# France-Marcq-en-Barœul: Construction work for electricity power lines 2023/S 232-728945

#### Contract notice - utilities

#### Works

## Legal Basis:

## Directive 2014/25/EU

# Section I: Contracting entity

## I.1) Name and addresses

Official name: RTE Réseau de Transport d'Electricité Postal address: 62 rue louis delos Town: Marcq en baroeul NUTS code: FR France Postal code: 59700 Country: France E-mail: Internet address(es): Main address

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access 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:

Remedial works on a 2000 MW High Voltage Direct Current (HVDC) interconnector running between the South coast of England and the North coast of France : IFA2000 Reference number: 23690

# II.1.2) Main CPV code 45231400 Construction work for electricity power lines

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

## II.1.4) Short description:

IFA2000 is a 2000 MW High Voltage Direct Current (HVDC) interconnector running between the South coast of England and the North coast of France. It is made of four (4) pairs of cables buried in four individual trenches. Recently, a subsea MBES and SSS survey has been performed alongside the cable route and has shown

two freespans on one RTE cable of one cable's pair. These freespans are less than 10m long and have been detected on English side closed to Folkestone landfall with very shallow side depth conditions. Due to potential instability, vibration and fatigue which could lead to damages to the cables, the scope of work of the contractor is to perform all necessary remedial actions to stabilize these freespans and protect the cable by the most adequate means and to provide an updated survey of the modified area.

## 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)

31321300 High-voltage cable
31321500 Submarine cable
44321000 Cable
45314310 Installation of cable laying
76521000 Offshore installation services
76522000 Offshore supply-vessel services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom Main site or place of performance:

English side closed to Folkestone landfall with very shallow side depth conditions.

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

## Context

RTE, as French Transmission System Operator, is maintaining, operating and developing the power transmission system. As central component of the electricity system, RTE supports the energy transition by leveraging the diversity of the energy package on a local, national and European scale. Since the late 1980's, RTE and National Grid are operating the IFA2000 interconnector, between France and England. IFA2000 is a 2000 MW High Voltage Direct Current (HVDC) interconnector running between the South coast of England and the North coast of France. It is made of four (4) pairs of cables buried in four individual trenches. Scope of work

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- Preparedness, including procedures, associated engineering and project management.
- Performance of cable freespans stabilization and cable system external protection.
- Performance of the remedial works as-built survey and associated reports.
- Management of interfaces with the relevant stakeholders.

## II.2.5) Award criteria

Criteria below Cost criterion - Name: total cost of operation / Weighting: 100

## II.2.6) Estimated value

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

Start: 04/03/2024 End: 31/12/2024 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: options to be included in the technical scope

## 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:

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FRENCH SUPPLIER :

Extract from the entry in the Commercial and Companies Register (form K bis),

FOREIGN SUPPLIER :

a less than three (3) month old document from an official authority certifying the registration of the Candidate on a professional Register.

A dated and signed solemn declaration certifying that the candidate is not in one of the case prohibiting it to tender as stated in articles L. 2141-1 à L. 2141-5 of Order NO. 2018-1074 of 26 November 2018 related to the public market, and especially, candidate shall be in order with requirements of articles L. 5122-1 to L.5212-11 of the French Civil Code related to employment of disabled workers ;

If the candidate is subject to insolvency procedures, all court orders and notifications.

## III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

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- Perform more than 3M€ turnover during at least one of the last three years (2020, 2021,2022)
- Turnover amount regarding the service needed for the tender, during the last 3 years (2020, 2021 and 2022)
- Short background of the company and also an organizational chart (mentioning the number of employees)

- Datas of company from a juridic point of view in order to clearly understand the financial means, its organization and shared responsibilities.

## III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

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The following criteria will be evaluated (non exhaustive list) :

o HSE

o Technical capability to fulfill the scope of work

o Quality

o Environment management

Informations and formalities required are described in detail in attached document "Appendix avis de marché 23690 - Technical and professional ability" you can find the document on :

https://rte-france.bravosolution.com/fr/login.html; then you click on : Avis d'appel à la concurrence --> the ID of the opportunity : 23690

## 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.1.8) 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: 22/12/2023 Local time: 12:00
- 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

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: Nanterre Tribunal Postal address: 179-191, avenue Joliot-Curie Town: Nanterre CEDEX Postal code: 92020 Country: France Telephone: +33 140971010 Fax: +33 147243161

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

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Precisions concerning the deadlines for lodging appeals:

Pre-contractual referral provided for in Articles 5 et seq. of Ordinance No. 2009-515 of 7 May 2009 on review procedures applicable to public procurement contracts. The appeal must be lodged before the contract is concluded. Contractual referral provided for in Articles 11 et seq. of Ordinance No. 2009-515 of 7 May 2009 on

the review procedures applicable to public procurement contracts. The appeal must be lodged at the latest on the thirty-first day following the publication in the Official Journal of the European Union of the notice of award of the contract or, for contracts based on a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system, following the notification of the conclusion of the contract. In the absence of publication of the notice or notification, the court may be seised until the expiry of a period of six months from the day following the day of conclusion of the contract pursuant to Article 1441-3 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

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

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VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice: 28/11/2023