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Planning

Integrated Delivery Framework (IDF)

National Highways

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://nationalhighways.co.uk>

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Integrated Delivery Framework (IDF)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45000000 - Construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

IDF will look to procure contractors and consultants to support National Highways in the delivery of the next phases of its Roads Investment Programme.

The estimated value of the framework is between £20-30bn and will last in the region of 10 years.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £25,000,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

TBC

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 44000000 - Construction structures and materials; auxiliary products to construction (except electric apparatus)
- 45100000 - Site preparation work

- 45200000 - Works for complete or part construction and civil engineering work
- 45220000 - Engineering works and construction works
- 45230000 - Construction work for pipelines, communication and power lines, for highways, roads, airfields and railways; flatwork
- 71500000 - Construction-related services
- 71520000 - Construction supervision services
- 71521000 - Construction-site supervision services
- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services
- 71541000 - Construction project management services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This procurement is for a replacement framework for National Highways' Delivery Integration Partners (DiP) framework. IDF may also replace the Technical Assurance (TA) framework. IDF will provide national coverage for future Roads Periods, primarily providing design and construction works for renewal and enhancement schemes. This framework is likely to be divided into Lots although we are unable to provide specifics at this point. The framework will incorporate a number of different roles including contractors, designers and potentially an integrator role(s). Further details on Lots will be included in the Contract Notice and framework documents.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 February 2024

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

National Highways will be starting market consultation on IDF to understand marketplace limitations, opinions and suggestions, with an aim to help shape the Commercial and Procurement Strategy and Contract Documents.

There will be a number of market engagement activities, including, but not limited to:

1. A series of workshops on key themes to aid in the development of IDF strategy.
2. A IDF launch session to provide an overview of the framework.

Our market engagement platform, which will include any market engagement material and any correspondence, can be found by signing up to National Highways e-tendering platform CCFT, which can be accessed by following <https://nationalhighways.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/> (registration is free).

Following the release of this PIN, the market engagement workshops will start on the 15th February 2023 and run every Wednesday until 29th March 2023 in Birmingham Millennium Point Hotel. One representative per company is asked to register for attendance due to space at the venue. More information on the topics to be discussed at the workshops are included at itt_146 and expressions of interest for joining all or individual sessions should be shared by sending a message through the same itt_146.

National Highways may also hold an IDF launch session in Summer 2023 to provide an overview of the market engagement to date, current IDF strategy and a forward looking procurement programme. Information on this will be issued via CCFT itt_146 nearer the time.

To register for CCFT please follow the following link (<https://nationalhighways.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/>) and click on the create an account button will take you through to the registration area where you can follow step by step instructions. Additionally, you can view the video 'Bravo Supplier Registration'. This is an animated tour showing how users can register, set up additional users within their organisation and view their organisation dashboard (https://www.screencast.com/t/o6NHgMNjnf?_ncp=1664202976715.16576-1).

To access the ITT - Login to the portal - Click the 'ITTs Open to All Suppliers' link.

Click on the relevant ITT to access the content (the Integrated Delivery Framework Market Engagement is itt_146). You will need to click the 'Express Interest' button at the top of

this page in order to be able to access the material. This will move the ITT into your 'My ITT's page. (This is a secure area reserved for your projects only). You can access any attachments by clicking the 'Buyer Attachments' in the 'ITT Details' box.

You can use the 'Messages' function to communicate with the buyer.

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