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# FW110 Rail Systems Professional Services

**Translink** 

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# **Section I: Contracting entity**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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**Procurement Department** 

Belfast

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Contact

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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.6) Main activity

Urban railway, tramway, trolleybus or bus services

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

FW110 Rail Systems Professional Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72224000 - Project management consultancy services

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Translink is responsible for both maintenance and capital works to infrastructure on the Northern Ireland Railways (NIR) network.

Translink wish to establish a long-term Rail Systems Professional Services framework and would like to invite expressions of interest from suppliers with a proven record in the delivery of professional services on complex multi-disciplinary rail infrastructure projects.

If this is of interest please access the opportunity via the CfT on eTendersNI and complete the PME questionnaire.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £40,000,000

#### 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

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope for the Framework will be the delivery of a broad range of professional services for rail infrastructure projects, including the following:

Strategic network studies in relation to the Northern Ireland Railways network (e.g., examining potential enhancement projects or new technologies)

Design services in relation to the following disciplines:

Signalling and Telecoms (S&T)

Electrification and Plant (E&P)

**Systems** 

Permanent Way

Overhead Line Electrification (OLE)

Civils and Structural

Undertaking the role of Lead Designer / Consultant on multi-disciplinary rail projects

Cost estimating and benchmarking

NEC Project Management / Supervision

Suppliers will be required to have the capability to undertake all the scope items outlined above.

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The anticipated duration of the framework is 4-8 years, and the anticipated value of the framework is circa £40 million. The NEC4 suite of contracts will be utilised. It is the intention that multiple suppliers will be appointed to the Framework, with work allocated either directly to framework suppliers or via secondary competition within the framework.

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

16 January 2023

# 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

## IV.2) Administrative information

## IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of expressions of interest

Date

14 November 2022

Local time

3:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English