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Planning

Market Engagement for Uniforms for Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service

Procurement and Logistics Service

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Procurement and Logistics Service

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

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

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Market Engagement for Uniforms for Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service

Reference number

5227529

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This is a prior information notice to inform and seek engagement with potential suppliers for Uniforms for Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service (NIFRS). To this end, BSO Procurement and Logistics Service (PaLS) wish to engage with potential suppliers on behalf of NIFRS to obtain a market view of the potential requirements through the secure messaging area of CfT 5227529. Potential suppliers of NIFRS Uniforms will need to register their business on the website <u>www.eTendersNI.gov.uk</u>. Go to 'Suppliers new to eTendersNI' and follow the registration process. Suppliers will be required to register against the relevant CPV codes applicable to them and to ensure they receive email alerts regarding specific areas of interest. If already registered Suppliers should review their contact details to ensure the information is up to date. Assistance is available from eTenders NI Helpdesk, telephone number: 08002404545.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Station Wear

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Station Wear for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Corporate Wear

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Corporate Wear for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Personal Training Wear

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Personal Training Wear for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Footwear

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Footwear for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Undress Uniform

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Undress Uniform for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Rank Markings and Insignia, Epaulettes and Sliders

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Rank Markings and Insignia, Epaulettes and Sliders for NIFRS. The specifications are included with the documents on the eTendersNI CfT.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

8 April 2024

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

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