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Tender

Further Procurement of the Housing Loss Prevention Advice Services from September 2023

The Legal Aid Agency

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Legal Aid Agency

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI32 - Westminster

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/legal-aid-agency

Buyer's address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/legal-aid-agency

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/legal-aid-agency

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://legalaid.bravosolution.co.uk/

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

other public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Further Procurement of the Housing Loss Prevention Advice Services from September 2023

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Legal Aid Agency ("LAA") is inviting Tenders to deliver the publicly funded Housing Loss Prevention Advice Services ("HLPAS") in 11 areas, to commence on 1 September 2023. Successful Applicants will be awarded a Schedule to provide HLPAS Contract Work.

Schedules will form part of the 2018 Standard Civil Contract ("2018 Contract") which is the primary contractual arrangement between the LAA and contracted organisations delivering civil legal aid services.

It will be a requirement that holders of a HLPAS Schedule hold a 2018 Contract which includes a specific authorisation to conduct Housing and Debt Contract Work ("2018 Housing and Debt Contract") i.e. the face-to-face delivery of legal aid advice on Housing & Debt matters that are not covered by HLPAS.

HLPAS Contract Work

The LAA is inviting Tenders for the delivery of HLPAS Contract Work which is set out in the HLPAS Information for Applicants ("HLPAS IFA")

2018 Housing and Debt Contract

The LAA is inviting also Tenders for the delivery of Housing and Debt Contract Work which is set out in the Housing & Debt Information for Applicants ("Housing and Debt IFA")

Applicants should note that to be eligible to Tender for a 2018 Housing and Debt Contract as part of this procurement process they must also submit a compliant Tender to deliver HLPAS

Contract Work (a "HLPAS ITT Response").

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Birkenhead

Lot No

1 - Birkenhead

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD74 - Wirral

Main site or place of performance

Birkenhead County Court and Family Centre

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Birkenhead HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Crewe

Lot No

2 - Crewe

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Crewe County Court and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Crewe HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Cheltenham, Gloucester

Lot No

3 - Cheltenham, Gloucester

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKC13 - Darlington

Main site or place of performance

Gloucester and Cheltenham County and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Cheltenham, Gloucester HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Dartford

Lot No

4 - Dartford

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKJ4 - Kent

Main site or place of performance

Dartford County Court and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Dartford HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Hull

Lot No

5 - Hull

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKE11 - Kingston upon Hull, City of

Main site or place of performance

Kingston-upon-Hull Combined Court Centre

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Hull HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Liverpool

Lot No

6 - Liverpool

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

Main site or place of performance

Liverpool Civil and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Liverpool HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Leicester

Lot No

7 - Leicester

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKF21 - Leicester

Main site or place of performance

Leicester County Court and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Leicester HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Telford

Lot No

8 - Telford

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKG22 - Shropshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Telford County Court and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Telford HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Wigan

Lot No

9 - Wigan

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD3 - Greater Manchester

Main site or place of performance

Wigan County Court and Family Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Wigan HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Salisbury and Swindon

Lot No

10 - Salisbury and Swindon

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK15 - Wiltshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Salisbury Law Courts & Swindon Combined Court

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Salisbury and Swindon HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Southampton

Lot No

11 - Southampton

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKJ32 - Southampton

Main site or place of performance

Southampton Combined Court Centre

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Southampton HLPAS Contract Work

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

11

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.2.14) Additional information

Price will not be assessed as part of this procurement

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

28 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English, Walloon

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

Tender must be valid until: 28 April 2023

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

28 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Legal Aid Agency

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London

SW1H 9AJ

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Legal Aid Agency

102 Petty France

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SW1H 9AJ

Email

civiltenders@justice.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be

obtained

Legal Aid Agency

102 Petty France

London

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Country

United Kingdom