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In pursuance of Article 90 of the Public Procurement Act (ZJN-3 Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia No. 91/15, 14/18, 121/21, 10/22 and 28/23) Nuklearna elektrarna Krško, d.o.o., Vrbina 12, 8270 Krško (hereinafter: Purchaser), represented by Gorazd Pfeifer, President of the Management Board, and Saša Medaković, Member of the Management Board, issues a

DECISION ON CONTRACT AWARD

For the "Supply of Solid-State Protection Relays (SR)"

1. Explanation of public procurement procedure

With reference to Article 45 of ZJN-3, the Purchaser provided the Bidding Documentation No.: 115/25-8250500 for **"Supply of Solid-State Protection Relays (SR)"** according to Negotiating procedure with prior notification. The public procurement procedure was published on Slovenia Public Procurement Portal under JN003998/2025-EUe17/01 on May 28, 2025.

2. Information on received Bids

By the extended Bidding deadline, July 10, 2025 the Purchaser received two (2) Bids with the following basic elements:

No.	Name and address of the Bidder	Currency	Total value without VAT
1	Westinghouse Electric Company, LLC., 1000 Westinghouse Drive, New Stanton, PA 15672, USA	EUR	**162.802,61** (DAP Krško)
2	Paragon, 7410 Pebble Drive, Fort Worth, Texas, 76118, USA	USD	**125.600,00** (FCA Port of Export)

3. Bids Review and Negotiations

Upon review of the Bids, the Purchaser found that certain clarifications or amendments are required from both Bidders.

Both bidders were invited on July 14, 2025, to clarify/amend their Bids.

The Bidder Westinghouse Electric Company provided the required technical clarifications regarding the seismic testing and dedication process.
The Bidder Paragon supplemented the Bid with completed verification forms and a draft contract in track changes mode.

On August 14, 2025 both Bidders were invited to negotiations.

On September 9, 2025 the Purchaser invited both Bidders to submit their Final Bids.

By the Final Bid due date, September 16, 2025, Purchaser received two (2) Final Bids with the following basic elements:

No.	Name and address of the Bidder	Currency	Total value without VAT
1	Westinghouse Electric Company, LLC., 1000 Westinghouse Drive, New Stanton, PA 15672, USA	USD	**144.567,54**
2	Paragon, 7410 Peeble Drive, Fort Worth, Texas, 76118, USA	USD	**125.600,00**

4. Final Bids Review and Evaluation

Following the review of the final Bids, the Purchaser finds that the Bid submitted by Paragon requires supplementation.
On September 17, 2025, Paragon was invited to supplement its final Bid.

By the extended deadline for supplementation, which was September 23, 2025, Paragon did not supplement its Bid, which therefore lacked the required integral parts and information.
The Purchaser concludes that Paragon's Bid is inadmissible and therefore the Bidder is excluded.

At the same time, the Purchaser finds that the Bid submitted by WEC is admissible.
The Bid price converted into EUR on the day of the Bids opening, using the official Exchange Rate of the Bank of Slovenia, is EUR 122.442,23.

5. Bid completeness

In accordance with Article 89, paragraph 1, point 2 of ZJN-3, Purchaser established that Westinghouse Electric Company Bid for the "Supply of Solid-State Protection Relays" is admissible:

- it was submitted on time (by the expiration of the deadline for Bid submittal to the Purchaser)
- it fulfills all the conditions/requests specified in Technical and Quality Requirements and other Bidding Documents
- it was submitted by the Bidder for whom there are no grounds for exclusion and fulfills the conditions for further participation in the bidding process
- its price does not exceed the Purchaser's funds available for the purchase
- it was not evaluated by the Purchaser as the Bid with unusually low Unit and Total Price
- it shows no evidence of unpermitted settlement with other potential Bidders or corruption

Based on the above said the Contract for **"Supply of Solid-State Protection Relays (SR)"** has been awarded to the Bidder **WESTINGHOSE ELECTRIC Company, LLC., 1000 Westinghouse Drive, New Stanton, PA 15672, USA.**

Legal instruction

The bidders, which were not selected, are allowed to submit a request for review/revision within eight working days from the receipt of the decision on award or elimination of public procurement in compliance with Legal Protection in Public Procurement Procedures Act (ZPVPJN, OG RS No. 43/11, 63/13, 60/17 and 72/19). Request for revision shall be submitted by portal eRevizija. The applicant must submit with the request for review the bank certificate for the payment of tax in the amount of EUR 2.987,59 to the account of the Ministry of Finance No.: 01100-1000358802, reference 11 16110-7111290-00399825.

Saša Medaković
Member of the Management Board

NUKLEARNA ELEKTRARNA KRŠKO, d.o.o.

Gorazd Pfeifer
President of the Management Board

Krško, September 29, 2025