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Tender

Northern Ireland GP Digital Care Services Framework Agreement

Procurement and Logistics Service

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03c531

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Procurement and Logistics Service

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Buyer's address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Northern Ireland GP Digital Care Services Framework Agreement

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72210000 - Programming services of packaged software products

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Northern Ireland GP Digital Care Services Framework Agreement

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £60,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 48180000 - Medical software package
- 72262000 - Software development services
- 72260000 - Software-related services
- 72250000 - System and support services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Northern Ireland GP Digital Care Services Framework Agreement

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £60,000,000

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

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: Yes

Description of options

Call Off Agreements under the NI GPDCS Framework Agreement will be for a term of 5 years with 2 optional extension periods of 1 Year each.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 3

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

9 June 2023

Local time

3:00pm

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

English

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

Tender must be valid until: 9 December 2023

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

9 June 2023

Local time

3:30pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

Estimated value is £60,000,000 GBP. This is the highest potential estimated value and the actual value may be different from that quoted here.. . Further detail is contained in the Invitation to Tender and the Specification available with the procurement documents on eTendersNI. The proposed framework agreement will be entered into by BSO.. . A bidder information session will be held on Monday, 15 May 2023 at 10:00 am. The session will take place remotely via Microsoft Teams. To register attendance at this session, bidders should provide the names of proposed participants relating to their tender response via the messaging facility on eTendersNI by no later than 9 May 2023. The Authority will issue details of the session arrangements and an agenda by 5 May 2023. Please note that each bidder may have a maximum of 5 participants on the Microsoft Teams call. Further details are provided in the ITT (section 3.5).. . BSO reserves the right to require groups of economic operators to assume a specific legal form once they have been awarded the NI GPDCS Framework Agreement, to the extent considered necessary for the satisfactory performance of the contract and in particular to ensure that the contracting counter-party has available to it the financial and technical resources as relied upon during the procurement to secure the award of the NI GPDCS Framework Agreement. BSO will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to bidders. The notification will provide full information on the award decision. The standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful bidders to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into. The Public Contract Regulations as amended provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).. . To apply for this opportunity bidders must be registered on the eTendersNI platform. To register please go to <https://etendersni.gov.uk>. Help and Supplier Walkthrough Guides are available from the eTendersNI home page. A telephone helpline is also available from the home page or you may contact the helpdesk via email, ni-eprochelpdesk@eurodyn.com

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Business Services Organisation

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom