

522497-2026 - Direct award preannouncement

Ireland – Subsea pipelines – 25-024 Marine Outfall Pipeline for the proposed Greater Dublin Drainage (GDD) Project
OJ S 143/2026 28/07/2026
Voluntary ex-ante transparency notice
Supplies

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Uisce Éireann

Email: tenders@water.ie

Legal type of the buyer: Body governed by public law, controlled by a central government authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: 25-024 Marine Outfall Pipeline for the proposed Greater Dublin Drainage (GDD) Project

Description: The Contracting Entity is procuring the main contracts for the GDD Project. In the meantime, the Contracting Entity intends to use the negotiated procedure without prior call for competition for the award of a reservation slot agreement with Pipelife AS in respect of the marine outfall pipeline element of the GDD Project. It is intended that the successful main contractor for this element of the GDD Project will then enter into a supply only agreement with Pipelife AS for the marine outfall pipeline.

Procedure identifier: 92150cac-cc75-40bc-a046-b7445cc9aa7b

Type of procedure: Negotiated without prior call for competition

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Main classification (cpv): 44161410 Subsea pipelines

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country: Ireland

Anywhere in the given country

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

5. Lot

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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

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: Uisce Éireann

6. Results

Value of all contracts awarded in this notice: 1 200 000,00 EUR

Direct award

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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: The Contracting Entity requires a circa 4km large (c. 2.1m) diameter PE100 HDPE pipeline in continuously extruded lengths of typically 500m. Alternative solutions (involving shorter length pipeline) have been discounted on account of the increased risks such pipelines would pose by reason of potential leakage and increased repair and maintenance requirements. // The required pipeline has a limited number of manufacturers. In addition, there are seasonal constraints associated with the installation of the pipeline which requires that delivery occurs at specific timeframes. // A Request for Information was published in the OJEU to confirm the availability of suppliers capable of providing this pipeline to Ireland. Only one manufacturer (Pipelife AS) confirmed that it could manufacturer and supply this pipeline directly. This aligns with the Contracting Entity's additional market research which indicated that there are no other European-based manufacturers of the pipeline. In addition, technical advice has confirmed that the supply of the pipeline from non-European manufacturers is not practicable due to geographical constraints. // This VEAT notice is in respect of the reservation slot agreement only as it is intended that the pipeline supply contract will be included in the main contract for the GDD Project.

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Uisce Éireann

Postal address: Webworks, Eglinton Street, Cork

Town: Cork

Postcode: T12YHR3

Country subdivision (NUTS): South-West (IE053)

Country: Ireland

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Buyer profile: www.water.ie

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Review organisation

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: Pipelife Norge AS

Town: Hamnesvegen 97, 6650 Surnadal, Norway

Postcode: 6650 Surnadal

Country subdivision (NUTS): Agglomeratie Leiden en Bollenstreek (NL363)

Country: Norway

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

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