

475664-2026 - Result

Ireland – Energy and related services – Greenlink Blackstart Services 2026

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Contract or concession award notice – standard regime
Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: EirGrid plc

Email: tenders@eirgrid.com

Legal type of the buyer: Entity with special or exclusive rights

Activity of the contracting entity: Electricity-related activities

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Greenlink Blackstart Services 2026

Description: EirGrid intends to enter into an agreement with Greenlink Interconnector ("Greenlink") for the provision of Black Start services. This agreement aims to enhance system resilience and ensure rapid restoration capabilities in the event of a major outage. It is structured to address the technical requirements and operational needs specific to Black Start scenarios. This agreement is for 3 years from 23 February 2026 - 23 February 2029 with an option to extend for 2 additional years (5 years in total) value is €680K per year - €3,400,000 total over the potential 5 years

Procedure identifier: e330d41e-ac29-431d-b36d-21d7a88dacf2

Internal identifier: 1

Type of procedure: Negotiated without prior call for competition

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 71314000 Energy and related services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 3 400 000,00 EUR

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

5. Lot

5.1. Lot: LOT-0001

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The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.7. Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: No strategic procurement

5.1.15. Techniques

Framework agreement:

Framework agreement, without reopening of competition

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: EirGrid plc

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation signing the contract: EirGrid plc

6. Results

Approximate value of the framework agreements

:

3 400 000,00

EUR

Direct award

:

Justification for direct award: The contract can be provided only by a particular economic operator because of an absence of competition for technical reasons

Other justification: EirGrid intends to enter into an agreement with Greenlink Interconnector ("Greenlink") for the provision of Black Start services. This agreement aims to enhance system resilience and ensure rapid restoration capabilities in the event of a major outage. It is

structured to address the technical requirements and operational needs specific to Black Start scenarios.

6.1. Result lot identifier: LOT-0001

Winner selection status: At least one winner was chosen.

Framework agreement:

Re-estimated value of the framework agreement: 3 400 000,00 EUR

6.1.2. Information about winners

Winner:

Official name: Greenlink

Tender:

Tender identifier: 1

Identifier of lot or group of lots: LOT-0001

Value of the tender: 3 400 000,00 EUR

The tender is a variant: no

Subcontracting: No

Contract information:

Identifier of the contract: 1

Organisation signing the contract: EirGrid plc

6.1.4. Statistical information

Received tenders or requests to participate:

Type of received submissions: Tenders

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 1

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: EirGrid plc

Registration number: 338522

Postal address: 160 Shelbourne Road, Ballsbridge

Town: Dublin

Postcode: Dublin 4

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: tenders@eirgrid.com

Telephone: 0000

Internet address: <https://www.eirgridgroup.com/>

Buyer profile: <https://www.eirgridgroup.com/>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

Organisation signing the contract

8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: The High Court of Ireland

Registration number: The High Court of Ireland

Department: The High Court of Ireland

Postal address: Four Courts, Inns Quay, Dublin 7

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D07 WDX8

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: HighCourtCentralOffice@courts.ie

Telephone: +353 1 8886000

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: European Dynamics S.A.

Registration number: 002024901000

Department: European Dynamics S.A.

Town: Athens

Postcode: 15125

Country subdivision (NUTS): Βόρειος Τομέας Αθηνών (EL301)

Country: Greece

Email: eproc-esender@eurodyn.com

Telephone: +30 2108094500

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

8.1. ORG-0004

Official name: Greenlink

Size of the economic operator: Medium

Registration number: 536954

Town: dublin

Postcode: D24 KF85

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

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