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Planning

## **Climate and Ocean Adaptation and Sustainable Transition (COAST) Programme**

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

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

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

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Buyer's address

<https://fcdo.bravosolution.co.uk/>

**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

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Climate and Ocean Adaptation and Sustainable Transition (COAST) Programme

Reference number

301203

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

- 75211200 - Foreign economic-aid-related services

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

Services

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

The Climate and Ocean Adaptation and Sustainable Transition (COAST) programme forms part of the UK's £500m Blue Planet Fund (BPF), a joint FCDO-Defra fund aiming to protect and enhance the marine environment and reduce poverty. BPF will focus on Caribbean Small Island Developing States (SIDS), Pacific SIDS, West Africa, East Africa and South and Southeast Asia.

COAST aims to improve vulnerable coastal communities' resilience to climate change and build their prosperity from a more sustainable use of their marine environment. It focuses on protecting and restoring coastal habitats, small scale fisheries management and sustainable aquaculture. COAST's budget and delivery timeframe will be confirmed during FCDO's internal programme approval process - if conditions are favourable COAST's budget is envisioned to be up to £154m over a minimum of 5 years. This is the second EME – an FCDO-Defra EME was held for the BPF in April 2021.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 75211200 - Foreign economic-aid-related services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Global

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

This EME is to introduce the COAST programme to the market. Its objectives are to a) provide information on the programme to the market and test their view on its proposed delivery, b) provide indicative timescales of the programme's delivery so the market is primed to respond. This is not a call for competition or tender at this time.

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

28 April 2022

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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**

How to register

To accommodate different time zones, we will have two EMEs in the below slots. The same information will be presented in each and there is no need to join both slots.

Slot 1: 15:00 to 16:00 BST, Friday 13th May 2022

Slot 2: 09:00 to 10:00 BST, Monday 16th May 2022

If you are interested in attending this Early Market Engagement event, then please register via the form at: <https://bit.ly/3MrDVWK>