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Planning

BBC Archives Move Programme – Commercial Storage RFI

The British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC)

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<https://bbc.bravosolution.co.uk/>

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Broadcasting

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

BBC Archives Move Programme – Commercial Storage RFI

Reference number

PROC 2021/109/MC/BBC Archives Move Programme – Commercial Storage RFI

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 63120000 - Storage and warehousing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This document is a Request for Information ('RFI') in relation to the BBC's Archives Move Programme.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 98392000 - Relocation services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The BBC is working on plans to relocate its current Videotape, Audio, Photo, Sheet Music and Film Archive collections from Perivale in West London and Bristol and, having reviewed its scope, is considering 3rd party storage options

It is anticipated access to portions of the collection will minimise over time, however BBC archive holdings do have specific needs surrounding requirements around its storage conditions, environments, security, accessibility and trackability

II.2.14) Additional information

Responding to this request for information (RFI) is not a prerequisite for participation in a subsequent procurement, nor does it give any advantage in that procurement. The BBC would welcome responses to this RFI in order that the BBC can build an understanding regarding the current and future provision of the project.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

4 January 2022

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

In the case of technology requirements, the BBC may involve its technology partner (Atos IT Solutions and Services Limited) to assist in the scoping and drafting of invitations to tender and/or the evaluation of tenders. However, the final decision as to which is the most economically advantageous (by reference to the award criteria) will be made by the BBC. The awarding authority reserves the right not to award a contract and to annul the procurement process at any stage. Tenders and all supporting documents must be priced in sterling and all payments will be made in sterling. The contract shall be subject to English law. The awarding authority does not bind itself to accept the lowest, or any tender and reserves the right to accept part of a tender unless the tenderer expressly stipulates otherwise in the tender document.

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