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# **RAICo - Marketing and Communications Services**

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

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Abingdon

**OX14 3DB** 

#### Contact

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

Region code

UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

**National registration number** 

N/A

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/72814

# I.3) Communication

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

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlentrance\_s.asp?PID=89258&B=UKAEA

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlentrance\_s.asp?PID=89258&B=UKAEA

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

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Other activity

**Fusion Research** 

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

RAICo - Marketing and Communications Services

Reference number

T-PJP182-24

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79342000 - Marketing services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

To provide marketing & communications support to RAICo to include:

- > Develop a 4 year Marketing and Communications Strategy
- > Provide engaging communications to target audiences via multiple channels

As further described in the attached documentation.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £399,996

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

• 79342000 - Marketing services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD1 - Cumbria

Main site or place of performance

Whitehaven

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

To provide marketing & communications support to RAICo to include:

- > Develop a 4 year Marketing and Communications Strategy
- > Provide engaging communications to target audiences via multiple channels

As further described in the attached documentation.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £399,996

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

Start date

1 April 2025

End date

31 March 2029

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: No

#### 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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

#### III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

## III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Refer to Procurement Documents for information.

# 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

12 February 2025

Local time

12:00pm

#### 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: 12 May 2025

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

12 February 2025

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

**UK Atomic Energy Authority** 

Culham Science Centre

Abingdon

**OX14 3DB** 

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

VI.4.2)Body responsible for mediation procedures

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers.

This period allows unsuccessful tenderers to seek further debriefing from the authority before a contract is entered into applicants have 2 working days from the notification of the award decision to request. Additional debriefing and that information have to be provided within a minimum of 3 working days before the expiry of the standstill period. Such additional information should be sought from the contact named in this notice.

If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No. 102) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

Any such action must be brought promptly.

(generally within 3 months).

#### VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

**UK Atomic Energy Authority** 

Culham Science Centre

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