

Tactical Buyer

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Do you want to make a difference in the energy transition? Sif Netherlands is looking for a Tactical Buyer for its location at Maasvlakte 2 Rotterdam, responsible for purchasing and negotiating framework contracts for goods, services, production machinery, and leased (heavy lift) equipment required for our existing and new production line at MV2. You will be (partly) responsible for selecting suppliers for maintenance, repair, and modifications of our new production line at MV2 Rotterdam, and shaping collaboration with these suppliers. Are you ready for a new challenge and do you want to continue your career with an international organization and pioneer in offshore wind innovations? An organization where collaboration, ownership, and result orientation are central. What will you do?

As a Tactical Buyer at Maasvlakte 2, you are part of the Sif Procurement team. You are responsible for (partly) defining the tactical procurement policy and its execution. This involves the procurement process of goods, machinery, maintenance, services, and leasing of heavy lift equipment for our existing factory and the new factory, which will be operational in the second half of 2024. You will closely collaborate with the MV2 purchaser, technical department, production, logistics, finance, and the procurement team in Roermond, aiming for an optimal procurement process for MV2, with interaction between Roermond and MV2 procurement utilizing each other's expertise.

You are driven, able to prioritize, and have sufficient knowledge and procurement experience to operate independently and autonomously. Additionally, you are capable of working in a team and contributing to process improvements to achieve common goals.

Your tasks and responsibilities also include:

Coordinating the procurement process (the entire order process) with internal stakeholders, mostly involving the procurement of goods, services, production machinery, leasing (heavy lift equipment), and maintenance contracts. Identifying and developing "new" preferred suppliers and reducing non-preferred suppliers to efficiently and effectively operate the factory. Supplier contract management: Maintaining strong relationships with suppliers, negotiating planning, price, and quality to obtain the most favorable combination of terms. Identifying and managing risks in the supply chain. Effective communication and collaboration with internal stakeholders such as production, logistics, and finance to support overall business objectives. Analyzing procurement data, project data and milestones, cost structures, and performance indicators to prepare reports and make recommendations for improvement. Who are you?

You consider suppliers as partners and are exploratory. You have an eye for the internal organization and always seek the best possible collaboration with other departments. You think process-oriented, can plan effectively, enjoy working with numbers and complex matters, and have a can-do mentality. Additionally, you are looking for a company in development where you will be part of a hardworking and dedicated team.

What do you bring?

Bachelor's degree or equivalent level of education and experience. Experience in a similar role in a technical-industrial environment. Knowledge of procurement contracts and data management. Excellent command of Dutch and English languages. Affinity with IT and procurement systems. PDCA and process-oriented thinking; 'In control' and 'predictability' apply to you. You can commute to our location at Maasvlakte 2 with your own transportation. What does Sif offer you?

You contribute to the energy transition in a reputable technical company within a driven Procurement team. Procurement is responsible for sourcing and purchasing across Sif. In close collaboration with other departments, the team aims for efficient, reliable, and timely delivery of the best quality, in optimal volumes, at the best price. The atmosphere within the department is informal, fostering a no-nonsense culture.

Sif is a strong company with growth ambitions, pride, and craftsmanship, offering ample opportunities to demonstrate your entrepreneurship. You will have significant responsibility and room for initiative. Sif has an informal culture with motivated colleagues where you have the chance to further develop yourself. Moreover, Sif is financially sound with a well-filled order book. Sif offers you a challenging job in an innovative and technological environment where you have a significant influence on the organization's procurement strategy.

Additionally, Sif offers:

A salary ranging from €4,112 to €6,283 gross per month, Commute allowance for commuting to work at €0.23 per km. Business travel reimbursement at €0.35 per km. A telecommuting policy allowing you to work from home one day a week. A good pension scheme with a better premium distribution than the standard in the Metal and Technology collective labor agreement. Focus on well-being: daily fresh fruit, a bicycle plan, a smoking cessation program, and a company physiotherapist. 25 vacation days plus 13 ADV (reduction of working hours) days. In this role, with your expertise, you have a direct impact on the production of our monopiles for offshore wind energy and their quality. Sif is an excellent company with strong growth ambitions in a booming market, offering craftsmanship and plenty of room to demonstrate entrepreneurship and personal development.

Is this your new challenge?

Your energy is welcome at Sif! Interested? Apply directly via the application button. For more

information about the vacancy or application process, please contact John Barnhoorn via j.barnhoorn@sif-group.com.