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## **TPE Ticket Vending Machines (TVM)**

TRANSPENNINE EXPRESS LIMITED

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.tpexpress.co.uk/>

**I.6) Main activity**

Urban railway, tramway, trolleybus or bus services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

TPE Ticket Vending Machines (TVM)

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

It is our intention to undertake an extension and variation of an existing contract. The variation is for the extension of the existing contract for the provision of 32 TVMs, albeit with new equipment, for a period of two years. Such extension and variation is to provide an interim solution pending review and definition of the required longer term solution and subsequent procurement process.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

The provision of additional services in support of ticket retailing solutions for the TPE Network at stations via self service TVMs for a period of 2 years.

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

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

TPE's current fleet of TVMs will no longer be supported by the supplier due to life expired components. TPE has a contractual option to extend for two years and given this, business continuity, system resilience and affordability it is deemed the optimal approach to take this extension albeit with new hardware. This will also minimise change impact as any change in contracting partner at this juncture would cause significant inconvenience and substantial duplication of cost. Such award and extension allows for continuity of services to support the business at a lower cost with minimal relative additional cost of hardware implementation. The two year extension is an interim solution pending further review which will take into account influencing factors impacting future solutions and any activity thereafter will also be in accordance with the regulations with respect to prior publication.

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

### **Title**

Ticket Vending Machines

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

25 August 2022

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Transpennine Express Limited

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom