

**Ireland-Dublin: Services related to the oil and gas industry**  
**OJ S 229/2014 27/11/2014**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Directive 2004/18/EC**

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources  
Postal address: 29-31 Adelaide Road  
Town: Dublin  
Postal code: 2  
Country: Ireland  
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**Internet address(es):**  
General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.dcenr.gov.ie>

**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

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

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description**

**II.1.1. Title**

Procurement of a Consultant Geophysicist by the Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources.

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

Services  
Service category No 27: Other services  
Main site or place of performance: Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources, Dublin 2.  
NUTS code IE Éire / Ireland

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**

**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The Consultant Geophysicist will be required to provide expert input as required across the broad spectrum of the Department's functions in this area, including:  
— Carrying out seismic interpretation, Kingdom and Landmark-based, on a wide range of

projects at both a regional and prospect level;

- Independent well depth prognoses and review and audit of licensees' interpretation reports;
- Assisting in the evaluation of applications for new authorisations and providing input for the agreement of work programmes for new and existing authorisations;
- Engaging with seismic contractors and oil companies in relation to the planning of geophysical surveys and providing expert input to the Department's assessment of applications for new geophysical data acquisition;
- Participating at meetings with existing licensees and applicants\potential applicants;
- Assisting with the development and delivery of the Department's promotion campaign addressed at attracting new investment in exploration in the Irish offshore. This work may involve engaging with senior oil industry personnel and attendance at conferences and exhibitions, both in Ireland and abroad;
- Providing expert input as appropriate across a broad range of activities of the Department in this sector; and;
- Providing expert input to support the Department in respect of research projects in which it is involved.

**II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

76000000 Services related to the oil and gas industry, 76100000 Professional services for the gas industry, 76200000 Professional services for the oil industry

**II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

**II.2. Total value of the contract/lot**

**II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot**

Including VAT. VAT rate (%) 2

**Section IV: Procedure**

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**IV.1. Type of procedure**

**IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open

**IV.2. Award criteria**

**IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Cost. Weighting 30
2. Expertise/experience. Weighting 50
3. Understanding of role. Weighting 20

**IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

**IV.3. Administrative information**

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

**IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

no

## Section V: Award of contract

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Contract No: 1

Lot No: 1

- Lot title:

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

15.1.2014

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Morgan Geophysics

Postal address: Sandycove

Town: Dublin

Postal code: 2

Country: Ireland

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

## Section VI: Complementary information

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**VI.1. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:

no

**VI.2. Additional information**

**VI.3. Procedures for review**

**VI.3.1. Review body**

**VI.3.2. Review procedure**

**VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

**VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

26.11.2014