

# HS1 LIMITED

## ELECTRICITY SUPPLY CONTRACT

### CALL FOR COMPETITION

HS1 Limited has an Electricity volume requirement for both traction and non-traction of c.220 GWh p.a. and is seeking to procure its next generation Electricity Supply Contract (ESC) which will have a duration of up to 5 years. The new contract will have an initial lead in period from April 2024 to allow for forward planning and purchasing and will become live for Supply from **1 April 2025**.

The ESC will need to be strategically aligned to HS1`s Sustainability Strategy and will need to facilitate 100% renewable energy. There is a specific requirement for the ESC to sleeve trades from current and future Corporate Power Purchase Agreements which will account for the majority of baseload power.

The RFP including the full-Service specification and evaluation criteria will be published in the Call for Competition which will be issued in mid-September 2023. There will be a six-week response time allowed for any interested bidders meeting the published criteria to submit their response.

If you are interested in receiving the tender pack, please ensure you are registered on the procurement portal via the link below and confirm your interest by message via the portal and return a populated and signed NDA. The template for this can be found within the tender below:

[Public quote/tender - HS1 Ltd - Electricity Supply Contract - Call for Competition \(eu-supply.com\)](#)

**Indicative Programme**

	<b>Milestone</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Pre contract RFP Stage</b>	RFP issued.	15 September 2023
	Confirmation of intention to bid	25 September 2023
	Q and A open window	18 September 2023 – 18 October 2023
	Bidder submissions due	27 October 2023
	Evaluation of submissions	27 October 2023 – 30 November 2023
	Shortlisting for presentation	7 November 2023
	Submission Presentations (Interviews)	16/17 November 2023
	Identify Preferred Bidder	1 December 2023
	Standstill	5 December 2023 – 15 December (midnight)
	Contract development	January/February 2024
	Contract executed and new contract commences for forward purchasing of electricity	1 March 2024
	Contract becomes fully operational for Purchasing and Supply of Electricity	1 April 2025