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## **Future Hosting and Storage Services**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03a7bb

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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

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs>

Buyer's address

<https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Future Hosting and Storage Services

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 72212780 - System, storage and content management software development services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Provision of Hosting and Storage Service in support of business applications contract that will include the provisioning and management of Data Centre based on-premise and private cloud infrastructure.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 72317000 - Data storage services

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Nationwide

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

This Prior Information Notice is being issued to inform any interested suppliers that Defra is commencing a procurement activity of Defra's Hosting and Storage service in support of business applications for Data Centre hosted on-premise and private cloud infrastructure. The initial step will be the release of a Request for Information that will invite suppliers to suggest options for the provision of hosting and storage services, based on an outline of current state and future strategic direction. This will be issued shortly

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

This Prior Information Notice is to inform any interested suppliers of a soon-to-be released RFI which will be the initial step in Defra's procurement activity of a Future Hosting and Storage service. Please use the contact details herein to obtain details of the RFI or view via our e-Procurement portal Atamis. Ref P-30288

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

1 January 2024

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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