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## **Future Skills Programme**

Ministry of Justice

F02: Contract notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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### **I.3) Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ministry-of-justice>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/ministry-of-justice>

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

### **I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Future Skills Programme

Reference number

Prj\_9598

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Employment on release can reduce the chance of reoffending, by up to nine percentage points compared to those without a job on release. We want to increase the number of prisoners entering employment on release by ensuring they have the skills needed to secure jobs, thereby supporting more prison leavers to rebuild their lives. The Prisons Strategy White Paper is committed to establishing the Employability Innovation Fund. The fund will enable prison governors to work with more employers and training providers to repurpose workshops and deliver sector-specific skills training. This in turn will meet the changing needs of the economy and smooth the path from prison to employment. The Future Skills Programme (FSP) is one strand of the Employability Innovation Fund and is focused on sector-specific training.

The Authority is seeking suppliers to develop innovative approaches and skills training courses to equip prison leavers with the necessary skills to obtain and sustain jobs for the future. Any programme will include, a minimum of a job interview for a genuine vacancy and/or job offer for everyone who completes a Future Skills Programme course. This and other minimum tender requirements are set out in the Invitation to Tender (ITT). Programmes will target 'job ready' prisoners in their last six months of sentence. This design model intends to help prisoners develop new, sought-after skills that support the ease of transition into sustainable employment on release.

Through the FSP, HMPPS are seeking suppliers who are able to support prisoners to develop

the skills and employer relationships to secure sustainable employment on release. The skills training programme will fund projects across a variety of different prisons and sectors/job roles, in England and Wales between 2023 and 2025 to support prison leavers into employment.

This procurement will be run as a one stage tendering process, which shall cover 17 Lots. Bidders will have the option to bid for up to a maximum of five of the seventeen regional lots, however the maximum number of Lots a bidder may be awarded is three Lots, subject to the operation of the Award Process set out in the ITT. The tender for each lot will differ and bidders will therefore have to submit up to five separate tenders should they choose to bid for multiple lots. Tender responses should be tailored to and reflect the needs of individual lots. Bidders that choose to bid for multiple Lots should ensure that they review the data packs for each Lot and tailor each bid for the relevant Lot. The total available funding to cover the 17 Lots is in the region of £5,769,507.

The Authority is using the Jaggaer electronic eSourcing Portal (formerly Bravo) for the procurement. The ITT, which is comprised of a number of volumes, is available only in electronic format via the eSourcing Portal. Bidders must register the names of all contacts requiring access to the sourcing event and should submit queries via the eSourcing Portal.

Link to the eSourcing Portal:

<https://ministryofjusticecommercial.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.html>

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots

5

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 3

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

Bidders will have the option to bid for up to a maximum of five of the seventeen regional lots, however the maximum number of lots a Bidder will be awarded is three lots. The only exception to this will be where there are fewer successful Tenders than lots. Full details on this exception and full details of how the lots will be awarded are set out in the Award Process section of the ITT

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

**II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

1

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

- 80100000 - Primary education services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 1 Services are to be delivered at HMP The Mount, HMP Bedford and HMP Norwich

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

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Lot 1 Services are to be delivered at HMP The Mount, HMP Bedford and HMP Norwich

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP) 2

Lot No

2

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 2 Services are to be delivered at HMP Preston and HMP Lancaster Farm

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Lot 2 Services are to be delivered at HMP Preston and HMP Lancaster Farms

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### **II.2.11) Information about options**

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

3

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance



Lot 3 Services are to be delivered at HMP Portland, HMP Guys Marsh and HMP Exeter

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

4

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 4 Services are to be delivered at HMP Onley

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

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Lot 4 Services are to be delivered at HMP Onley

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union

funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

5

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 5 Services are to be delivered at HMP HMP Holme House

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

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Lot 5 Services are to be delivered at HMP HMP Holme House

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

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No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

6

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 6 Services are to be delivered at HMP Liverpool and HMP Risley

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

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Lot 6 Services are to be delivered at HMP Liverpool and HMP Risley

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

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documents

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

7

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 7 Services are to be delivered at HMP Brixton

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

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Lot 7 Services are to be delivered at HMP Brixton

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#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

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### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

8

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 8 Services are to be delivered at HMP Rochester and HMP High Down

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

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Lot 8 Services are to be delivered at HMP Rochester and HMP High Down

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

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### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

9

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 9 Services are to be delivered at HMP Nottingham and HMP Lincoln

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

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Lot 9 Services are to be delivered at HMP Nottingham and HMP Lincoln

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### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

10

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 10 Services are to be delivered at HMP Stocken

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Lot 10 Services are to be delivered at HMP Stocken

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Future Skills Programme (FSP)

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11

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 11 Services are to be delivered at HMP Bullingdon

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

12

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 12 Services are to be delivered at HMP Stoke Heath and HMP Brinsford



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## **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

## **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

13

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 13 Services are to be delivered at HMP New Hall and HMP Low Newton

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

The Authority is seeking suppliers to develop innovative approaches and skills training courses to equip prison leavers with the necessary skills to obtain and sustain jobs for the future. Any programme will include, a minimum of a job interview for a genuine vacancy and/or job offer for everyone who completes a Future Skills Programme course. This and other minimum tender requirements are set out in the Invitation to Tender (ITT).

Programmes will target 'job ready' prisoners in in their last six months of sentence. This design model intends to help prisoners develop new, sought-after skills that support the ease of transition into sustainable employment on release.

Through the FSP, HMPPS are seeking suppliers who are able to support prisoners to develop the skills and employer relationships to secure sustainable employment on release. The skills training programme will fund projects across a variety of different prisons and sectors/job roles, in England and Wales between 2023 and 2025 to support prison leavers into employment.

The tender for each lot will differ and bidders will therefore have to submit up to five separate tenders should they choose to bid for multiple lots. Tender responses should be tailored to and reflect the needs of individual lots. Bidders that choose to bid for multiple Lots should ensure that they review the data packs for each Lot and tailor each bid for the relevant Lot

Lot 13 Services are to be delivered at HMP New Hall and HMP Low Newton

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

14

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 14 Services are to be delivered at HMP Humber and HMP Leeds

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

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Lot 14 Services are to be delivered at HMP Humber and HMP Leeds

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

15

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 15 Services are to be delivered at HMP Cardiff and HMP Berwyn

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

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Lot 15 Services are to be delivered at HMP Cardiff and HMP Berwyn

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

16

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 16 Services are to be delivered at HMP Doncaster

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

The Authority is seeking suppliers to develop innovative approaches and skills training courses to equip prison leavers with the necessary skills to obtain and sustain jobs for the future. Any programme will include, a minimum of a job interview for a genuine vacancy and/or job offer for everyone who completes a Future Skills Programme course. This and other minimum tender requirements are set out in the Invitation to Tender (ITT).

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Lot 16 Services are to be delivered at HMP Doncaster

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

20

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**



Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Future Skills Programme (FSP)

Lot No

17

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Lot 17 Services are to be delivered at HMP Oakwood

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

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Lot 17 Services are to be delivered at HMP Oakwood

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

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This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union

funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

24 April 2023

Local time

10:00am

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

24 April 2023

Local time

10:00am

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### VI.3) Additional information

This requirement has been classified as being subject to the Light Touch Regime under the Public Contract Regulations 2015. Under the Light Touch Regime, the Authority is not obliged to observe the full requirements of the Regulations, including the detailed rules and timescales applicable to the procurement procedures covered by the Regulations. This is irrespective of the use of this standard notice (the Authority is unable to use the Light Touch Regime notice for technical compatibility reasons).

The Future Skills Programme (FSP) is separate to the HMP Academies project (procurement commenced early March 2023 <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/006583-2023> and Prisoner Education Service (PES) programme for which some suppliers may have already registered for market engagement. These programmes are separate but form part of our overarching ambition to ensure prisoners can access the skills and qualifications they need to get into employment on release.

The PES programme will deliver future Adult Prisoner Education Services (PES) in England. We have commenced Market Warming with a wide range of prospective suppliers. If you have not registered for PES market warming and next steps you can still obtain information - register here <https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/a3b29677-949f-42c2-98be-250417ef9603> We anticipate commencing the Core Education procurement for PES this summer.

Award of contract: The Authority is not committed to any course of action as a result of this Contract Notice. It is not liable for any costs incurred in respect of expressing an interest or in tendering for this opportunity. The Authority reserves the right to abandon, rewind, pause or terminate the procurement and not to award one or more contract(s) at its own discretion. Nothing in this Contract Notice shall generate any contractual obligations prior to the signature of a Contract

Important notice: This Contract Notice must be read in full together with the procurement documents being released for this procurement. Bidders are reminded that participation in this procurement will be subject to the conditions of participation set out in the procurement documents and the eSourcing Portal.

## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Courts of justice

The Royal Courts of Justice, Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

High Courts of justice

The Royal Courts of Justice, Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom