

United Kingdom-London: Gears and gearing

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Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Tube Lines Ltd

Postal address: 15 Westferry Circus, Canary Wharf

Town: London

Postal code: E14 4HD

Country: United Kingdom

For the attention of: Matilda Jinadu

E-mail: matilda.jinadu@tubelines.com

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.tubelines.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

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

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.3. Main activity

Other: Railway Transport

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: Transport for London

Postal address: SW1H 0TL

Town: London

Postal code: SW1H 0TL

Country: United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

TLL7786 – Framework for the supply of Gearwheels and Pinions.

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

Supplies

Main site or place of performance: London, Cardiff and Wales.

NUTS code UKI London,UKL Wales

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 a single operator

Duration of the framework agreement

Duration in years: 04

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

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 0,01 and 3 000 000 GBP

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

This procurement is for replacement with new of the current Gearwheels and Pinions on the Piccadilly Line as part of its life extension programme. The proposed quantities to be replaced with new will range from 0-100% in line with the known specification for the gearwheels and pinions. Tube Lines reserves the right to up issue the technical specification with amendments prior to submission of bidders best and final offers.

Any framework agreement awarded will be on a zero value basis with no obligation for Tube Lines to purchase any minimum number of parts.

Based on current known estimates, a total of between 300-500 off Gearwheels and 1100-1300 off Pinions will be required. A framework agreement is sought with a view to replacing the parts between 2013 and 2017 to ensure that the Piccadilly Line fleet life extension programme is achieved. The requirement is to seek bids for the supply of Gearwheels and Motor Pinions in accordance with the Tube Lines Specification, and in quantities ranging from 1-1376 for Gearwheels and Motor Pinions respectively. Tube Lines reserves the right to decide on the final quantities to be called off in accordance with the Framework agreement.

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: yes

II.1.8. Lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 0,01 and 3 000 000 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: 48 (from the award of the contract)

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

A bankers bond guaranteeing performance of the contract and / or an Ultimate Holding Company Guarantee may be required. Details will be given in the Invitation to Tender document.

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

Payment will be in Pounds Sterling and will normally be made by means of electronic funds transfer. Full details will be contained in the Invitation to Tender document.

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

No special legal form is required but in the event of a group of contractors submitting an acceptable offer it will be necessary to provide an undertaking that each company will be jointly and severally responsible for the due performance of the Framework Agreement.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

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

Description of particular conditions: The Prequalification Questionnaire and associated documents are to be provided upon companies expressing an interest in this contract. The Pre-qualification questionnaire will be separately issued electronically upon request by the contact point mentioned in Section 1.

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: These will be included within the Prequalification Questionnaire and Tender documents, including but not limited to:

BS EN ISO 18001:2004 or similar

ISO 14001:2007 EMAS or similar

BS EN ISO 9001:2008 or similar certified to BS EN ISO 9001:2008 by a UKAS accreditation body or equivalent national organisation.

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III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: These will be included within Prequalification Questionnaire and Tender documents.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

These will be included within Prequalification Questionnaire and Tender documents, including but not limited to the ability to conform with the following London Underground Standards.

LU Rolling Stock Standard 1-180 and Tube Lines standard 2-062 Rolling Stock Bogies.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

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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Accelerated negotiated

The Tender is being re issued due to the cancellation of the previous tendering procedure as the supplier with the winning bid went into administration prior to finalisation of the contract award. The requirement for the Goods has therefore become very urgent, thereby mandating the accelerated procedure.

IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: yes

Additional information about electronic auction: Tube Lines reserves the right to use an electronic auction at the final tendering stage. In this case, Bidders will be issued with the log in for the Tube Lines sourcing tool where they will be able to log in and participate in the E-Auction process.

IV.3. Administrative information

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

TLL7786 TLL13/08.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Other previous publications

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 74-124226](#) of 16.4.2013

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

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

6.9.2013 - 14:00

IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English.

IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

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

This is Tube Lines Limited's last call for competition i.e., this notice is a call for competition in accordance with Directive 2004/17/EC. It is not intended that any further call for competition be made although Tube Lines Limited reserves the right to place further calls at its sole discretion. Interested parties should also note:

- Tube Lines Limited's Framework Agreement terms and conditions for the Supply of Goods will apply. Full details will be included in the Invitation to Tender documents.
 - The contract and any matters, including the disputes, arising out of it will be subject to English Law and the exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts.
 - Tube Lines Limited does not bind itself to accept any tender.
 - Registration of interest in this procurement by any party does not guarantee inclusion of the party on the tender enquiry list. Tube Lines Limited shall select candidates to receive invitations to tender in accordance with objective criteria as detailed in IV.2.1 of this Notice and in the invitation to tender documents.
 - Tube Lines Limited reserves the right to select those candidates with whom it wishes to negotiate. This will be done on an objective basis according to objective criteria and rules laid down by Tube Lines Limited.
 - This contract falls within the scope of the requirements of the Public Private Partnership for London Underground and award will be subject to the provisions of the Public Private Partnership.
 - Tube Lines Limited reserves the right to disqualify any candidate which:
 - provides information or confirmations which later prove to be untrue or incorrect; or
 - does not supply the information required by this notice or pre-qualification questionnaire; or
 - contravenes the criteria detailed in Regulation 26 of The Utilities Contracts Regulations 2006.
- Tube Lines and other members of the TfL Group will also be able to call-off parts under the Framework agreement.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

VI.4.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The Contracting Entity will operate a ten day standstill period following notification to bidders of the award decision. Any framework will not be entered into during this standstill period. Requests for future debriefing and appeals must be made in accordance with the Utilities Contract Regulations 2006.

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

22.8.2013