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# Heat Network Efficiency Scheme Main - MARKET ENGAGEMENT

Business Energy and Industrial Strategy

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Business Energy and Industrial Strategy

1 Victoria Street

London

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#### Contact

Andy Duckworth

#### **Email**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### 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

# **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 suboptimal 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

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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: <a href="mailto:andrew.duckworth@beis.gov.uk">andrew.duckworth@beis.gov.uk</a> by 4pm on Thursday 19th March

2021

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

31 July 2022

## 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