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Contract

## **UK-ETS Auctions Services**

Department for Energy Security & Net Zero

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

This Contract between the Buyer and the Supplier is for the supply of Deliverables, being the provision of an auction platform and related services for the UK Emissions Trading Scheme ('UK ETS') auction platform and related services.

Value of contract is determined by commissions paid to supplier by successful auction participants.

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## **Contract 1. PROVISION OF THE UK EMISSIONS TRADING SCHEME AUCTION PLATFORM**

## **Supplier**

- ICE Futures Europe

## **Contract value**

- £1,431,345 excluding VAT
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Above the relevant threshold

## **Date signed**

29 November 2025

## **Contract dates**

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2028
- Possible extension to 31 December 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

The Buyer may extend the term of this Contract for one year on two separate occasions

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Extension options of 2 x 1 year with an additional value of £177,410 in addition to the existing maximum contract value

### **CPV classifications**

- 66150000 - Financial markets administration services
- 79342410 - Electronic auction services
- 72212470 - Auction software development services

### **Contract locations**

- UK - United Kingdom

### **Justification for not setting key performance indicators**

Below £5m

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### **Other information**

#### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

### **Direct award justification**

Single supplier - technical reasons

“The following conditions are met in relation to the public contract -

(a) due to an absence of competition for technical reasons, only a particular supplier can supply the goods, services or works

required, and

(b) there are no reasonable alternatives to those goods, services or works.”

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## **Supplier**

### **ICE Futures Europe**

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2nd Floor, Sancroft Rose Street, Paternoster Square

London

EC4M 7DQ

United Kingdom

Email: [sales-utilities@ice.com](mailto:sales-utilities@ice.com)

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Department for Energy Security & Net Zero**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDHQ-2163-WYMH

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government