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Quality Assurance and Testing for IT Systems 2

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service (CCS)

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Quality Assurance and Testing for IT Systems 2

Reference number

RM6148

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72590000 - Computer-related professional services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Crown Commercial Service (CCS) is setting up a dynamic purchasing system for a period of 48 months

and is inviting bidders to request to participate for the Quality Assurance and Testing for IT Systems 2

DPS. This DPS will provide central government and wider public sector departments the opportunity to

procure Quality Assurance and Testing services from a range of suppliers. The DPS filters are for

services, location, clearance and scalability. If you are successfully appointed to the DPS you will be

invited by customers (buyers) to submit tenders for relevant services through a competition. This DPS

remains open for any supplier to request to participate throughout its 48 month duration.

CCS reserve the right to reduce, extend or terminate the DPS period at any time during its lifetime in accordance with the terms set out in the DPS Agreement.

The value in section II.1.5 has been increased in line with the extension of the period of validity.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: 2023/S 000-032506

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

Section number

II.2.14

Instead of

Text

The duration given in II.2.7 is the duration of the extension period.

This is an extension of 19 months following the initial period of 48 months.

Read

Text

This DPS was scheduled to expire on 1 December 2023. We are exercising the extension option to maintain service provision while we review the future design of this agreement to enable a thorough analysis and market/customer engagement to be conducted, before a strategic decision can be made on the next iteration of this agreement. We are extending QAT2 until 1 July 2025.

Section number		
IV.2.2		
Instead of Date		
27 May 2025		
Read Date		
1 July 2025		

VII.2) Other additional information

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