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Planning

23/043 - Request for Expressions of Interest and Information - for the Provision of Pay As You Go (PAYG) Metering System

Gas Networks Ireland

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

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Gas Networks Ireland

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Cork

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Contact

Tender Admin

Email

Tenders@gasnetworks.ie

Country

Ireland

Region code

IE - Ireland

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

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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I.6) Main activity

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

23/043 - Request for Expressions of Interest and Information - for the Provision of Pay As You Go (PAYG) Metering System

Reference number

23/043

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38551000 - Energy meters

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Please note that a PIN/RFI was previously advertised on eTenders under ref. number 22/010.

The overall objective of this RFI is to inform GNI on the availability of:

a) Pay As You Go (PAYG) Metering System on the Gas Networks Ireland Network. This validation of potential solution options will inform GNI's roadmap for the delivery of these services in the near future.

In line with existing regulatory requirements, GNI would like to consider the following option:

1. PAYG Meter Population (No Subsequent Expansion to Credit Meter Population) - PAYG Meter Population (No Subsequent Expansion to Credit Meter Population) - all PAYG meters (and the existing PAYG back-office system) to be replaced / upgraded with multi-channel vending capabilities. Credit metering population is not in scope - no requirement to make provision for future expansion to credit meter population.

In this regard, Gas Networks Ireland is seeking responses to this Request for Expressions of Interest and Information.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 32000000 - Radio, television, communication, telecommunication and related equipment
- 38552000 - Electronic meters
- 48613000 - Electronic data management (EDM)
- 65500000 - Meter reading service
- 66172000 - Financial transaction processing and clearing-house services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- IE - Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Stage 1 - Request for Expressions of Interest and Information This stage is the initial market sounding stage. Gas Networks Ireland are now inviting responses from interested parties who wish to have the opportunity to present solutions to Gas Networks Ireland for the supply of PAYG metering system for gas users for use in the GNI Network.

Stage 2 - Engagement Sessions Following a review of submissions, Gas Networks Ireland may invite individual selected respondents to attend sessions where Gas Networks Ireland will define further its requirement and further explore the respondent's submission.

II.2.14) Additional information

Gas Networks Ireland wishes to invite request for information for "23/043 - Request for Expressions of Interest and Information - for the Provision of Pay As You Go (PAYG) Metering System". Completed RFI's should be returned via the etenders messaging facility with the tender reference and the tender title in the subject line of the message not later than 12.00 hrs (local time) on Friday 25th August 2023. Additional information is available at <http://www.etenders.gov.ie/>.

Please look for PMC ID no. 2234863 which also contains an RFI document.

www.etenders.gov.ie/system-user-guides

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

29 September 2023

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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 expressions of interest

Date

25 August 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English, Irish

Section VI. Complementary information

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