

UK-Perth: construction work for electricity power lines
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Contract notice – utilities
Works

Directive 2004/17/EC

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Limited

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Town: Perth

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Country: United Kingdom

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For the attention of: Deborah Garry

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting entity: www.sse.com

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

Electricity

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

The contracting entity is purchasing on behalf of other contracting entities: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

Transmission Networks - Electrical Overhead Line Works (New & Refurbishment).

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

Works

Design and execution

Execution

Realisation, by whatever means of work, corresponding to the requirements specified by the contracting entities

NUTS code UKM Scotland

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Maximum number Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement
: 5

Duration of the framework agreement

Duration in years: 5

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement

Estimated value excluding VAT: 450 000 000 GBP

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

The Contracting Entity, Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission Limited (SHETL) is engaged in the reinforcement and development of its electricity transmission network for the purposes of supporting the expansion of renewable energy generation in the North of Scotland. The existing reinforcement and development programme has an anticipated duration of 8 to 10 years.

Part of this programme of works includes the increase in capacity/reinforcement of its overhead line transmission network. This will involve both an upgrade of some its current transmission network as well as the installation of new transmission lines. It is the intention of SHETL to enter into framework contracts with relevant economic operators to provide these works on its behalf. SHETL reserves the right to award any number of contracts or none at all. The nature of these works includes but is not limited to the detailed design, supply, installation, construction and commissioning or refurbishment of overhead transmission lines across Scotland as required.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

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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

SHETL intends to place framework contract(s) with an anticipated duration of 5 years with the option for SHETL to extend the contracts(s) incrementally for up to a further 4 years.

It is envisaged that the proposed conditions of contract shall be based upon the New Engineering and Construction Contract 3rd Edition.

SHETL intends to split the initial programme of works into lots. However the scope of the lots is yet to be determined. The total quantity of works is estimated at 450 000 000 (GBP) over 5 years commencing 2013, the value for each lot is also yet to be determined.

The scope is the detailed design, supply, installation, construction/refurbishment and commissioning of overhead line transmission networks within Scotland. Including, but not limited to, voltages of 132kV, 275kV and/or 400kV. The contractor will be required to deliver the works in a safe and efficient manner.

The anticipated timescales for the procurement process are as follows:

Expiry of this Call for Competition Notice 26.7.2012.

Pre-qualification process - Aug 2012.

Invitation to Tender - Oct 2012.

Tender Return - Dec 2012.

Contract Award(s) - Feb 2013.

SHETL is hereby inviting experienced economic operators to respond to this call for competition notice indicating their willingness to take part in a Pre-qualification Process prior to an Invitation to Tender.

Estimated value excluding VAT: 450 000 000 GBP

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

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

Duration in months: 60 (from the award of the contract)

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

To be advised during a Pre-qualification or Tender exercise.

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

To be advised during a Pre-qualification or Tender exercise.

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

Individual companies, joint ventures, partnerships or other incorporated or unincorporated entities approved by SHETL as applicable.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: yes

Description of particular conditions:

III.2. Conditions for participation

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

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions: Proven track record of successful design and construction/refurbishment of overhead line works at voltages of 132kV and above.

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

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract: no

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

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents

(except for a DPS)

Payable documents: no

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

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

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

IV.3.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

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

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

VI.4.2. Review procedure

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

13.7.2012