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**France-Paris La Défense: Engineering works and construction works
2022/S 223-640532**

Contract notice – utilities

Works

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) **Name and addresses**

Official name: RTE - Réseau Transport Electricité

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I.3) **Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at: <https://rte-france.bravosolution.com/fr/login.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://rte-france.bravosolution.com/fr/login.html>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.6) **Main activity**

Electricity

Section II: Object

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

II.1.1) **Title:**

Dunkerque Offshore Wind Farm Connection to the Grid - Offshore Substation

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**

45220000 Engineering works and construction works

II.1.3) **Type of contract**

Works

II.1.4) **Short description:**

Within the framework of the AO3 (French government Tender for offshore wind farm No 3) project which consists in developing a wind farm off Dunkerque, RTE is in charge of the connection to the grid. This includes the necessary high voltage offshore substation as part of RTE's scope, procurement of which is the purpose of the present contract notice.

More information about the project are available at <https://www.rte-france.com/projets/nos-projets/raccordement-parc-eolien-mer-dunkerque#Leprojet>.

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) **Description**

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

34514800 Offshore platforms

45244000 Marine construction works

45255120 Platforms facilities construction work

45255121 Topside facilities construction work

45255410 Offshore fabrication work

45255420 Onshore fabrication work

45259000 Repair and maintenance of plant

45262425 Jacket-fabrication work

50000000 Repair and maintenance services

50200000 Repair, maintenance and associated services related to aircraft, railways, roads and marine equipment

50324200 Preventive maintenance services

50530000 Repair and maintenance services of machinery

50532400 Repair and maintenance services of electrical distribution equipment

50710000 Repair and maintenance services of electrical and mechanical building installations

71300000 Engineering services

71320000 Engineering design services

76520000 Offshore services

76521000 Offshore installation services

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: FR France

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

This procurement process aims at awarding one (1) single awardee with two (2) contracts, namely

- one (1) EPCIC contract including engineering, procurement, construction, installation and commissioning of the high voltage offshore substation;

- one (1) O&M contract for operations and maintenance of the high voltage offshore substation for a period of up to twenty (20) years.

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: 288

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 5

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: yes

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

Where applicable, options will be described in the tender documents.

However, in particular, the tender documents will include the option for RTE to reconsider pursuing with the scope of O&M services or not, on the date which is every five (5) years from the offshore substation taking-over date.

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

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

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:

Please refer to the pre-qualification questionnaire (PQQ).

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria are set out in the PQQ which includes an assessment of the applicant's financial standing.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Selection criteria are set out in the PQQ. There are minimum requirements in relation to technical and professional ability that must be satisfied for the applicant to remain in the competition.

III.1.4) Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria:

Only those applicants who meet the legal, financial and technical requirements will be invited to participate in the tender.

Please refer to the PQQ for full information about the rules and criteria for participation.

III.1.8) Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded:

Applicants may submit an offer as a: (i) single company/group or (ii) Joint Venture (JV)/consortium.
In the case (ii), PQQ responses will be accepted provided that at least one (1) member entity has expressed its interest before the time limit set in section IV.2.2.

Any entity involved in a PQQ response will be required to sign a non-disclosure agreement.

A common and single PQQ submission consolidating responses for all members of a JV/consortium will be required for any such applicant.

RTE reserves the right to require all the JV/consortium members, or as a minimum its leader, to be jointly and severally liable for the performance of the two (2) contracts in case of award.

An applicant submitting an offer as a single company/group shall not submit an offer as member of a JV/consortium.

RTE reserves the right to exclude applicants which would change the JV/consortium organisation or composition during the tender process.

Additional conditions may be added to the tender documents.

Section IV: Procedure

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2021/S 005-007944](#)

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 07/12/2022

Local time: 16:00

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

Date: 17/03/2023

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:

English, French

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3) Additional information:

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Official name: Tribunal de Grande Instance de Nanterre

Postal address: 179-191 avenue Joliot-Curie

Town: Nanterre

Postal code: 92020

Country: France

VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

A claim in a pre-contractual summary proceeding is possible as stated in articles 5 et seq. of Order NO.2009-515 of 7 May of 2009 related to complaint proceedings applicable to public procurement contracts.

The appeal must be lodged before the conclusion of the contract.

A claim in a pre-contractual summary proceeding is possible as stated in articles 11 et seq. of Order NO.2009-515 of 7 May of 2009 related to complaint proceedings applicable to public procurement contracts.

The appeal must be lodged at the latest on the thirty first (31) day following the publication of the contract award notice in the Official Journal of the European Union or, for the contracts based on a framework agreement or on a dynamic purchasing system, following the notification of the contract signature.

In the absence of publication of the award notice or in the absence of notification of the contract signature, an application to the competent court may be made until the expiry of a six (6) months period starting at the day after the contract award as stated in article 1441-3 of the Civil Procedure Code.

VI.4.4) **Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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Postal address: 179-191 avenue Joliot-Curie

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VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

15/11/2022