

70014-2026 - Competition

Ireland – Weed-clearance services – 9108 Qualification System for Invasive Species Eradication along Railway Corridors

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Notice on the existence of a qualification system Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

Email: TBC@irishrail.ie

Legal type of the buyer: Public undertaking

Activity of the contracting entity: Railway services

2. Procedure

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Title: 9108 Qualification System for Invasive Species Eradication along Railway Corridors

Description: IE invites Applicants to participate in the pre-qualification process to appoint suitably qualified companies to a Qualification System (QS) for the treatment and control of various type of invasive plant species, at ad-hoc locations throughout the IE Rail Network. Those companies successfully appointed to the QS will receive all future tender enquiries. Invasive plant Species will include (but not limited to) Japanese Knotweed, Giant Hogweed and Buddleia as well as other species such as: Three-Cornered Leek, Himalayan Balsam, Giant Rhubarb. Background Information: IE have invasive plant infestations, that will require a treatment plan (application method and number of treatments) for each infestation. IE will require the expertise of experienced companies to carry out the treatment plan. The company would provide all necessary equipment and expertise to undertake these works in a safe manner. For example, if traffic management, MEWP or boat access is required it will be the contractors' responsibility to provide these items. IE would supply all track protection arrangements and personnel. IE may issue ad-hoc tenders from this QS to the qualified companies; however it is intended that a multi-party, multi-lot Framework Agreement will be issued from this QS to the qualified companies in the future to cover the above requirements.

Procedure identifier: a4cf9977-79d9-4074-9273-8793ff209277

Type of procedure: Negotiated with prior publication of a call for competition / competitive with negotiation

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 77312000 Weed-clearance services

Additional classification (cpv): 77312100 Weed-killing services, 77314000 Grounds maintenance services, 50225000 Railway-track maintenance services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country: Ireland

Anywhere in the given country

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

2.1.6. Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Procurement Document

5. Lot

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5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 7 Years

5.1.4. Renewal

Maximum renewals: 2

Other information about renewals: See documents

5.1.6. General information**Reserved participation:**

Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

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

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

Address of the procurement documents: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/dps/listDPSCContractDocuments.do?resourceId=7412809>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/viewTenders.do?resourceId=7412809>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Deadline for receipt of requests to participate: 28/01/2031 12:00:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

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

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

Organisation processing tenders: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Iarnród Éireann-Irish Rail

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Postcode: Dublin 8

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: TBC@irishrail.ie

Telephone: 01 836 6222

Internet address: <https://www.irishrail.ie>

Buyer profile: <https://www.irishrail.ie>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

Organisation receiving requests to participate

Organisation processing tenders

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
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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
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Roles of this organisation:

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