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#### **Planning**

# **National Fuels 3**

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

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

#### I.1) Name and addresses

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

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**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/ccs

### I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### 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

National Fuels 3

Reference number

RM6305

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 09100000 - Fuels

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

Crown Commercial Service (CCS) as the Authority intends to put in place a Pan Government Collaborative Agreement for the provision of Supply of fuel to be utilised by Central Government Departments and all other UK Public Sector Bodies, including Local Authorities, Health, Police, Fire and Rescue, Education and Devolved Administrations. [It is intended that this commercial agreement will be the recommended vehicle for all national fuels required by UK Central Government Departments.]

? This will be carried out by the Open Procedure and tenders will be accepted in English only.

OR

? Crown Commercial Service, as the Authority intends to put in place an agreement for the provision of Fuels and will include but may not be limited to heating oil, automotive fuel, marine fuel, aviation fuel, biomass fuels, and liquefied petroleum gas. CCS are also considering the inclusion of associated services such as tank cleaning and maintenance, fuel testing, lubes and greases, fuel additives, tank metering and telemetry and any other associated services.

The exact details of the requirement, contractual arrangements and whether these requirements will be split into further lots has yet to be decided.

- ? The value stated below is estimated and for guidance purposes only
- ? This estimate is based on an approximation of potential public sector and current demand via existing CCS arrangements
- ? The estimate stated does not factor in potential future increase or decrease in requirements

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £2,000,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

- 09111400 Wood fuels
- 09120000 Gaseous fuels
- 09122110 Liquefied propane gas
- 09122200 Butane gas
- 09122210 Liquefied butane gas
- 09131000 Aviation kerosene
- 09131100 Kerosene jet type fuels
- 09132000 Petrol
- 09132100 Unleaded petrol
- 09132200 Leaded petrol
- 09132300 Petrol with ethanol
- 09133000 Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG)
- 09134000 Gas oils
- 09134100 Diesel oil
- 09134200 Diesel fuel
- 09134210 Diesel fuel (0,2)
- 09134220 Diesel fuel (EN 590)
- 09134230 Biodiesel
- 09134231 Biodiesel (B20)
- 09134232 Biodiesel (B100)
- 09135000 Fuel oils
- 09135100 Heating oil
- 09135110 Low-sulphur combustible oils
- 09210000 Lubricating preparations
- 09211000 Lubricating oils and lubricating agents
- 09211100 Motor oils

- 09211200 Compressor lube oils
- 09211300 Turbine lube oils
- 09211400 Gear oils
- 09211500 Reductor oils
- 09211600 Oils for use in hydraulic systems and other purposes
- 09211610 Liquids for hydraulic purposes
- 09211620 Mould release oils
- 09211630 Anti-corrosion oils
- 09211650 Brake fluids
- 09211800 Petroleum oils and preparations
- 09211810 Light oils
- 09211820 Petroleum oils
- 09211900 Lubricating traction oils
- 09240000 Oil and coal-related products
- 24111600 Hydrogen
- 24322220 Ethanol
- 24951000 Greases and lubricants
- 24951200 Additives for oils
- 24951310 De-icing agents
- 24951311 Anti-freezing preparations
- 44611410 Oil-storage tanks
- 44612000 Liquefied-gas containers
- 44612100 Gas cylinders
- 44612200 Gas tanks
- 50500000 Repair and maintenance services for pumps, valves, taps and metal containers and machinery

- 50510000 Repair and maintenance services of pumps, valves, taps and metal containers
- 50511000 Repair and maintenance services of pumps
- 50511100 Repair and maintenance services of liquid pumps
- 50514100 Repair and maintenance services of tanks
- 51810000 Installation services of tanks
- 60100000 Road transport services
- 71610000 Composition and purity testing and analysis services
- 90913000 Tank and reservoir cleaning services
- 90913100 Tank-cleaning services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Liquid fuels, heating oil and automotive fuel - Liquid, biomass and associated services

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

31 October 2023

#### 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

o This prior information notice replaces the previous PIN issued on the 11/01/2023

This Prior Information Notice is to signal an intention to commence market engagement with those within the fuels and associated services market.

Crown Commercial Service intends to hold market engagement sessions during January 2023 with industry experts and suppliers interested in potentially bidding for the resulting framework contract. If you are interested in attending a market engagement session please express your interest by emailing <a href="mailto:RM6305@crowncommercial.gov.uk">RM6305@crowncommercial.gov.uk</a> no later than midday on 10th March 2023. Further details will be provided to you.

Your email must clearly state: the name of your organisation, and contact details for the individual(s) who will participating in the market engagement.

Crown Commercial Service (CCS) will use an eSourcing system for this competition and reserves the right to use an electronic auction. The eSourcing system we will use is [https://crowncommercialservice.bravosolution.co.uk].

Please note that, to register, you must have a valid DUNS number (as provided by Dun and Bradstreet) for the organisation which you are registering, who will be entering into a contract if invited to do so.

The value in II.1.5 is an indicative value over 4 years.

The date in II.3) is the estimated date of publication, please refer to the CCS website page <a href="https://www.crowncommercial.gov.uk/agreements/upcoming">https://www.crowncommercial.gov.uk/agreements/upcoming</a> Crown for updates and monitor Find A Tender Service for the publication of the contract notice.

The Cyber Essentials scheme is mandatory for Central Government Contracts which involve handling personal information and providing certain ICT products and services. The Government is taking steps to further reduce the levels of cyber security risk in its supply chain through the Cyber Essentials scheme. The scheme defines a set of controls which, when properly implemented, will provide organisations with basic protection from the most prevalent forms of threat coming from the internet.

To participate in this procurement, bidders will be required to demonstrate that they are Cyber Essentials certified for the services under and in connection with the procurement.

[The bidder may be awarded a contract but shall not enter into any call off contracts with

buyers until they are able to demonstrate to CCS that they meet the technical requirements prescribed by the Cyber Essentials Scheme for services under and in connection with this procurement.]

The service that arise from this framework will involve the supplier holding material that has been assigned a protective marking under the Government Security Classifications Scheme (April 2014) of OFFICIAL/SENSITIVE. Bidders will be required to implement their solution in accordance with the Framework Agreement Schedule, "Security Requirement and Plan", to meet Framework Agreement requirements. This will be released at the ITT stage.

A Future Opportunity on contract finder can be found here: <a href="https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/4d9706bf-818a-4524-b451-b1792a4819">https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/4d9706bf-818a-4524-b451-b1792a4819</a>