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# **Preliminary Market Consultation - Childrens Services Platform**

NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE COUNCIL

Municipal Offices, Town Hall Square

**GRIMSBY** 

**DN311HU** 

#### **Email**

procurement@nelincs.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKE13 - North and North East Lincolnshire

## Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.nelincs.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.nelincs.gov.uk/your-council/finances-spending-and-contracts/contracts-and-tenders/

## I.3) Communication

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

https://yortender.eu-supply.com/

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

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Preliminary Market Consultation - Childrens Services Platform

Reference number

65664

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 48000000 - Software package and information systems

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of this Preliminary Market Consultation (PMC) is to share with the market North East Lincolnshire Council's (the Authority) ideas for the supply of a Childrens Services Platform through and to gather feedback on these ideas and to seek ideas about opportunities and innovation in the market.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 48190000 - Educational software package

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKE13 - North and North East Lincolnshire

Main site or place of performance

North East Lincolnshire

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The purpose of this Preliminary Market Consultation (PMC) is to share with the market North East Lincolnshire Council's (the Authority) ideas for the supply of a Childrens Services Platform through and to gather feedback on these ideas and to seek ideas about opportunities and innovation in the market.

PMC allows local authorities and other contracting authorities in the public sector to engage with a market. PMC is designed to encourage the commercial and voluntary sectors to engage with the development process before a procurement is released.

This is the market's opportunity to express its views, outline market developments and generally influence how solutions to the Authority's needs might be met. There is nothing for the Authority to evaluate or select in this activity.

PMC is not a call for competition. Following PMC, the Authority may conclude that procurement is not the best solution to meet a particular strategy outcome. The Authority may conclude that it would be better to do something entirely different to the intent within this PMC. It is essential that any organisation participating in the PMC understands that a procurement opportunity is not guaranteed.

It is therefore essential that organisations understand that this activity is not part of a procurement exercise and involvement in the PMC does not affect an organisation's positioning either positively or negatively should a procurement opportunity arise subsequently.

Please note that the submission deadline for responses to the questionnaire, which is available via <a href="https://yortender.eu-supply.com/">https://yortender.eu-supply.com/</a>, is 12.00pm (midday) on the 24th February 2023.

All Information and documents are only available via <a href="https://vortender.eu-supply.com">https://vortender.eu-supply.com</a>

All questions must only be asked via <a href="https://yortender.eu-supply.com">https://yortender.eu-supply.com</a>

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Please note that the date identified in II.3 is indicative, and may change.

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

2 May 2023

# 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

This is a follow up PMC following on from a previous exercise which took place in November 2021 for an Education Management System (2021/S 000-028360).