

Ireland-Tallaght: Professional services for the gas industry

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Commission for Regulation of Utilities

National registration number: N/A

Postal address: The Grain House, The Exchange, Belgard Square North

Town: Tallaght

NUTS code: IE Éire / Ireland

Postal code: Dublin 24 D24 PXW0

Country: Ireland

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Internet address(es):Main address: <http://www.cru.ie>Address of the buyer profile: <https://irl.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/1232>**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: http://irl.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=240941&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE[PID=240941&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE](http://irl.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=240941&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE)

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: http://irl.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=240941&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE

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I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: Regulatory Body

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Provision of Technical Consultancy Support for Gas Safety Framework

Reference number: 011-03-511

II.1.2.

Main CPV code

76100000 Professional services for the gas industry

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The CRU wishes to engage consultants to provide general technical assistance to the GSF Team to enable the CRU to operate the gas safety regulatory framework effectively and efficiently. The contractor is required to provide general technical assistance across the entirety of the gas safety regulatory framework (this excludes CRU's regulation of the gas safety supervisory body (separate team in CRU)). This includes but is not limited to supporting the CRU's safety regulation of the following activities: • operation of a gas transmission system; • operation of a gas distribution system; • operation of a natural gas storage facility; • operation of an LNG facility; • supply of natural gas (including Compressed Natural Gas (CNG)); • shipping of natural gas; • renewable natural gas (RNG) (biomethane) and hydrogen injection facilities; and, • other activities that fall within the gas safety regulatory framework or remit of the GSF team.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1 200 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description**II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

45333100 Gas regulation equipment installation work, 71356300 Technical support services, 71600000 Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services, 71621000 Technical analysis or consultancy services, 71630000 Technical inspection and testing services, 71631000 Technical inspection services, 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services, 79417000 Safety consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: IE Éire / Ireland

Main site or place of performance: Dublin 24, D24 PXW0

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The CRU is committed to playing its role to help deliver a secure, low carbon future at the least possible cost, while ensuring energy is supplied safely, empowered and protected customers pay reasonable prices, and we deliver a sustainable, reliable and efficient future for energy and water. The CRU is guided by four strategic priorities that sit alongside the core activities we undertake to deliver on the public interest. These are: • Ensure security of supply • Drive a low carbon future • Empower and protect customers • Enable our people and organisational capacity The Energy Safety Division of the CRU operates a gas safety regulatory framework for licensed natural gas and LPG undertakings. Within the Energy Safety Division responsibility for the operation of the Framework lies with the Gas Safety Framework (GSF) team. The CRU wishes to engage consultants to provide general technical assistance to the GSF Team to enable the CRU to operate the gas safety regulatory framework effectively and efficiently. The contractor is required to provide general technical assistance across the entirety of the gas safety regulatory framework (this excludes CRU's regulation of the gas safety supervisory body (separate team in CRU)). This includes but is not limited to supporting

the CRU's safety regulation of the following activities: • operation of a gas transmission system; • operation of a gas distribution system; • operation of a natural gas storage facility; • operation of an LNG facility; • supply of natural gas (including Compressed Natural Gas (CNG)); • shipping of natural gas; • renewable natural gas (RNG) (biomethane) and hydrogen injection facilities; and, • other activities that fall within the gas safety regulatory framework or remit of the GSF team.

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: 1 200 000,00 EUR

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

The contract will be awarded for a twenty-four (24) month period with the option to extend for a further twelve (12) month period with a maximum of 2 such extensions.

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

Please consult the associated documentation, which contains full instructions regarding the submission of tenders and is available to download from www.etenders.gov.ie using RFT ID 239583.

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

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III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

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III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

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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

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: 26/05/2023 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.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 26/05/2023 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The High Court

Postal address: Inns Quay

Town: Dublin

Postal code: 7

Country: Ireland

E-mail: highcourtcentraloffice@courts.ie

Internet address: www.courts.ie

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

21/04/2023