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## **Railway (GSM-R) Long Term Support (Voice Frequentis) Framework**

NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

Provide long term support of the networking equipment and software that underpins the GSM-R system.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £378,000,000 excluding VAT
- £453,600,000 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2046
- 20 years

## **Main category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 32524000 - Telecommunications system

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

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## **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

8 December 2025

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## Procedure

### Special regime

Utilities

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## Contracting authority

### NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNZN-9524-VCQJ

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government