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Planning

CP7 (and beyond) CCS Strategy Market Engagement

Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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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

Railway Services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

CP7 (and beyond) CCS Strategy Market Engagement

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45000000 - Construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

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II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34632200 - Electrical signalling equipment for railways

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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II.2.14) Additional information

Please confirm if you would like to attend using the email address in this notice and further details and a link to the Teams meeting will be provided to you. Please limit the number of attendees from your organisation to two people.

Closing date for responses to the Questionnaire issued at the market consultation event is 12:00 noon UK time on 14th January 2022.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

28 February 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: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The Briefing Pack and Questionnaire will be issued after the market engagement event, to the attendees. The Questionnaire responses must be uploaded to the e-procurement portal and further details will be provided on the day and in the Briefing Pack and Questionnaire.

If you have any questions, please contact Jo Dunn on the email address provided.

Economic operators shall be solely responsible for and liable for all costs associated with and arising out of or in connection with responding to this prior information notice and the market engagement exercise.