

IRL-Cork: Natural gas
OJ S 103/2013 30/05/2013
Contract notice – utilities
Supplies

Directive 2004/17/EC

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Gaslink Independent System Operator Limited

Postal address: Gasworks Road

Town: Cork

Country: Ireland

Contact person: Networks Procurement

For the attention of: The Networks Procurement Manager

E-mail: cwhite@bge.ie

Telephone: +353 214534434

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting entity: <http://www.bordgais.ie>

Additional information can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from: the abovementioned address

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

I.2. Main activity

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

Water

I.3. Contract award on behalf of other contracting entities

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting entity

13/023 - Shrinkage & Balancing Gases Contract.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Supplies

Purchase

Main site or place of performance: Cork.

NUTS code IE Éire / Ireland

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

The notice involves a public contract

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

Gaslink Independent System Operator Limited is seeking interested suppliers for Shrinkage gas, balancing gas buy and balancing gas sell contracts. We will require options for the 12 month period and a 24 month period commencing October 2013. In order to receive the invitation to tender (ITT), please forward your expression of interest to the Networks Procurement Manager via email to cwhite@bge.ie

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

09123000 Natural gas

II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.1.8. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

Please refer to Section II.1.5).

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options: We will require options for the 12 month period and a 24 month period commencing October 2013.

II.2.3. Information about renewals

II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Shrinkage Gas

1) Short description

Gaslink Independent System Operator Limited is seeking interested suppliers for Shrinkage gas only. We will require options for the 12 month period and/or a 24 month period commencing October 2012.

2) CPV code(s)

09123000 Natural gas

3) Quantity or scope

Please refer to description.

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Balancing Buy Gas

1) Short description

Gaslink Independent System Operator Limited is seeking interested suppliers for Balancing buy gas only. We will require options for the 12 month period and/or a 24 month period commencing October 2012.

2) CPV code(s)

09123000 Natural gas

3) Quantity or scope

Please refer to the description.

Lot No: 3

Lot title: Balancing Sell Gas

1) Short description

Gaslink Independent System Operator Limited is seeking interested suppliers for Balancing sell gas only. We will require options for the 12 month period and/or a 24 month period commencing October 2012.

2) CPV code(s)

09123000 Natural gas

3) Quantity or scope

Please refer to the description.

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

As per contract documents.

III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

As per contract documents.

III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

Requests to participate may be submitted by single entities or by groups of service providers. A group will not be required to convert into a specific legal form in order to submit a request to participate, but may if Bord Gáis Éireann considers it necessary to ensure that the contract is carried out to its satisfaction, be required to do so prior to award of the contract. Bord Gáis Éireann also reserves the right to contract with each member of the group on the basis of joint and several liability, or with one member of the group as a main contractor with a number of sub-contractors or on any other basis as Bord Gáis considers appropriate.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: If any of the conditions set out in Regulation 53(1) of The European Communities (Award of Public Authorities Contracts) Regulations apply to the applicant, the applicant will be excluded from the competition.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: A full description of candidates' required economic and financial capacity will be set out in the tender document.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions: A full description of candidates' required technical capacity will be set out in the tender document.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Negotiated

Some candidates have already been selected (if appropriate under certain types of negotiated procedures): no

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of the criteria stated in the specifications or in the invitation to tender or to negotiate

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting entity

13/023.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice on a buyer profile

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 67-112143](#) of 5.4.2013

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents

(except for a DPS)

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: ..

Payable documents: no

IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

27.6.2013 - 12:00

IV.3.5. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English.

Other: Gaelige

IV.3.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

IV.3.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 2014.

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

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

VI.3. Additional information

The Contracting Entity is utilising a one stage procedure whereby all tenderers that pass the selection criteria set out in the Invitation to Tender will have their tenders evaluated against the award criteria. This notice is being published on a voluntary basis. Interested parties must register their interest by contacting cwhite@bge.ie in order to be included on the mailing list for clarifications. All information relating to attachments, including clarifications and changes, will be circulated to persons who have expressed an interest in tendering. The Contracting Authority will not be responsible for any costs, charges or expenses incurred by tenderers. For further details on the procedure for this competition please refer to the Invitation to Tender.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The High Court

Postal address: High Court Central Office, Four Courts, Inns Quay

Town: Dublin

Postal code: 1

Country: Ireland

E-mail: highcourtcentraloffice@courts.ie

Telephone: +353 18886000

Fax: +353 18886125

Internet address: <http://www.courts.ie>

VI.4.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Interested parties are referred to Statutory Instrument 131 of 2010, European Communities (Award of Contracts by Utility Undertaking) (Review Procedures) Regulations 2010 (and in particular Regulation 7 and 10(2)).

VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

27.5.2013