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Tender

953904621 T1375 Exploring methods to monitor and model the safety risk of battery trains as they are introduced to the

Rail Safety Standards Board (RSSB)

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Scope

Description

RSSB seeks to procure research to address the following research objectives:

- Improve the rail industry's understanding of how the safety risk of a LIB train compares to the safety risk of a combustion engine train.
- Enable the rail industry to model changes in the risk profiles associated with the phased introduction of LIB trains to the rail network to replace diesel-only trains.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

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Total value (estimated)

- £100,000 excluding VAT
- £120,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 11 July 2025 to 11 March 2026
- 8 months, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 73110000 - Research services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Submission

Enquiry deadline

27 June 2025, 1:00pm

Tender submission deadline

27 June 2025, 1:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://rssb.delta-esourcing.com/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
W2 Tenderer's understanding and methodology [Max 4 pages]	Quality	30%
W3 Tenderer's experience and individual expertise [Max 3 pages, excluding CVs]	Quality	25%
W4 Project management: Planning and engagement	Quality	20%
W6 Cost of Project	Price	20%
W5 Project management: Risks and opportunities	Quality	5%

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Rail Safety Standards Board (RSSB)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVGN-9767-BLPT

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government