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# **A1 Junctions Phase 2 Road Improvement Scheme**

Department for Infrastructure

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

Department for Infrastructure

James House, 2-4 Cromac Avenue

Belfast

BT7 2JA

#### **Email**

pb1@infrastructure-ni.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

## I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

A1 Junctions Phase 2 Road Improvement Scheme

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45000000 - Construction work

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

#### II.1.4) Short description

The proposed scheme comprises safety improvements along a 25km stretch of the A1 dual carriageway between Hillsborough and Loughbrickland.

The improvements will include the provision of:

- 4 new Compact Grade Separated Junctions (CGSJ)
- A new northbound on-slip onto the A1 at Castlewellan Road, Banbridge
- A new Link Road between the existing Hillsborough Road, Dromore, CGSJ and the Milebush Road
- Closure of all gaps in the central reservation (circa 90 No) and installation of 25km of new concrete safety barrier
- 21 Left In Left Out junction arrangements
- 9 Road Closures
- Stopping Up of over 40 Private Accesses onto the A1
- Installation of Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) including VMS, CCTV and ANPR
- Extensive accommodation works throughout.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £75,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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### II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

31 January 2025

## Section IV. Procedure

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes