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Planning

## **Metrolink - Driver Vigilance Device**

Transport for Greater Manchester

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-001806

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-028e64

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Transport for Greater Manchester

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**NUTS code**

UKD3 - Greater Manchester

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.tfgm.com>

Buyer's address

<http://www.tfgm.com>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/SupplierRegistration/Register>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Public Transport

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Metrolink - Driver Vigilance Device

Reference number

DN520952

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Further to DN477656 2020/S 099 -238531 (May 2020) TfGM are now looking to shortly progress procurement in respect of a stand alone Driver Vigilance Device (DVD) that is compatible with the existing fleet of M5000 Trams.

The procurement will seek to engage with a competent supplier who will be able to supply, install, test and commission the equipment into all operational M5000 trams.

Prior to commencement of the procurement exercise TfGM (by means of this PIN) are seeking to confirm market appetite and capacity to respond, given recent changes to markets.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

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Participation in this market sounding exercise is voluntary, and this exercise is entirely separate from any subsequent procurement activity. Participation in this market sounding will not affect the opportunity for suppliers to participate in any subsequent procurement and will not form part of any future procurement assessment or selection process.

As the process will be managed through the Pro Contract ePortal Interested parties should;

- Express interest via the ePortal.
- Email via the ePortal (question section ) confirming interest.

Following Expression of Interest and supporting message TfGM will issue, via the ePortal, a supplier questionnaire which should be returned via the ePortal, by the date noted within the questionnaire. At present issue and response to the questionnaire will be the full extent of the market sounding exercise.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

31 March 2021

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## **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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

This prior information notice is issued solely for the purpose of conducting supplier market engagement and goes not constitute any commitment to undertake any procurement in the future.

Interested parties will not be prejudiced by any response or failure to respond to this PIN and a response to this PIN does not guarantee any invitation to participate in this event or any future procurement.