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Planning

## Supply of Temperature Sensors

Met Office

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-004005

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04dc4f

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### Section I: Contracting authority

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Regional or local Agency/Office

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Supply of Temperature Sensors

Reference number

DN758755

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

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Our current network of temperature sensors are nearing end of life and we now need to source a replacement. Met Office therefore intends to conduct some early market engagement to determine what is currently available on/in the market to meet our requirements and will shortly publish a request for information (RFI) to aid us in this regard. If you would like to participate, please email [lisa.marvin@metoffice.gov.uk](mailto:lisa.marvin@metoffice.gov.uk) and the RFI will be shared with you.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

30 June 2025

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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: No