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## **Financial and Performance Audit Management**

Audit Scotland

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-013412

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-045511

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

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

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Edinburgh

EH3 9DN

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+44 7970331736

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.audit-scotland.gov.uk](http://www.audit-scotland.gov.uk)

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00428](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00428)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Financial and Performance Audit Management

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

Services

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

Prior Information Notice to carry out market research and to gauge the number of potential suppliers and the associated indicative costs for providing, implementing, supporting and maintaining cloud based external Audit Administration software, tools and services.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

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See attached document (Audit Scotland AMP - Prior Information Notice) for further information.

Also attached separately is the Request for Information survey (Audit Scotland AMP -RFI)

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

There is an opportunity for suppliers to meet with Audit Scotland representatives at one of the Supplier Industry Events. Two events are scheduled & will be conducted on Microsoft Teams; 8th May at 9.30-10.30 & 13th May 11.00-12.00. If you wish to attend any of these dates please follow the further instructions within the attached PIN.

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

3 February 2025

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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**

Audit Scotland recognises the value of market participants having the opportunity to contribute to the development of the procurement strategy on a non-competitive and non-judgemental basis. It would be appreciated therefore if you could provide your views and comments on the questions set out in the attached separate Request for Information (RFI) Supplier Questionnaire. Responses to this questionnaire are required by 22nd May 2024.

Further information can be found in the attached Audit Scotland AMP - RFI document.

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search\\_Switch.aspx?ID=764771](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=764771).

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