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Planning

Digital Switch - Prior Information Notice

LiveWest Homes Limited

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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UKK - South West (England)

Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

https://www.livewest.co.uk/

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Housing Association

I.5) Main activity

Housing and community amenities

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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Reference number

DN763629

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45200000 - Works for complete or part construction and civil engineering work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

By January 2027, analogue telephone services accessed by the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) will be switched off as the UK's telecoms infrastructure is upgraded to digital connectivity. This has a number of implications for LiveWest and its customers, primarily due to the components in our homes that use telephone lines to connect with the outside world. This includes:

- Telecare alarm systems
- Smoke alarm systems
- Door Entry Systems

To ensure that we are keeping customers safe and can continue to provide services, LiveWest needs to replace or upgrade the analogue dependent components on our schemes and in our offices with a "digital ready" equivalent before January 2027.

Please note this is a Prior Information Notice only and not a call for competition

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £5,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50000000 Repair and maintenance services
- 85000000 Health and social work services
- 51300000 Installation services of communications equipment
- 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies
- 33100000 Medical equipments
- 51700000 Installation services of fire protection equipment
- 35120000 Surveillance and security systems and devices
- 72720000 Wide area network services
- 80330000 Safety education services
- 80550000 Safety training services
- 35113000 Safety equipment
- 45314000 Installation of telecommunications equipment
- 48213000 Operating system enhancement software package
- 71243000 Draft plans (systems and integration)
- 48314000 Voice recognition software package
- 72211000 Programming services of systems and user software
- 72227000 Software integration consultancy services
- 72228000 Hardware integration consultancy services

- 31625200 Fire-alarm systems
- 31712112 SIM cards
- 35121700 Alarm systems
- 45233292 Installation of safety equipment
- 71317200 Health and safety services
- 71317210 Health and safety consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK - South West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The procurement is likely to be divided into the following lots:

- 1. Supply & Installation of Smoke Alarms
- 2. Supply & Installation of DAU's
- 3. Supply & Install Door entry systems
- 4. Supply & installation of Hardwired Telecare Replacement including some smoke alarms
- 5. Remove telecare equipment and replace smoke alarms

Contractors would be allowed to bid for one or multiple lots

LiveWest are looking to issue via a closed tender process at the beginning of March 25, so please indicate whether this tender would be of interest to you.

This project will be tendered via the new Procurement Act 2023 and not PCR 2015.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

10 March 2025

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