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Pipeline

HVAC maintenance and support for legacy BR fleets

NORTHERN TRAINS LIMITED

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Scope

Description

Northern is intending to initiate a future procurement process for the overhaul, ongoing support, and maintenance of Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) systems installed across its legacy BR fleets.

The scope of the procurement will include, but not be limited to, the inspection, servicing, repair, refurbishment, and performance testing of HVAC units to ensure continued compliance with safety, comfort, and operational standards. This may also include the supply of replacement components and technical support services.

Suppliers will be expected to demonstrate proven expertise in rail HVAC systems, the ability to deliver high-quality and reliable services, and the flexibility to support varying maintenance schedules and fleet requirements.

At this stage, it is anticipated that the procurement will be conducted as a single lot to ensure consistency and streamlined service delivery across the network.

This notice does not constitute a call for competition but is intended to inform the market of a potential future opportunity. Interested suppliers are encouraged to monitor forthcoming publications for further details.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 16 February 2026 to 15 February 2030
- 4 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50220000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to railways and other equipment

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

4 August 2025

Procedure

Special regime

Utilities

Contracting authority

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