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Planning

High Voltage Electricity Switchgear Maintenance

Magnox Limited

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/magnox-ltd>

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Decommissioning

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

High Voltage Electricity Switchgear Maintenance

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50532400 - Repair and maintenance services of electrical distribution equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Magnox Limited is currently preparing to initiate a procurement process for routine and call out maintenance of High Voltage Switchgear at various sites in the UK and wish to carry out pre-market engagement with interested suppliers to investigate the supply chain capabilities, expertise, and appetite to enter into a multiyear contract to maintain (NOT REPLACE) what is aged and obsolete equipment.

We are looking to place a 5 year contract initially covering Dungeness A, Maentwrog, Trawsfynydd and Wylfa Decommissioned power stations with options to add additional Decommissioned Power stations in the future.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £2,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Dungeness A, Maentwrog, Trawsfynydd and Wylfa Decommissioned Power Stations with the possibility of additional sites being added in the future.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

High Voltage Electricity Switchgear Maintenance at Magnox Sites

II.2.14) Additional information

The chosen supplier would need to work within specific constraints including working on National Grid Electricity Transmission PLC (NGET) property, under NGET supervision and within NGET Safety Rules.

They would need to have/gain access to Intellectual Property (IP) currently held by NGET.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 December 2022

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: No

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

In relation to breakdown maintenance and noting the age of the equipment (1960's) the expectation would be the chosen supplier would hold or arrange preferential access to critical spare parts and have access rights to the NGET property as many of the connections are within NGET owned/leased and operated substations.

Work carried out on the majority of the High Voltage (HV) equipment will be under the NGET Safety Rules and requires their direct supervision.

This PIN provides procurement awareness for suppliers regarding this requirement. Any information gathered through this market engagement may inform internal business planning and any possible subsequent procurement process and will NOT be appraised in any future tender evaluation exercise.

Should this procurement be within in your company's capability and capacity we ask that you register your interest with the undersigned by the closing date. (Please note this is NOT a selection questionnaire, it is to enable Magnox to gauge the market interest and appetite for this procurement and to inform our procurement strategy).

It is anticipated that any future procurement will be run under Public Contract Regulations (PCR) 2015 Restricted Procedure.

Following the closure of this PIN, it is Magnox Limited intention to hold a virtual supplier day for interested parties, which will provide a more detailed overview of our requirements and expectations.

As part of a restricted procedure, a Selection Questionnaire (SQ) will take place following the supplier day. Supplier(s) who are shortlisted as part of the SQ phase, may be invited to a further supplier day.

The dates relating to the publication of the contract notice are tentative and are subject to change.

Tentative Timelines:

Prior Information Notice (PIN) - 27 October 2022

Registration of interest -10 November 2022

Virtual Supplier Day - Week commencing 17 November 2022

PCR Restricted Procedure Selection Questionnaire - TBC

PCR Restricted Procedure Selection Questionnaire evaluation - TBC

Issue of ITT - TBC

You are requested to register your interest in the opportunity by Noon 10th November 2022 via the Magnox e-sourcing platform Atamis at the address mentioned above.