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Tender

Stakeholder engagement support and services

THE FINANCIAL REPORTING COUNCIL LIMITED

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

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

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/4b07f906-c7c6-47ca-8962-40492b3501b9>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/4b07f906-c7c6-47ca-8962-40492b3501b9>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Stakeholder engagement support and services

Reference number

FRC2023-020

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of the Financial Reporting Council (FRC) is to serve the public interest by setting high standards of corporate governance, reporting and audit and by holding to account those responsible for delivering them.

Delivering on our purpose will bring a variety of benefits. Improved outcomes, created by each of our regulatory activities are shown in the circle (below); each of which can positively reinforce others in the circle and contribute to overall benefits for a wide range of stakeholders such as greater transparency, increased trust in UK markets and a lower cost of capital for companies. Our direct stakeholders include companies, institutional investors, auditors, actuaries, accountants and their respective professional bodies. Our indirect stakeholders include retail shareholders, suppliers, employees, customers, communities, pensioners and savers, and financial institutions, all of whom have an interest in the health of companies and other organisations within our existing and future regulatory scope and in the success of the UK corporate sector as a whole.

We are seeking Stakeholder engagement support and services.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

We are seeking Stakeholder engagement support and services.

Project Requirements

- An agency offering Stakeholder engagement support and services with extensive experience in helping public interest bodies.
- Experience in supporting organisations undertaking extensive change programmes as the FRC transitions into a new regulator ARGA.
- Creative approaches to creating content for a range of audiences on a number of highly technical policy areas
- Strong experience in supporting financial services organisations both in the corporate and regulatory world in times of public and government scrutiny/regulatory change
- Excellent written skills to summarise key research and findings into easily digestible collateral, and design thinking to recommend where infographics/visual content will have greater impact
- Provide insights and market knowledge to suggest and promote thought leadership opportunities for the FRC
- Stakeholder mapping of UK and international regulatory and political landscapes and monitoring/measurement of stakeholder perceptions of the activities and influence of the FRC and identifying areas for enhancement and improvement

PLEASE SEE TENDER DOCUMENTS FOR FULL DETAILS.

This Contract Notice has also been published on Contracts Finder where the tender documents can be accessed.

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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: £400,000

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

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Contract duration two years with the option to extend by a further two years (2+2)

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

(Contract duration two years with the option to extend by a further two years (2+2))

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

We are seeking a agency for Stakeholder engagement support and services. Please see tender documents

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Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

13 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

13 March 2023

Local time

12:15pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

This Contract Notice has also been published on Contract Finder with the tender documents attached.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Financial Reporting Council

London

Country

United Kingdom