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Award

Driver and Vehicle Agency - Supply, Delivery, Installation, Calibration, Commissioning and Maintenance of a Vehicle Test Solution

The Driver and Vehicle Agency

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Scope

Reference

ID 5888575

Description

The Department for Infrastructure, through its Executive Agency The Driver and Vehicle

Agency wish to establish a Contract to appoint a Contractor to supply, deliver, install,

commission, calibrate and maintain a total of 79 new vehicle testing lanes of equipment, the

associated fully integrated test lane (ITL) software, all associated IT hardware and licences

(from here on in referred to as 'Vehicle Test Solution') to service its network of 16 Test

Centres. The contract's key focus will be to provide DVA with a complete vehicle test solution that will meet DVA's demands, on an all-inclusive supply, install and maintenance basis. The Contractor must also complete all necessary enabling works required to facilitate

the installation and operation of the Vehicle Test Solution. These works may include, but are

not limited to, structural, civil, mechanical, electrical and digital enabling works which must be completed in line with current UK building legislation, regulations, codes and standards

Contract 1. Driver and Vehicle Agency - Supply, Delivery, Installation, Calibration, Commissioning and Maintenance of a Vehicle Test Solution

Supplier

- [MAHA Ireland Limited](#)

Contract value

- £46,000,000 excluding VAT
- £55,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

3 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

3 December 2025

Standstill period

- End: 12 December 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

16 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 17 December 2025 to 16 December 2035
- Possible extension to 16 December 2039
- 14 years

Description of possible extension:

the contract contains the option to extend for 4 further periods of 12 months each

Main procurement category

Goods

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

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The Services as detailed in the Contract and delivered by the Contractor may be subject to

additional potential services and changes during the Contract Period in order to address and

remain consistent with the wider operating environment including legislative changes

impacting the vehicle testing regulations or market conditions, future changes to the Client's

policy and Operational Requirements, and its corresponding requirements of the Contract.

The changes that this Section is concerned with may involve:

i. changes to the volume of equipment/Services required from the Contractor ('Volume-Based Equipment/Services');

ii. changes which result in new Services or amendments to Services being required during the

Contract Period, which cannot be foreseen at the time of this procurement ('Optional Services').

The Client may increase or decrease the volume of the equipment/services during the Contract Period in line with changes in the Specification. This may be due to, for example, changes in the Client's policy or policies, future changes in relation to development of the Test Centre Network, changes to the vehicle testing conditions or changes to the level of demand for vehicle testing. The changes may include, but are not limited to:

- amending the number of lanes to be delivered under this Contract which may increase depending on future decisions and approvals for the Network;
- allowing for the roll out of equipment (if required) as part of a refresh programme in line with any recommendations within future conditioning reports;
- permitting the purchase of equipment or associated items which are used in conjunction with the vehicle testing equipment that have sustained damage outside of normal wear and tear and therefore not covered in the all-inclusive maintenance.

CPV classifications

- 31000000 - Electrical machinery, apparatus, equipment and consumables; lighting
- 50100000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services of vehicles and related equipment

Contract locations

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Information about tenders

- 1 tender received
- 1 tender assessed in the final stage:
 - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts

- 0 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Submission

Submission type

Requests to participate

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Supplier

MAHA Ireland Limited

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXRL-2252-DZVJ

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Lisburn

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United Kingdom

Email: accounts@mahaireland.ie

Region: UKN0E - Lisburn and Castlereagh

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Connected people/organisations:

MAHA Maschinenbau Haldenwang GmbH & Co. KG

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Contracting authority

The Driver and Vehicle Agency

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMCJ-4951-QRDD

Hydebank House, 4a Hospital Road

Belfast

BT8 8JL

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Email: SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

Region: UKN0E - Lisburn and Castlereagh

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

Construction and Procurement Delivery - Supplies and Services Division

Summary of their role in this procurement: Construction and Procurement Delivery Supplies and Services Division is a Centre of Procurement Expertise and provides a central procurement function for central government in Northern Ireland

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVWG-8426-YWXV

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Contact organisation

Contact [Construction and Procurement Delivery - Supplies and Services Division](#) for any enquiries.