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Planning

Educational attainment expert advisory services

Llywodraeth Cymru / Welsh Government

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0007

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Educational attainment expert advisory services

Reference number

22/23-289

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72212190 - Educational software development services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Welsh Government wishes to procure a package of internationally recognised expert advisory services to improve education and reduce the impact of poverty on educational attainment.

This must include:

a pre-existing off-the-shelf online toolkit, informed by a robust evidence base from high quality and internationally recognised research and evaluation of effective teaching practice;

commitment to develop the evidence and case studies to inform a contextualised resource specifically for educators in Wales, drawing on existing effective practice;

providing access to established international and UK networks of educators and researchers to collaborate on improving education and reducing the impact of poverty on educational attainment; and

specific time commitments to support Welsh policy development drawing on internationally recognised organisational expertise.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £250,000

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
- 80100000 - Primary education services
- 80200000 - Secondary education services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Services will be delivered remotely to schools across Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This PIN is to ascertain the availability of suppliers in the marketplace, that are able to meet the requirements.

Further discussions may be required with interested suppliers, to confirm their ability to meet the requirement.

The potential contract will be for 3 years and will include:

Implementation services;

3 year license; and

Support & advice services.

The estimated value of 250,000GBP shall cover the above services.

II.2.14) Additional information

The proposed toolkit must be made available bilingually (both English and Welsh) and meet current WCAG AA accessibility standards.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 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

Please note this PIN notice if for early market engagement and may not result in a tender exercise.

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