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Contract

## Aerial Surveillance

NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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## Section I: Contracting entity

### I.1) Name and addresses

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### Country

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### Region code

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.northerngas.co.uk>

**I.6) Main activity**

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Aerial Surveillance

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 60440000 - Aerial and related services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

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1190km of the network is High Pressure (HP >7 bar) Local Transmission System (LTS) which to comply with the Pipeline Safety Regs (PSR 1996) and IGEM/TD/1 Ed. 6 must be surveyed every 2 weeks in order to report on any activities or changes in and around the pipelines.

NGN has an obligation to fully survey its LTS pipelines, to identify building encroachments, ground movement, activities, or potential activities by third parties in close proximity to a pipeline or specific main. A key requirement of the survey is to ensure that third parties do not damage, interfere or cause an escape of pressurised gas from NGN's asset. Aerial surveillance is an established and effective method of surveying long lengths of buried pipelines to identify threats.

Aerial Surveillance is deemed as an essential safety related service for NGN.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD1 - Cumbria
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

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#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

3 x 1 year extensions

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2021/S 000-000004](#)

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## Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 October 2025

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Gas Networks Limited

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom