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Planning

## **Purchase of PM2.5 instruments suitable primarily for Near Source Location**

ENVIRONMENT AGENCY (Defra Network eTendering Portal)

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

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

ENVIRONMENT AGENCY (Defra Network eTendering Portal)

Seacole Building, 2 Marsham Street

London

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#### **Contact**

National Monitoring – Contracts, Monitoring Survey Team

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**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**

Purchase of PM2.5 instruments suitable primarily for Near Source Location

Reference number

P-31848

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

- 90731100 - Air quality management

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

Services

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

This notice is for information only. There is no requirement to register interest at this stage, further details will be provided in due course.

The Environment Agency intends to let a call off contract in Q2 2024 to provide new Particulate Matter expansion analysers for PM2.5 primarily at Near Source sites. It is currently anticipated that installation, consumables and parts will be included.

This planned procurement is the 2nd phase of the expansion to the network based on the new Environmental Targets (Fine Particulate Matter) (England) Regulations 2023.

<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukxi/2023/96/regulation/5/made>

The first procurement is detailed here -Automatic Particulate Matter Analyser Contract for Ambient Air;

<https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/015570-2023?origin=SearchResults&p=1>

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,800,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 90731100 - Air quality management
- 90731400 - Air pollution monitoring or measurement services
- 90731100 - Air quality management

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

We intend to purchase automatic hourly PM2.5 analysers that are suitable for Near Source and/or industrial environments, to replace instruments as required on the existing network in all site environments. All analysers would be expected to operate primarily on the UK's Automatic Urban and Rural Network.

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

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

19 March 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: Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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