

**Germany-Berlin: Submarine cable**  
**OJ S 214/2022 07/11/2022**  
**Contract notice – utilities**  
**Supplies**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/25/EU

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**Section I: Contracting entity**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: 50Hertz Offshore GmbH  
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Town: Berlin  
NUTS code: DE300 Berlin  
Postal code: 10557  
Country: Germany  
Contact person: Anette Spille  
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**Internet address(es):**  
Main address: [www.50hertz.com](http://www.50hertz.com)

**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/EjaqeXI9qTVHm1xwK-qyTYwBRo\\_x7zaT6yoDfTIX6mujLA?e=JN0axf](https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:f:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EjaqeXI9qTVHm1xwK-qyTYwBRo_x7zaT6yoDfTIX6mujLA?e=JN0axf)  
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

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1. Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1. Title**

220 kV Submarine and Land Cable System for the OST-6-1 Grid Connection

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

31321500 Submarine cable

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4. Short description**

Contracting of design, engineering, construction, supply, installation, burial, handling and commissioning of the 220 kV Submarine and Land Cable Systems for the OST-6-1 Grid Connection from Onshore Substation i.R. Gnewitz to the two Offshore Substations in the Offshore Windpark Gennaker within the 12nm zone of the Baltic Sea.

There are two lots. Bidder has the option to bid for both lots and may receive awards for both lots.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 2

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.1. Title**

OST-6-1 Lot 1 West

Lot No: 1

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

31321300 High-voltage cable, 31321400 Underwater cable, 60630000 Cable-laying ship services

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: DE80 Mecklenburg-Vorpommern

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The project is divided in to two lots.

OST-6-1 Lot 1 West is for the production, Transport and Installation of 2 (two) HV electrical grid connection systems incl. ancillary systems, accessories and parts for the grid connection OST-6-1 (cable systems between Offshore Substation West and Onshore Substation i.R. Gnewitz) with a total route length of approximately 71 km per cable system (142 km total length), each route consists of approximately 33 km onshore cable route and 38 km offshore cable route.

In addition, certain Cable Design Engineering Services are to be performed by the most economic bidders prior to award for a fixed sum for each Lot as described above.

#### **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.2.10. 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 this project. Anyhow permits at respective authorities will be applied for accordingly during the tender procedure and will be received after contract award.

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.1. Title**

OST-6-1 Lot 1 East  
Lot No: 2

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

31321300 High-voltage cable, 31321400 Underwater cable, 60630000 Cable-laying ship services

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: DE80 Mecklenburg-Vorpommern

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The project is divided in to two lots.

OST-6-1 Lot 2 East is for the Production, Transport and Installation of 1 (one) HV electrical grid connection system incl. ancillary systems, accessories and parts for the grid connection OST-6-1 (cable system between Offshore Substation East and Onshore Substation i.R. Gnewitz) with a total route length of approximately 88 km, consisting of approximately 33km onshore cable route and 55 km offshore cable route, and 1 (one) HV by-pass system incl. ancillary systems, accessories and parts for the grid connection OST-6-1 (cable systems between Offshore Substation West and Onshore Substation East) with an approximate route length of 21 km.

In addition, certain Cable Design Engineering Services are to be performed by the most economic bidders prior to award for a fixed sum for each Lot as described above.

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## **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

(a) 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;

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

(c) Self-declaration sanctions against Russia: Binding self-declaration in regards with existing sanctions against Russia

Further details are included in the selection questionnaire: [https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:w:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EYWIEsNW-DtBldRUug\\_zk\\_8Bml8PhKwklQt4rhF-uT\\_RUQ?e=scd4d0](https://eliagroup.sharepoint.com/:w:/s/EFSS/EFSS/EYWIEsNW-DtBldRUug_zk_8Bml8PhKwklQt4rhF-uT_RUQ?e=scd4d0)

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

All of the above

#### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

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:

Technical capability:

Submarine cables:

(a) PQ-Test: Submission of a successfully completed PQ-Test according to Cigré TB 490 section 3 for min. 220 kV submarine cable and land cable systems;

(b) type-test: Submission of a successfully completed type-test for a min. 220 kV Cu 3-phase submarine- and landcable system or Al equivalent (according to latest Cigré recommendation);

(c) delivery reference: submission of at least 1 (one) reference for delivery of min. 220 kV submarine cable of min. 1200 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu 3-phase cable or Al equivalent for commissioned projects or projects in execution, where cables are already produced and delivered of a cable length of  $\geq 20$  km.

Submarine Cable Installation:

(d) cable laying/burial reference: submission of at least 1 (one) reference for completed cable laying/burial operations of min. 110 kV 800 mm<sup>2</sup> submarine cables with min. length of accumulated 100 km during the last 5 years;

(e) offshore Jointing operations reference: submission of at least 1 (one) reference for offshore jointing operations, such as cable end recovery, joint deployment and burial of min. 110 kV 800 mm<sup>2</sup> submarine cables during the last 5 years;

(f) Pull-In operations at landfall reference: Submission of at least 1 (one) reference for either self-conducted or supervised cable pull-in operations at landfall with min. 110 kV 800 mm<sup>2</sup> submarine cables during the last 5 years.

(g) Underground Cable project reference: Submission of at least 1 (one) reference for an either self-conducted or supervised onshore underground-cable project of min. 110 kV 800 mm<sup>2</sup>, where cable route did include HDD and open trenches, during the last 5 years.

(h) Quality Management: Submission of information on Quality Certification.

(i) Environmental Management: Submission of information on Environmental Certification.

(j) Health and Safety: Submission of information on Health and Safety Certification.

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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:

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All details are provided under section VI.3).

The applicant must request, complete and submit by the closing date (see IV.2.2.) the selection questionnaire (SQ) with the most current available data together with the requested documents.

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **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**

##### **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: 25/11/2022

##### **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**

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#### **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 Ariba platform and later during the ITT-process to the confidential part of the tender package, applicants are required to request the access to the tender platform 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 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 request, complete and submit by the closing date (see IV.2.2.) the selection questionnaire (SQ) with the most current available data together with the requested documents.

Contracting entity doesn't guarantee 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**

Official name: Vergabekammer des Landes Berlin

Postal address: Martin-Luther-Straße 105

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##### **VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

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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.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

02/11/2022