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## **Heat Network Efficiency Scheme Main - MARKET ENGAGEMENT**

Business Energy and Industrial Strategy

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0335a4

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

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

Business Energy and Industrial Strategy

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**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main 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

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**Section II: Object****II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

Heat Network Efficiency Scheme Main - MARKET ENGAGEMENT

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 66122000 - Corporate finance and venture capital services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

The Department for Business, Energy, and Industrial Strategy (BEIS) intends to procure a grant administrator / delivery partner for a financial support scheme, known as the Heat Network Efficiency Scheme Main (HNES Main).

The HNES Main is a capital and revenue grant project supporting existing/operational communal and district heating networks.

It will deploy capital grants (installation of measures to improve efficiency and address sub-optimal outcomes) and revenue grants (successful applicants procuring third party support to identify causes of sub-optimal performance and recommend costed improvement options).

The scope of the delivery partner would will be expected to include:

Technical Assessment of Heat Network Projects applying for HNES Main Funding

Application administration

Leading on business development activities, application assessment and administration, and a technical, legal, and engineering assessment of applications requiring heat network sector knowledge.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 09323000 - District heating

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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support to identify causes of sub-optimal performance and recommend costed improvement options).

Please see details below on a supplier engagement session -

Overview of the scheme

Discussion on types of skills and expertise we are seeking for this requirement

Potential suppliers to ask questions.

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

Supplier Engagement Event - 23rd May 2022

When: 10:00am - 11:00am

Where: Virtually - MS Teams - Joining instructions will be emailed to all suppliers who register their interest

Register by email to: [andrew.duckworth@beis.gov.uk](mailto:andrew.duckworth@beis.gov.uk) by 4pm on Thursday 19th March 2021

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

31 July 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