place, this service will replace Cadent's existing "on premise" contact center solution. It is critical that the solution is both stable and highly resilient, and that bidders provide comprehensive implementation,

cutover and ongoing service support, including consideration of future innovation through the life of the contract.

The emergency contact center is provided as a service to a number of the Gas Distribution Networks (GDNs) and Independent Gas Transporters (IGTs), who each partfund the service. The service provided is regulated by Ofgem with regard to end-to-end customer service and emergency performance.

The PQQ will be run using the Achilles platform and suppliers need to be registered under the below codes in order to receive the invite.

1.5.8.2 Call Centre

2.1.14 Call Centre Services

II.2.5) Award criteria

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

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

After an initial term of up to 5-years there will be an option to renew for up to a further 5-years.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

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

9 September 2024

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

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Cadent gas Limited

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United Kingdom