

## **Basic Infrastructure Sourcing**

On 25 April 2014, NPP Participants commenced evaluation of the Basic Infrastructure RFP responses to validate the suitability of potential vendors to design, implement and operate the Basic Infrastructure.

Following a rigorous assessment of the submitted proposals, three vendors were shortlisted to progress to Vendor Presentations. In June, the NPP Steering Committee approved two vendors to proceed to the commercial negotiation and Solutioning stage.

The NPP Steering Committee wishes to thank all vendors for the significant time and effort given in preparing their responses and note the high standard of proposals received.

All providers, successful and unsuccessful, have been notified of their outcome from the presentations. Solutioning and commercial negotiation has now commenced with the two shortlisted vendors.