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Planning

Technical Third Party Support (TTPS) for the Net-Zero Innovation Portfolio (NZIP)

Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-business-energy-and-industrial-strategy>

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

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Technical Third Party Support (TTPS) for the Net-Zero Innovation Portfolio (NZIP)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71300000 - Engineering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS) requires Technical Third Party Support to assist with the delivery of the Net-Zero Innovation Portfolio (NZIP). The objective of the NZIP portfolio is to facilitate delivery of the UK's Net-Zero commitments, continuing to invest in climate science and energy innovation to reduce human impact on climate change. As part of a revised contract scope, BEIS intends to procure Social Research and Evaluation support as one of the lots in the Technical Third Party Support.

BEIS intends to procure advisory and engineering-related services which may include some or all of the following:

- Programme development support
- Bid review and selection
- Programme management support
- Monitoring
- Evaluation and Social Research
- Technical advisory support

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II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 2

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Management Lot

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot would provide BEIS the single point of contact for any new requirements, focusing contract management activities. The management contractor would be responsible for monitoring the delivery of contractors in Lots 2-5, allocating and managing work pipelines, management reporting and performance reporting.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Social Research and Evaluation

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79315000 - Social research services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will allow for specialist expertise to provide social research and evaluation support and advice across the NZIP portfolio during new programme design/development and programme delivery. This will include:

- Evidence reviews (e.g. Literature review, Rapid Evidence Assessment)
- External stakeholder and public engagement (including qualitative focus groups)
- Customer, consumer, and behavioural insights
- Social research planning/advice
- Programme evaluation planning/advice (process and impact evaluation)

BEIS will be facilitating a market consultation to all interested suppliers, specifically for the Social Research and Evaluation support.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Carbon Control and Storage

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71300000 - Engineering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will focus on 'big engineering', large scale projects, storage (including Hydrogen storage) and the alignment with technical support.

Primary technical themes:

- Long Duration Energy Storage
- Industry & CCUS (including biomass conversion)
- Greenhouse Gas Removal
- Hydrogen & Fuel Switching
- Systems, networks and integration
- Energy markets and regulatory expertise
- Manufacturing expertise

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Energy Consumption

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71300000 - Engineering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will focus on SMART and Built Environment technical themes. It will also include hydrogen that fits consumer/consumption definition e.g. domestic and commercial hydrogen.

Primary technical themes:

- Hydrogen (where appropriate)
- AI
- New build
- SMART and in-home energy management systems
- EEF – Energy Entrepreneurs Fund

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Energy Generation and Distribution

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71300000 - Engineering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will focus on the following technical themes.

- Bioenergy
- Nuclear
- Floating Offshore Wind
- Onshore wind
- Manufacturing expertise
- Biomass boilers
- Solar Heating
- Hydrogen Supply
- Heat Pumps + Retrofit
- Manufacturing expertise
- Heat distribution

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 July 2021

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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BEIS are planning to run a market consultation via email, specifically for Lot 2 – Social Research and Evaluation. Market engagement for Lots 1 and 3-5 has already taken place so the purpose of this market consultation is specifically for the addition of Lot 2. Interested suppliers should register their interest for this work by emailing your name, title and organisation to sice.ttps@beis.gov.uk with the subject heading “NZIP Technical Third Party Support Social Research and Evaluation Market Consultation”. The documents will be sent directly to your email.

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