

763286-2025 - Competition

Germany – Decommissioning services – Alpha Ventus Decommissioning - BoP scope

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Prior information notice or a periodic indicative notice used as a call for competition – standard regime

Services - Works

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Vattenfall

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Activity of the contracting entity: Electricity-related activities

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: Alpha Ventus Decommissioning - BoP scope

Description: The contract shall include all the required work for the decommissioning of Balance of Plant (BoP) components for the Alpha Ventus Offshore Wind Farm. The scope of work for the BoP decommissioning shall comprise:

- Dismantling and transport to shore of all 12 WTG foundations (6 Jackets and 6 Tripods) as well as the OSS Jacket installed within Alpha Ventus OWF, including provision of required vessels, equipment, tools and personnel.
- Option 1: Partial pile removal (mechanical separation of piles and supporting structure).
- Option 2: Full pile extraction (additional scope of complete pile removal by Vibrohammer or other extraction method).
- Dismantling and transport to shore of the OSS Topside installed within Alpha Ventus OWF, including provision of required vessels, equipment, tools and personnel.
- Cutting and recovery of inter-array cables and related cable protection systems installed within Alpha Ventus OWF and transport to shore, including provision of required vessels, equipment, tools and personnel.
- Optional: Cutting the export cable at the offshore substation including wet storage.
- Optional: Removal and transport to shore of Scour Protection installed within Alpha Ventus OWF, including provision of required vessels, equipment, tools and personnel.
- Provision of required marshalling harbours and other support services.
- Onshore processing and disposal/recycling of all components, including temporary storage, logistics and facilities.
- All required engineering works and creation of planning documentation.
- Pre/post decommissioning surveys (as required)

The works are expected to commence from 2027 onwards, however we are also considering start dates in 2028.

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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

Additional nature of the contract: Works

Main classification (cpv): 98391000 Decommissioning services

Additional classification (cpv): 45244000 Marine construction works, 60630000 Cable-laying ship services, 60651100 Hire of sea-going vessels with crew, 60651400 Heavy-lift ship services, 76521000 Offshore installation services

2.1.2. Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Oldenburg (Oldenburg), Kreisfreie Stadt (DE943)

Country: Germany

Additional information: See documentation - The contracting entity to enter into the contract for Alpha Ventus Offshore Wind Farm Decommissioning is Deutsche Offshore-Testfeld und Infrastruktur GmbH & Co. KG, Tirpitzstraße 39, 26122 Oldenburg, Germany. Registered in Germany. Employer reserves the right to change the entity.

2.1.3. Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 50 000 000,00 EUR

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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Options:

Description of the options: - Full pile extraction (additional scope of complete pile removal by Vibrohammer or other extraction method). - Cutting the export cable at the offshore substation including wet storage. - Removal and transport to shore of Scour Protection installed within Alpha Ventus OWF, including provision of required vessels, equipment, tools and personnel.

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5.1.3. Estimated duration

Duration: 2 027 Years

5.1.5. Value

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5.1.6. General information

Reserved participation:

Participation is not reserved.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no

5.1.9. Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

Information about the second stage of a two-stage procedure:

The procedure will take place in successive stages. At each stage, some participants may be eliminated

5.1.11. Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Address of the procurement documents: <https://s2c.mercell.com/today/180754>

5.1.12. Terms of procurement

Terms of the procedure:

Estimated date of dispatch of the invitations to submit tenders: 16/03/2026

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://s2c.mercell.com/today/180754>

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

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Variants: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Description of the financial guarantee: Parent company guarantee required with ITT Early payment bond if required

Deadline for receipt of expressions of interest: 16/12/2025 10:30:00 (UTC+00:00) Western European Time, GMT

Information that can be supplemented after the submission deadline:

No documents can be submitted later.

Terms of contract:

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

A non-disclosure agreement is required: yes

Additional information about the non-disclosure agreement: See documentation

Legal form that must be taken by a group of tenderers that is awarded a contract: See documentation

Financial arrangement: See documentation

5.1.15. Techniques**Framework agreement:**

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16. Further information, mediation and review

Information about review deadlines: See documentation

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Vattenfall

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Vattenfall

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Vattenfall

Organisation processing tenders: Vattenfall

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: Vattenfall

Registration number: 556036-2138

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Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

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8.1. ORG-0002

Official name: Mercell Holding ASA

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Postcode: 0277

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Country: Norway

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Roles of this organisation:

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