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Award

Provision of Circuits-Openreach Network in Advance-National

NETWORK RAIL INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

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Scope

Description

Replacement of BT Megastream point-to-point (P2P) services for the Operational Railway.

Network Rail has identified an Openreach product called “Network in Advance” which will enable Network Rail to develop a transformation plan to transition any risk and costs exposure with its P2P Connectivity estate by migrating Megastream services to allow third party telecoms service providers to deliver an end to end alternative to Megastream e.g. Optical connect Wide Area Network (WAN) services.

Contract 1. Provision of Circuits-Openreach Network in Advance-

National

Supplier

- [OPENREACH LIMITED](#)

Contract value

- £2,200,000 excluding VAT
- £2,640,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

2 July 2025

Standstill period

- End: 17 July 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

21 July 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 22 July 2025 to 21 July 2028
- Possible extension to 21 July 2029

- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

For additional services related to the original contract award

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Special regime

Utilities

Supplier

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Connected people/organisations:

BT group PLC

Contract 1

Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government