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## **Intelligent Automation PIN**

NHS Shared Business Services

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0291a7

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UK - UNITED KINGDOM

**National registration number**

05280446

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.sbs.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/39>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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/rwlenrance\\_s.asp?PID=36533&B=NHSSBS](https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=36533&B=NHSSBS)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Other type

Joint Venture between the Department of Health and Sopra Steria

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Intelligent Automation PIN

Reference number

Intelligent Automation PIN

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

- 48920000 - Office automation software package

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

Supplies

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

NHS SBS are looking to implement a framework that allows NHS organisations and other public sector bodies to purchase Intelligent Automation. NHS SBS is currently considering using the following lots for this procurement, however it reserves the right to change any aspect of the lotting structure or not use lots as part of any future tender process: Intelligent Automation Adoption and Implementation Services, Intelligent Automation Software and Licensing and Intelligent Automation as a Service.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Intelligent Automation

Lot No

1

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

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 48100000 - Industry specific software package
- 48180000 - Medical software package
- 48983000 - Development software package
- 72200000 - Software programming and consultancy services
- 72211000 - Programming services of systems and user software
- 72212000 - Programming services of application software
- 72212100 - Industry specific software development services
- 72212180 - Medical software development services
- 72212313 - Optical-character-recognition (OCR) software development services
- 72212314 - Voice recognition software development services
- 72212517 - IT software development services
- 72212900 - Miscellaneous software development services and computer systems
- 72212920 - Office automation software development services
- 72260000 - Software-related services
- 72261000 - Software support services
- 72262000 - Software development services
- 72266000 - Software consultancy services
- 72268000 - Software supply services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

M50 2UW

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

Prior Information Notice (PIN) for Intelligent Automation framework agreement. NHS Shared Business Services (NHS SBS) are consulting on a proposal to tender for the provision of Intelligent Automation to support NHS Organisations and the wider public sector.

To help define and develop our national procurement strategy and help in the development of our service specification to meet the needs of NHS Organisations and wider Public Sectors, NHS Shared business services are engaging with potential providers prior to the release of any official tender documents.

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

10 February 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**

An expression of interest in the Intelligent Automation is not a tender response. An expression of interest is no indication of a commitment to participate in the tender nor does it infer any special status on those providers who do submit interest. Potential providers who do not express an interest will still be able to apply in the future. This expression of interest does not commit the NHS SBS to undertake the procurement.