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Qualification system – utilities

This notice is a call for competition

Works

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) **Name and addresses**

RSSB
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The Helicon, 1 South Place
London
EC2M 2RB
United Kingdom
Contact person: RISQS Railway Industry Supplier Qualification
Telephone: +44 8004101300
E-mail: buyersupport@risqs.org
NUTS code: UKI

Internet address(es):

Main address: www.risqs.org

I.2) **Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) **Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.6) **Main activity**

Railway services

Section II: Object

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

II.1.1) **Title:**

Railway Industry Supplier Qualification Scheme (RISQS)

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**

45000000

II.1.3) **Type of contract**

Works

II.2) **Description**

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

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK

Main site or place of performance:

RSSB,

The Helicon,
1 South Place,
London,
EC2M 2RB

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

This notice announces the existence of a qualification system for the railway industry pursuant to which the utilities, and other buyers, listed in section VI.3 below can purchase services falling within the CPV codes listed in this section II. The qualification system is operated by RSSB and include the GB rail industry's supplier pre-qualification questionnaire and audit. The RISQS coding structure, against which suppliers indicate their areas of capability, is the RICCL. The Railway Industry Commodity Classification List (RICCL) includes all commodities that are purchased to support GB Railway operations and provides a common vocabulary for the benefit of all buyers and suppliers who are participants in railway supplier assurance activities. It aligns with International standards (especially ISO 81346) while utilising the best of existing models. The Commodity Classification System is a hierarchical classification system. All entities are identified with a structured alphanumeric code which both indicates its location in the list and uniquely classifies it. The Commodity Classification System is split into eight sub-systems. Each sub-system consists of its classes. These could be termed its 'children'. Each class is part of its subsystem, this could be termed its parent. The prefixes A-H identify which sub-system a commodity belongs too. The codes, and further explanations can be found at <http://www.risqs.org/explanation-of-riccl/> This notice incorporates any changes that have occurred since the previous qualification system notice (QSN) was published for RISQS services and supersedes all previous QSNs for RISQS service.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.8) Duration of the qualification system

Indefinite duration

II.2.13) Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes
Identification of the project:

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Identification of the project: Buyers may on occasion use this qualification system to award contracts in relation to a project or programme financed by European Funds.

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.5) Information about reserved contracts

III.1.9) Qualification for the system

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.1) Information about a particular profession

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used

Additional information about electronic auction:

Some of the utilities using this qualification system may use electronic auctions

IV.2) **Administrative information**

IV.2.1) **Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2017/S 054-100702](#)

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

English

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.2) **Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) **Additional information:**

The organisations that subscribe to RISQS as Clients and therefore have the ability to source suppliers using the information within are;

ABB Ltd (Power Systems)

ABC Electrification Limited

Abellio East Anglia Ltd

Abellio Scotrail

ABELLIO SCOTRAIL LTD

Abellio Transport Holdings Ltd

AECOM Limited

Alan Dick Communications Ltd (Trading as ADComms)

Alstom Transport UK Limited

Alun Griffiths (Contractors) Ltd

Amalgamated Construction Ltd

Amey Rail Limited

Angel Trains

Ansaldo STS UK Ltd

Arriva UK Trains Ltd

Atkins Limited

Atos IT Services UK Ltd

B&M McHugh Ltd

Babcock Rail Ltd

Balfour Beatty Rail Ltd

BAM Construction Ltd

BAM Nuttall Ltd

BCM Construction Ltd

Bechtel Limited

Buckingham Group Contracting Limited

C Spencer Ltd

Carillion Construction Ltd

Carillion Powerlines Limited

Chiltern Railways

Clancy Docwra Limited t/a Clancy Docwra Rail
Cleshar Contract Services Ltd
Colas Rail Limited
Commercial Property Maintenance Services Ltd
Costain Limited
Crossrail Limited
Cubic Transportation Systems Ltd
DHL Supply Chain Limited
East Midlands Trains
Eurostar International Limited
Ferrovia Agroman UK Ltd
First Greater Western Limited
FIRST MTR SOUTH WESTERN TRAINS LIMITED
FPA Consulting Ltd
Frankham Consultancy Group Ltd
Galldris Construction Ltd
Galliford Try Infrastructure Ltd
GB Railfreight Ltd
Geoffrey Osborne Limited
Giffen Group Limited
Govia Thameslink Railway Ltd
Halcrow Group Limited
Harsco Rail Limited
Heathrow Airport Limited
HIGH SPEED TWO (HS2) LIMITED
Hitachi Rail Europe Ltd
HOCHTIEF (UK) Construction Ltd
Integrated Utility Services Ltd
J Murphy & Sons Limited
JACOBS U.K. LIMITED
John Graham Construction Limited T/A Graham Construction
JSS Rail Limited t/a Sisk Rail
KELTBRAY LIMITED T/A Keltbray Rail
Keolis Amey Docklands Limited
Keolis Amey Metrolink
KIER INFRASTRUCTURE AND OVERSEAS LIMITED
Knorr Bremse Rail Systems (UK) Ltd
Laing O'Rourke Construction Limited
Lend Lease Construction (Europe) Ltd
LNER (London North Eastern Railway formerly Virgin East Coast)
London Underground Ltd t/a Transport for London
Lowery Ltd.
Lundy Projects Ltd
M J Quinn Integrated Services Ltd
Mace Limited T/A Mace

McNicholas Construction Services Ltd
 Merseyrail Electrics 2002 Ltd
 Morgan Sindall Construction & Infrastructure Ltd
 Network Rail
 Nexus
 NG Bailey Ltd
 Northern Rail
 Ove Arup & Partners International Ltd T/A Arup
 Progress Rail Services UK Ltd
 Resonate Group Limited
 Select Plant Hire Company Limited
 Siemens Mobility Limited, Rail Automation Ashby
 Siemens Mobility Limited, Rail Automation Chippenham
 Siemens Mobility Limited, Rail Electrification
 Siemens PLC - Managed Services
 Skanska Construction UK Ltd
 SNC-Lavalin Rail & Transit Ltd
 Sonic Rail Services Limited
 Southeastern Railway
 Stagecoach
 Stagecoach South Western Trains Ltd
 Stobart Rail Ltd
 Story Contracting Ltd
 Tarmac Holdings Limited t/a Tarmac
 Taziker Industrial Limited
 Telent Technology Services Ltd
 THE CHANNEL TUNNEL GROUP LIMITED T/A Groupe Eurotunnel
 TSP Projects Ltd t/a TSP Projects
 TXM Plant Limited
 UK Power Networks Services (Commercial) Limited
 Unipart Rail Limited
 VINCI Construction UK Limited t/a Taylor Woodrow
 Virgin Trains West Coast
 Vital Human Resources Limited
 VolkerFitzpatrick Ltd
 VolkerRail Ltd
 VVB ENGINEERING LIMITED
 WALKER CONSTRUCTION (UK) LTD
 WSP UK Limited

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

The High Court
 Procurement challenge is by way of legal proceedings through the High Court
 United Kingdom

VI.4.2) **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

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

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

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