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Contract

C156 (2024) Supply of Fluid Immersed 33/11.5kV and 33/6.9 kV Power Transformers

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02874c

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

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UKN - Northern Ireland

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Main address

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I.6) Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

C156 (2024) Supply of Fluid Immersed 33/11.5kV and 33/6.9 kV Power Transformers

Reference number

C156 (2024)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 31170000 - Transformers

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The Contracting Entity intends to establish a Framework Arrangement under which it shall appoint Economic Operators to enter into separate Framework Agreements for the Supply of Fluid Immersed 33/11.5 kV and 33/6.9 kV Power Transformers. The Framework Agreement will be for a period of five (5) years with an option, exercisable entirely at the discretion of the Contracting Entity and subject to the terms of the Framework Agreement, to extend by a further optional period of up to three (3) years, with a total potential duration of eight (8) years.

The Contracting Entity estimates that the total spend under the Framework, based on current requirements, is anticipated to be between £30 million and £36 million.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £36,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 31213200 - Distribution transformers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The design, manufacture, testing and delivery of Fluid Immersed 33/11.5 kV and 33/6.9 kV Power Transformers.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30

Cost criterion - Name: Legal / Weighting: 5

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 65

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Each Framework Agreement will be for a period of five (5) years with an option, exercisable entirely at the discretion of the Contracting Entity and subject to the terms of the Framework Agreement, to extend by a further optional period of up to three (3) years, with a total potential duration of eight (8) years.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

C156 (2024)

Title

C156 (2024) Supply of Fluid Immersed 33/11.5kV and 33/6.9 kV Power Transformers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 September 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Emirates Transformer and Switchgear Ltd.

Jebel Ali Free Zone

Dubai

PO Box 16842

Country

United Arab Emirates

NUTS code

- AE - United Arab Emirates

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Winder Power Ltd

Grangefield House, Richardshaw Road,

Leeds

LS28 6QS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £36,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Ireland Electricity Networks Limited

120 Malone Road

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland

Royal Courts of Justice, Chichester Street

Belfast

BT1 3JF

Country

United Kingdom