

United Kingdom-Belfast: Engineering design services
OJ S 80/2017 25/04/2017
Contract notice – utilities
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Mutual Energy Limited

Postal address: c/o Pinsent Masons Belfast LLP, The Soloist, 1 Lanyon Place

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UKN01 Belfast

Postal code: BT1 3LP

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Kerry Teahan

E-mail: mutualframework@pinsentmasons.com

Internet address(es):

Main address: <http://www.mutual-energy.com/>

I.3. Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at:

<http://www.mutual-energy.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the following address:

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Town: Belfast

Postal code: BT1 3LP

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: mutualframework@pinsentmasons.com

NUTS code: UKN01 Belfast

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I.6. Main activity

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Technical, Regulatory and Compliance Support Minor Projects — Safety Case, Emergency Response, Pipelines, Mechanical and Civil.

II.1.2. Main CPV code

71320000 Engineering design services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Mutual Energy Limited ('Mutual') is seeking to procure a framework contract, which it currently anticipates will have 3 competent and experienced providers, that can deliver safety case, emergency response, pipelines, mechanical and civil services, aimed at small scale projects with a call-off value of less than GDP 10 000 per activity. Whilst Mutual is conducting this tender process, the Framework Agreement and call-off contracts shall be entered into by Inter-connector Services Limited ('ISL'), a wholly owned subsidiary of Mutual, which exists to contract services which are shared across the three operating companies of the Mutual Energy Group (West Transmission Limited, Belfast Gas Transmission Limited and Premier Transmission Limited). It is anticipated that the framework will incorporate a range of day rate and/or resource prices aligned with the activities required.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 750 000,00 GBP

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

71311100 Civil engineering support services, 71311000 Civil engineering consultancy services , 71333000 Mechanical engineering services, 71317210 Health and safety consultancy services, 71317200 Health and safety services, 76600000 Pipeline-inspection services, 71336000 Engineering support services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKN01 Belfast

Main site or place of performance: Northern Ireland (various).

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Mutual will conduct this procurement using the Open Procedure. Further information will be provided in the Invitation to Tender.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: 750 000,00 GBP

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 60

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The Framework Agreement will be set for an initial term of five (5) years, with an extension option of a maximum of three (3) years, in one (1) year intervals, solely at ISL's discretion.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

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

II.2.14. Additional information

Mutual envisages 3 candidates being accepted onto the Framework. The providers will be appointed to the panel on the premise that they have provided a market rate for particular activities, but are not guaranteed work. A detailed specification is provided in Appendix 1 to the ITT, which is available by emailing: mutualframework@pinsentmasons.com

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Applicants must be able to demonstrate a turnover of greater than 100 000 GBP per annum, for each of the last three (3) financial years.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

In summary, each applicant is required to demonstrate the following from the 5 categories.

Further information on this is included in the Invitation to Tender document:

1. Health and Safety

Applicants are required to provide (inter alia) details of their health and safety policy and health and safety management systems, details of convictions and prosecutions and compliance with Regulations.

2. Mechanical Experience

Applicants are required to provide details of one (1) project where they have provided mechanical and civil services, completed in the three (3) years prior to the tender deadline.

3. Pipeline Experience

Applicants are required to provide details of one (1) project where they have designed, built or constructed, or have provided technical and integrity support in respect of all or part of a pipeline system, for example pipeline cathodic protection or pipeline protection, completed in the three (3) years prior to the tender deadline.

4. Compliance and Safety Case Experience

Applicants are required to provide details of one (1) project where they have provided technical and compliance support services such as a written scheme of examination of pressure systems, safety case, major accident prevention document, emergency procedures and/or equivalent regulations/documentation, completed in the three (3) years prior to the tender deadline.

5. Quality

Applicants are required to provide details of the quality management system they have in place as well as any external auditing or accreditations they are working towards.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 3

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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 22/05/2017 Local time: 12:00

IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 22/05/2017 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

Mutual expressly reserves the right: (i) To cancel this procurement at any stage (ii) Not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process by publication of this notice; and (iii) To make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the competition. Mutual shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by bidders, charges or expenses, irrespective of the outcome of the competition, or if the competition is cancelled or postponed. The ITT documentation can be obtained from the contact identified at Section I.3) of this notice. When requesting the information, bidders are required to identify a contact point and a corresponding email address. In the event that Mutual is required to circulate any clarifications during the tender process, it shall send any clarifications to this address and will not be responsible for contacting bidders in any other way. It is the bidders' responsibility to ensure that this contact information is kept up to date and bidders are to advise Mutual as soon as possible if the contact point changes. It is the responsibility of bidders to ensure that they access the ITT documentation promptly in order to give themselves sufficient time to provide a full and accurate response.

All discussion and correspondence shall be deemed strictly subject to contract until the Framework Agreement is entered into. The Framework Agreement shall not be binding until signed and dated by Mutual and the relevant bidders.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland
Postal address: Royal Courts of Justice, Chichester Street
Town: Belfast
Postal code: BT1 3JF
Country: United Kingdom
E-mail: office@courtsni.gov.uk

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

Official name: Mutual Energy limited
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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

21/04/2017