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# T1611 – Provision, Implementation and Support of an integrated HR and Payroll IT System

Northern Ireland Housing Executive

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Ireland Housing Executive

2 Adelaide Street

Belfast

BT28BP

#### **Email**

Kathryn.McGonagle@nihe.gov.uk

## **Country**

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

## I.5) Main activity

Housing and community amenities

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

## II.1.1) Title

T1611 – Provision, Implementation and Support of an integrated HR and Payroll IT System

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Housing Executive requires a fully integrated Commercial off-the Shelf (COTS) system for the provision, implementation and support of a secure, hosted HR and Payroll IT system.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £3,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72212450 Time accounting or human resources software development services
- 72210000 Programming services of packaged software products
- 79211110 Payroll management services
- 79631000 Personnel and payroll services
- 31711310 System for recording attendance

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Housing Executive requires a fully integrated Commercial off-the Shelf (COTS) system for the provision, implementation and support of a secure, hosted HR and Payroll IT system.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 50

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £3,000,000

## II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

72

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This contract makes provision for an estimated 12 month implementation period. Following successful completion of the implementation period, the initial contract period will begin. The initial contract period will be 60 months. Therefore the total duration of the contract in this notice has been estimated as 72 months. This contract also makes provision to be extended by a further 60 months beyond the initial contract period as outlined in the Conditions of Contract. The estimated contract value provided in this notice is based on the full contract period including implementation and the extension period. Ideally the level of competition should be sufficient to achieve costs significantly lower than our estimates.

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## IV.2) Administrative information

## IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

10 February 2022

Local time

3:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

## IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 10 June 2022

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

10 February 2022

Local time

3:30pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

Suppliers Instructions — How to Express Interest in this Invitation to Tender: Register your company on the e-tendersni website (this is only required once) and click on 'View current opportunities' to locate this invitation to tender. The Housing Executive reserves the right to abandon the competition at any time. Please refer to the tender documentation for further details. There is no guarantee that any agreement or contract will be put in place in relation to this notice. No compensation etc. will be paid if a tender or resulting agreement is withdrawn and / or the procurement process stopped for any reason. Bidders should take part in this process only on the basis that they fully understand and accept this position.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of NI

**Chichester Street** 

Belfast

BT1 3JF

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Housing Executive will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period from the point information on the contract award is communicated to tenderers in accordance with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.