
**France-Paris la Défense: Miscellaneous structures
2023/S 144-460724**

Contract notice – utilities

Supplies

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Official name: Framework agreement for the supply of PV structures

Postal address: Cœur Défense - Tour B 100, esplanade du Général de Gaulle Paris La Défense Cedex

Town: Paris La Défense

NUTS code: FR105 Hauts-de-Seine

Postal code: 92932

Country: France

Contact person: Alexandre Deparis

E-mail:

Telephone: +33 140902319

Internet address(es):

Main address:

Address of the buyer profile:

I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically

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:

Framework agreement for the supply of PV structures

II.1.2) Main CPV code

44212320 Miscellaneous structures

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description:

EDF Renouvelables launches a global tender for contracting a framework agreement to supply photovoltaic structures to be used for solar projects in France.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 150 000 000.00 EUR

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- 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: 1
- II.2) **Description**
- II.2.1) **Title:**
Framework agreement for the supply of PV structures
Lot No: 1
- II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**
44212320 Miscellaneous structures
- II.2.3) **Place of performance**
NUTS code: FR France
Main site or place of performance:
France
- II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**
The procurement will consist in the following scope of supply :
- Structure and foundation _ Design & Engineering
- Manufacturing and supply of steel structures, for the installation of photovoltaic modules, to be delivered in France between Q3 2024 and Q2 2027.
- Supply shall include structures compliant with applied regulation
More details is available on
- 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**
Value excluding VAT: 57 000 000.00 EUR
- II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**
Start: 01/05/2024
End: 31/05/2027
This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Description of renewals:
Option for a 12 month renewal
- II.2.9) **Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**
Envisaged minimum number: 4
Maximum number: 50
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**
Variants will be accepted: yes
- II.2.11) **Information about options**
Options: yes
Description of options:

- Option for additional annual quantity above base quantity.
- Option for a 12 month renewal

The following options could be quoted separately:

- pull-out tests
- Structures Installation
- Structure foundations
- Modules installation

A part of the scope could be optional which would be described in the tender

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**

Applications must be submitted electronically via AVIS003128 through the EDF Renouvelables purchasing platform, called the Purchasing Portal, accessible

In order to be able to access the purchasing portal and to apply for it, the candidate will have to register in advance on the platform.

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Framework agreement for the supply of PV Structures

Lot No: 2

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

44212320 Miscellaneous structures

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: FR France

Main site or place of performance:

France

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

The procurement will consist in the following scope of supply :

- Structure and foundation _ Design & Engineering
- Manufacturing and supply of steel structures, for the installation of photovoltaic modules, to be delivered in France between 2024 and 2026.
- Supply shall include structures compliant with applied regulation

More details is available on

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**

Value excluding VAT: 44 000 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/05/2024

End: 31/05/2027

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Option for a 12 month renewal

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

Envisaged minimum number: 4

Maximum number: 50

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: yes

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

Optional list:

- Option for additional annual quantity above base quantity.
- Option for a 12 month renewal

The following options could be quoted separately:

- pull-out tests
- Structures Installation
- Structure foundations
- Modules installation

A part of the scope could be optional which would be described in the tender

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II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Framework agreement for the supply of PV Structures

Lot No: 3

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

44212320 Miscellaneous structures

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: FR France

Main site or place of performance:

France

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

The procurement will consist in the following scope of supply :

- Structure and foundation _ Design & Engineering
- Manufacturing and supply of steel structures, for the installation of photovoltaic modules, to be delivered in France between 2024 and 2026.
- Supply shall include structures compliant with applied regulation

More details is available on

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**

Value excluding VAT: 32 000 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/05/2024

End: 31/05/2027

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Option for a 12 month renewal

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

Envisaged minimum number: 4

Maximum number: 50

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: yes

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

- Option for additional annual quantity above base quantity.
- Option for a 12 month renewal

The following options could be quoted separately:

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- Structures Installation
- Structure foundations
- Modules installation

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II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

Framework agreement for the supply of PV Structures

Lot No: 4

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

44212320 Miscellaneous structures

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: FR France

Main site or place of performance:

France

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

The procurement will consist in the following scope of supply :

- Structure and foundation _ Design & Engineering
 - Manufacturing and supply of steel structures, for the installation of photovoltaic modules, to be delivered in France between 2024 and 2026.
 - Supply shall include structures compliant with applied regulation
- More details is available

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**

Value excluding VAT: 15 000 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/05/2024

End: 31/05/2027

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

Option for a 12 month renewal

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Maximum number: 50

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: yes

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: yes

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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:

The candidates, company or grouping, cannot bid if they have been subject to the cases mentioned in articles L2141-1 to L2141-11 of the Public Order Code (code de la Commande Publique).

The candidate undertakes to report any change of situation in accordance with Article L2141-12 of the Public Order Code.

The candidate must comply with articles L. 5212-1 to L. 5212-11 of the French Labor Code concerning the employment of disabled workers. Only companies and groups that have submitted the following documents may bid:

- a grouping agreement duly completed if several candidates wish to present themselves and specifying the services or supply to be performed by each member of the grouping, based on the EDF Renewables model communicated on the EDF purchasing portal (PHA)
- a certificate on honour of non-conviction of the company or each member of the grouping, based on the EDF Renewables model communicated on the EDF purchasing portal (PHA),
- a K-Bis extract of less than six (6) months from the applicant establishment or each establishment in the grouping,
- a certificate of social declarations and payment of contributions from the company or each member of the grouping,
- a certificate of fiscal regularity from the company or each member of the grouping,
- a certificate of civil liability insurance for the company or each member of the group,
- the EDF compliance questionnaire duly completed, dated and signed by the company or by each member of the consortium, based on the EDF Renewables model communicated on the EDF purchasing portal (PHA).

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

List and brief description of selection criteria:

All evidences expected are mandatory. If not supplied, the Candidate application shall not be considered.

-Financial statements for the last 3 years

-If the candidate cannot share its financial statements, it needs to share its parents company's one and provide a mother company warranty

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

The average turnover for the last three years should be equivalent or above twice the amount of the considered scope/lot.

The financial criteria will be applied to each lot.

For example: if a supplier does not pass the financial criteria for lots 1 and 2, it will automatically be considered for lots 3 and 4 only.

1) The company or each member of the consortium must submit a presentation of its structure, its organization, and in case of a subsidiary, must indicate the name of its parent company and its share.

III.1.3) **Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Candidates must be able to prove that:

- They have sufficient and operational production capacity for at least a 50 MW per year production of an owned structure design . A clarification shall be made on the possession of an in-house production tool or not.
- If already a player of PV structures manufacturing, they can provide references for at least the 4 previous years, including project names, installed power, location, customer, gross sales in euros, and type of equipment and/or works done by the candidate for each project;
- They are certified NF EN ISO9001 or equivalent, as well as NF EN ISO14001 or equivalent (valid certificates to provide);
- They have its own human resources in order not to subcontract more than 30% of the scope of supply (amount and list of tasks subcontracted to provide, as well as an honor statement);
- They have sufficient resources (human, technical, financial) in order to provide the equipment and engineering. A minimum 3 pages report shall be provided;
- They have the capacity to read, write and understand French and/or English language (in the following fields : commercial, engineering, technical support). Honor statement to provide
- They will be the company which will provide the design and equipment for the projects (contract transfer to another company not possible). Honor statement to provide.
- They have the capacity to deliver a 10 years Guarantee (Garantie decennale) in case there is integrating the mounting of the structures itself

III.1.4) **Objective rules and criteria for participation**

List and brief description of rules and criteria:

Suppliers respond to all lots and will be awarded in multi-criteria ranking order. EDF Renewables will award one lot per supplier

Financial criteria will be applied to each lot.

III.1.6) **Deposits and guarantees required:**

The conditions relating to financial guarantees will be presented in the administrative and specific clauses, however, EDF Renewables reserves the right to ask for the following guarantees:

1 / Deposit refund bank guarantee covering the amount of the down payment that would eventually be paid to the candidate at the signing of the contract. This bank guarantee must be issued by institution / institution / bank approved by EDF Renewables.

2 / Guarantee Mother House. However, if the candidate is not a subsidiary or the parent company is not in the ability to deliver a home warranty Mother, the applicant must provide a bank guarantee issued by a school / institution / bank approved by EDF Renewables. The applicant and the institution issuing the bank guarantee must regularly provide an update of their accounts and financial reports until the end of the guarantee period.

III.1.7) **Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them:**

Financing from own resources- Payment under 45 days end of month or within 60 days net.

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

Candidates may be either single companies or consortiums.

In case the Candidate is:

— A consortium, a Consortium Agreement or the project of Consortium Agreement has to be included. The consortium shall be jointly and severally liable ('conjoint et solidaire') or with a jointly liable leader ('mandataire solidaire'),

Conditions describes from III.1.1 to III.1.3 should apply to each member of the consortium

A Tenderer, which will submit an offer as member of a consortium or a joint-venture, may not submit an offer as single company or with another consortium or joint-venture.

III.2) **Conditions related to the contract**

III.2.2) **Contract performance conditions:**

For production as well as for installation part, only subcontracting of rank 2 is allowed. If structure fabrication is subcontracted, contractor bears the guarantee on the design and production.

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**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 4

IV.1.8) **Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) **Administrative information**

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

Date: 15/09/2023

Local time: 15:00

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

Date: 07/10/2023

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

French, English

IV.2.6) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) **Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3) **Additional information:**

Applicants must express their interest in this contract notice by logging on to the Purchasing Portal and accessing the AVIS003128 information request, as well as, where appropriate, other relevant terms and conditions.

Any supplier can register on the Internet page: register, the supplier has to fill in a questionnaire. Fields followed by * are mandatory an identification number is required:

For EU suppliers, the intra-community VAT number is mandatory.

For suppliers outside European Union, the national identification number (or DUNS number) is mandatory.

For French suppliers (except non-profit organizations), the SIRET number is mandatory

Suppliers have to enter a main contact. By default, this contact will be registered as the administrator of the supplier's record.

As soon as practical after receipt of any request for clarification through the Purchasing Portal AVIS003128, EDF Renouvelables shall respond through the Purchasing Portal mailbox. EDF Renouvelables's response

(including an explanation of the request but without identifying the source of the enquiry) may be sent, as the case may be, to all prospective Candidates.

If you have any difficulties to access the Purchasing Portal, please contact the helped whom will provide technical support.

The contact details are on the homepage of the Purchasing Portal:

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 Cedex

Postal code: 92020

Country: France

Telephone: +33 140971010

Internet address:

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

Official name: Greffe du Tribunal de Grande Instance de Nanterre

Postal address: 179-191 Avenue Joliot Curie

Town: Nanterre Cedex

Postal code: 92020

Country: France

Telephone: +33 140971010

Internet address:

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

25/07/2023