

Germany-Berlin: Offshore platforms
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Contract notice – utilities
Supplies

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

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I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:f/s/EFSS/EFSS/ErTRZpbGps9GuJmLdu0UjScBQsQVkJMRqh7MHOezzi-l6rQ?e=EJJCtD>
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.6. Main activity

Electricity

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

EPCI Offshore Platforms for the Ostwind 3 and Gennaker Projects
Reference number: WS671898477

II.1.2. Main CPV code

34514800 Offshore platforms

II.1.3. Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4. Short description

Contracting of the design, engineering, construction, supply, installation, and commissioning of 220kV AC Offshore Substations for the Ostwind 3 and Gennaker projects in the Baltic Sea.

More detailed scope description is provided under the 'GOP-OSS-3AA-00-C-01-GOP Procurement Scope Description' document (provided with the tender package).

The tender will result in the award of a framework agreement to the tenderer ranked first ('Core Contractor'), second ('Back-up Contractor 1') and third ('Back-up Contractor 2') in the award decision. If less than 3 submitted binding bids are compliant, the Contracting Entity can award a framework agreement to a fewer amount of tenderers.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

45255120 Platforms facilities construction work, 45262420 Structural steel erection work for structures, 45262424 Offshore-module fabrication work, 45262425 Jacket-fabrication work, 76521000 Offshore installation services, 45255410 Offshore fabrication work

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: DE Deutschland

Main site or place of performance: Offshore platforms installation: Baltic Sea. Fabrication yard: location unknown.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

As part of the Ostwind 3 and Gennaker projects, 50 Hertz is responsible for the offshore grid connection for the designated offshore wind farm development area O-1.3 including a company owned and operated offshore platform and new substation.

The location of the project is an offshore site North-East of the island of Rügen close to the existing wind farms Arkona Becken and Wikinger.

The scope of works will include the design, procurement, fabrication, transport and installation and commissioning of an OSS including substructure and all platform systems and its related project management and coordination activities.

As per section 7 of our 'GOP-OSS-3AA-00-C-01-GOP Procurement Scope Description' document (provided with the tender package), the fabrication yard on which the works under this contract need to be performed must be compulsorily mobilized within a radius of 3 100 kilometers around the contracting entity's office location in Berlin, Germany. This restriction is necessary:

- (i) considering the availability of the contracting entity's personnel;
- (ii) to restrict the environmental impact of the platform construction (including the impact of:
 - (a) the transportation and installation campaigns of the platforms;
 - (b) the delivery of contracting entity's free issued material to the fabrication yard; and
 - (c) the travel distance of the contracting entity's personnel that needs to be available on the fabrication yard); and
- (iii) ensure the transparency and cost management in assessing the related tenders (notably for free issued materials).

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

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

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.9. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 5
Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

The selection of candidates in the selection phase shall take place according to the two-stage procedure described under this section.

For Stage 1, the candidates will first need to comply with a set of pass/fail selection criteria (regarding languages, exclusion grounds according §§123 and 124 GWB, minimum wage, finance, Code of Conduct for suppliers, company presentation, yard location, subcontracting, HSE statistics, Health and Safety and Environmental aspects).

If all pass/fail criteria for Stage 1 have been met (i.e. 'Pass'), the candidate shall be considered for Stage 2.

Otherwise (i.e. at least one 'Fail'), the candidate shall not qualify for the tender phase.

The remaining candidates will then be evaluated in Stage 2 based on their performed project references.

Each submitted project reference shall be individually assessed against a set of evaluation criteria, as listed under section 1.10. of the Selection Questionnaire (SQ).

Thereafter a total aggregate score ('TRS') shall be calculated for all provided project references, based on a predefined Scoring Model, also described in the SQ.

A minimum aggregate score of 50 % is required to be eligible for a selection. Any candidate which does not comply with this requirement shall not qualify for the tender phase.

If only five candidates (or less) do comply with this requirement, the evaluation and selection procedure shall be completed and all remaining candidates will be selected for the tender phase.

Otherwise, the following ranking principle will be applied to further limit the panel of remaining companies:

- according to the TRS, the remaining candidates will be ranked against each other,
- the five best-ranked candidates will be selected for the tender phase,
- in case the scores between the last ranked candidate and the following candidate(s) are very close (≤ 5 points), the contracting entity reserves the right to select more candidates.

Further details are provided under section 1.10 of the SQ, available at the following location:

<https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:w:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EXvogNfBegXlhQmCWqBqOCIBY6D5wy5WqkFyR-8Pt79qHA?e=OyXqvF>

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

If applicable, will be described in the Tender Documents.

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

The authority permits are not yet available for these projects. Anyhow permits at respective authorities will be applied for accordingly during the tender procedure and will be received after contract award.

As regards the duration of the framework agreement(s) (see also section II.2.7) of the contract notice), this will be further specified in the framework agreement(s).

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:

(a) languages: Agreement on the principles regarding languages as described in the introduction of the Selection Questionnaire (SQ);

(b) exclusion grounds according §§ 123, 124 GWB: Confirmation that there are no grounds for exclusion pursuant to §§ 123, 124 GWB with regard to our company and, if applicable, those from whom the suitability is borrowed;

(c) minimum wage: confirmation that paid wages are compliant with the statutory minimum wage or collectively agreed remuneration regulations are obeyed, where applicable;

(d) financial information: submission of the requested information as mentioned in the SQ and compliance with Contracting Entity's minimum financial requirements;

(e) company information: submission of a PowerPoint presentation of the company, an organisation chart showing the main Business Units and a short company presentation;

(f) yard location: confirmation of receipt of information regarding yard location requirement and requested information provided;

(f) Subcontracting: submission of subcontracting information as mentioned in the SQ if there is intention of using subcontracting to deliver the scope of this procurement procedure;

(g) code of conduct: acceptance of the contracting entity's code of conduct for suppliers.

Further details are included in the Selection Questionnaire: <https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:w:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EXvogNfBegxIhQmCWqBqOCIBY6D5wy5WqkFyR-8Pt79qHA?e=OyXqvF>

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

All of the above.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

(a) project references: submission of requested references and sufficient score to be ranked in the panel of selected companies as described in section II.2.9 of the present notice;

(b) quality management: submission of requested information as mentioned in the SQ;

(c) health and safety statistics: submission of requested information as mentioned in the SQ;

(d) health and safety: submission of requested information as mentioned in the SQ;

(e) environment: submission of requested information as mentioned in the SQ.

Further details are included in the Selection Questionnaire: <https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:w:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EXvogNfBegxIhQmCWqBqOCIBY6D5wy5WqkFyR-8Pt79qHA?e=OyXqvF>

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

All of the above.

III.1.4. Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria:

All details are provided under section VI.3).

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

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

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

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

Date: 12/07/2021 Local time: 13:30

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

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

The non-confidential part of the tender package is directly available to applicants via the weblink mentioned under section I.3) of the contract notice.

For getting access to the confidential part of the tender package, applicants are required to request the access to the tender platform (Ariba) by sending an e-mail to the e-mail address mentioned in section I.1 of the Contract Notice, providing the following information:

- name of the candidate (and for legal entities, including the company form);
- address of the candidate;
- VAT number of the candidate; and
- information of the contact person for the Tender (name, e-mail address and telephone number);
- a fully completed and signed NDA document ('D0.1-Non Disclosure Agreement (NDA)_OSS EPCI_OW3-Gennaker') in attachment, as provided at the SharePoint location mentioned in the above section I.3)

Information to access the tender on the Ariba platform will be provided by e-mail as soon as possible.

Applicants are advised to request this access as soon as possible and to click on 'intend to participate' in Ariba in order to receive possible clarifications from the contracting entity.

The applicant must complete and submit by the closing date (see IV.2.2.) the Selection Questionnaire (SQ) with the most actual available data together with the requested documents. Contracting entity doesn't guaranty to provide the Ariba login details before closing time for candidates requesting their access to Ariba less than 48 hours before closing time. The applicant is solely responsible for requesting the access to the tender on the Ariba platform on time.

The contracting entity declines any responsibility in the event of problems with the Ariba platform.

Any application not sent correctly via Ariba will be rejected.

The manuals for usage of E-Sourcing (Ariba) can be found via the following URL: <http://www.elia.be/en/suppliers/information-and-tools-for-suppliers#ariba>

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

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VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: See VI.4.1) and VI.4.3)

Town: Berlin

Country: Germany

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The application for review proceedings before the public procurement tribunal is inadmissible if:

- 1) The applicant became aware of the claimed violation of public procurement provisions before filing the application for review, but did not complain to the contracting authority within a time limit of 10 calendar days; the expiry of the time limit under § 134(2) remains unaffected;
- 2) Violations of public procurement provisions which become apparent from the tender notice are not notified to the contracting authority by the end of the time limit for the application or the submission of a tender specified in the notice;
- 3) Violations of public procurement provisions which only become apparent from the procurement documents are not notified to the contracting authority by the end of the time limit for the application or the submission of a tender specified in the notice;
- 4) More than 15 calendar days have expired since receipt of notification from the contracting authority that it is unwilling to redress the objection.

Sentence 1 shall not apply to an application under § 135(1) No 2 to have the contract declared ineffective. § 134(1) sentence 2 shall remain unaffected.

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

Official name: See VI.4.1) and VI.4.3)

Town: Berlin

Country: Germany

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

04/06/2021