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## **Nuclear Security Capacity Building**

Department for Energy Security and Net Zero

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Call for competition

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-003071

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0435b5

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

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

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<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-energy-security-and-net-zero>

**I.3) Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

<https://beisgroup.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://beisgroup.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/>

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Nuclear Security Capacity Building

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

- 80600000 - Training services in defence and security materials

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

Services

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

NOTE: This PIN is replacing the previous Nuclear Security Capacity Building PIN (Notice reference: 2024/S 000-002547) issued on the 24/04/24 after a change in scope. The service will now run for 12 months with 3 optional 1-year extensions rather than the full 4-year term previously listed.

DESNZ invites an organisation or consortium to deliver a programme of work over four years to promote a strong nuclear security culture and security practices internationally. The Contractor should take a strategic approach to increasing awareness of a number of key thematic areas in nuclear security. Examples of activities include subject specific workshops, facilitating and analysing results of security assessments and helping to deliver implementation plans, or delivering reports and presentations at international conferences. This procurement will be competed via an open procedure following a market engagement session on the 22/02/2024.

#### **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)**

- 35113210 - Nuclear safety equipment

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 73400000 - Research and Development services on security and defence materials
- 80510000 - Specialist training services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 98113100 - Nuclear safety services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

International - this service will involve travel to various countries.

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

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### **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: £3,000,000

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

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract will run for an initial period of 12 months, followed by 3 optional 1-year extensions amounting to a total period of 4 years.

Predicted start and end dates are: 31 May 2024 - 31 May 2028

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

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

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

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

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

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Competitive procedure with negotiation

#### **IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used

Additional information about electronic auction

The Department for Energy Security and Net Zero uses the Jaggaer eSourcing Portal as its eSourcing tool. Jaggaer will be used for this competition. To register as a supplier, please visit <https://beisgroup.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/> and follow the instructions to register as a supplier.

#### **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 expressions of interest**

Date

19 April 2024

Local time

11:59pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.5) Scheduled date for start of award procedures**

13 May 2024

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Not applicable

Not applicable

Country

United Kingdom