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### **Planning**



Home Office

F01: Prior information notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04540e

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Home Office

2 Marsham Street

London

SW1P 4DF

#### Contact

MCRP Procurement Team

#### **Email**

BFVesselsTeam@homeoffice.gov.uk

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/home-office

# 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

Public order and safety

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

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#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 34930000 - Marine equipment

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

#### THIS IS A REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The Authority acting through Border Force (BF) is conducting a review of its maritime capabilities with potential for a replacement of the current fleet. The current fleet consists of 5 Cutters and 6 Coastal Patrol Vessels (CPVs).

In support of the development of requirements for a future vessel replacement procurement, Border Force is looking to engage with original equipment manufacturers for two categories of equipment, namely integrated mission management systems (IMMS) and power and propulsion systems (PPS).

Border Force is issuing this Prior Information Notice (PIN) as a Request for Information (RFI) to engage with the market. This PIN/RFI is not a call for competition, nor is it expected that an IMMS or a PPS specific procurement will be run at a later date.

Interested original equipment manufacturers (OEM) are invited to first attend the MCRP Industry Day. Following the Industry Day, OEMs will be issued with the RFI questionnaire.

Please see section II.2.4 for additional detail and how to participate.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

- 34310000 Engines and engine parts
- 34500000 Ships and boats
- 34933000 Navigation equipment
- 35710000 Command, control, communication and computer systems

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

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Further information on the planned procurement of replacement vessels can be found in a PIN issued on 2 April 2024 (notice reference: 2024/S 000-010571, <a href="https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/010571-2024">https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/010571-2024</a>). Please follow the link to this PIN and then follow the instructions to join the MCRP Industry Day, week commencing 13 May. This will set the context for the programme and future engagement with OEMs. Following the MCRP Industry Day, OEM suppliers will be issued with a RFI questionnaire and will be invited to respond.

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

31 May 2025

## 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