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## **Mobile Voice and Data Services**

Scottish Government

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

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

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.scot/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10482](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10482)

**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**

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**

Mobile Voice and Data Services

Reference number

SP-22-005

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

- 64212000 - Mobile-telephone services

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

Services

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

Scottish Procurement is considering the establishment of a collaborative framework agreement for Mobile Voice and Data Services for Scottish public sector bodies. The current single supplier Framework is due to expire on 16 March 2023.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £30,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 31712112 - SIM cards
- 32250000 - Mobile telephones
- 32429000 - Telephone network equipment
- 32510000 - Wireless telecommunications system

- 32520000 - Telecommunications cable and equipment
- 64216110 - Electronic data exchange services
- 64227000 - Integrated telecommunications services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

Scottish Procurement is considering establishing a collaborative arrangement for the provision of Mobile Voice and Data Services which will be available to Scottish public sector bodies. Consideration is being given to replacing the current framework for a period up to 4 years. The scope of this collaborative arrangement is still being developed but is likely to include voice and SMS, a range of data services including 5G and shared/aggregated data, devices and accessories, international tariffs, managed/professional services, lone/remote worker services, mobile Internet of Things services, business mobility apps, device insurance and disposal etc, although this may be subject to change as the strategy develops.

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

14 September 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

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

Work has commenced in developing the procurement strategy options including canvassing of stakeholders' views. In order to complete and finalise the strategy, Scottish Procurement recognises the value of Suppliers and Industry bodies having the opportunity to contribute to this process on a non-competitive, non-judgemental basis.

To assist with this, Scottish Procurement has drafted a Request for Information (RfI) and suppliers and other interested parties should read, complete and return the RfI attached to this notice and provide their views/comments in MS Word format to Lisa Pittman ([lisa.pittman@gov.scot](mailto:lisa.pittman@gov.scot)) by midday on 15 June 2022.

This notice is issued for information only and does not constitute a call for competition.

Any collaborative arrangement for Mobile Voice and Data Services will be available to Scottish public sector bodies including the third sector.

Following receipt of the comments mentioned above, Scottish Procurement may engage directly with interested Suppliers to obtain further market intelligence.

Scottish Government and the Scottish Ministers shall have no liability for any costs, however incurred, by those attending any information days, attendance at meetings, or involvement in the proposed procurement process.

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