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Contract

## **AsBo and NoBo consultants**

Transport for Wales

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

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**NUTS code**

UKL - Wales

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Main address

<http://trc.cymru>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA50685](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA50685)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Transport related services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

AsBo and NoBo consultants

Reference number

C000369.00

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

- 60200000 - Railway transport services

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

Services

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

TfW has appointed a number of suppliers to a Framework to carry out AsBo, NoBo and DeBo assessments across the network. The certification Body(s) carry out the CSM Risk Evaluation and Assessment work.

The appointed suppliers are required to undertake the role of the Notifiable, Designated and Assessment Bodies in association with the design, construction, and eventual commissioning into service of a railway.

Work will be done in accordance with the Railways (Interoperability) Regulations 2011 (as amended) and the Common Safety Method for Risk Evaluation & Assessment (CSM-RA).

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

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

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 71313410 - Risk or hazard assessment for construction
- 90711100 - Risk or hazard assessment other than for construction
- 63711000 - Support services for railway transport
- 34632200 - Electrical signalling equipment for railways
- 34940000 - Railway equipment
- 35262000 - Crossing control signalling equipment
- 45234100 - Railway construction works
- 45234115 - Railway signalling works
- 48140000 - Railway traffic control software package
- 50220000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to railways and other equipment
- 71311230 - Railway engineering services
- 72212140 - Railway traffic control software development services
- 79417000 - Safety consultancy services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

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

TfW has completed the procurement and appointed competent contractors with sound experience of undertaking AsBo, NoNo and DeBo assessments across the network.

The certification Body(s) will carry out the CSM Risk Evaluation and Assessment work for our network.

The appointed suppliers are required to undertake the role of the Notifiable, Designated and Assessment Bodies in association with the design, construction, and eventual commissioning into service of a railway.

The Notified Body (NoBo) – will provide independent verification of each project's compliance with the appointed Technical Specifications for interoperability (TSIs) under the Railway (Interoperability) Regulations 2011 (RIR)

The Designated Body (DeBo) – will provide independent verification of the project's compliance with the Notified National Technical Rules (NNTRs)

The Assessment Body (AsBo) – will provide the activities required to independently assess each stations project's compliance.

The Framework will run for an initial two (2) years with two (2) options to extend for a 12-month period.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Methodology and Approach / Weighting: 15%

Quality criterion - Name: Projects / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Tender Price Vs Final Account price / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Collaboration / Weighting: 5%

Quality criterion - Name: Organogram and Experience / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Well Being Future Generations Act / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 30

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

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2021/S 000-002620](#)

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

### **Contract No**

C000369.00

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

26 April 2021

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Ricardo Rail

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Derby

DE248ZS

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF11 - Derby

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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SNC-Lavalin House, 2 Roundhouse Road, Pride Park

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DE248JE

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL - Wales

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £500,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Transport for Wales ('TfW') is currently working to transform the Wales and Borders Rail Service and is developing plans for implementing and operating a South Wales Metro. The vision is to provide a service that is truly 'turn up and go', with better integration with other modes of transport, including buses, and flexible ticketing options. Travellers will be able to move easily across the south-east Wales region with improved capacity, improved quality and improved passenger information.

TfW has appointed a multi supplier framework for Assessment Body and Nominated Body services for stations across the network.

The works will cover all stations across the network.

Individual packages will provide details of each site and nature/extend of the requirement.

The Framework will run for an initial two (2) years with two (2) options to extend for a 12-month period.

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

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

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