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Planning

2023_Arts - PIN - British Council Collection Management System

BRITISH COUNCIL(THE)

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

BRITISH COUNCIL(THE)

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LONDON

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

209131

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil/aspx/Home

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil/aspx/Home

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

Other activity

Registered Charity

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

2023 Arts - PIN - British Council Collection Management System

Reference number

BC/02936

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

This is a Prior Information Notice with the gathering of information request for a future requirement.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The main objectives of the project are to provide a database collections management system and a linked public catalogue website of artworks and publications owned by or on loan to the British Council, migrating all data from the current system. Examples of artwork data include: titles, artists, categories, descriptions, themes, media attachments, documents,

condition notes, packing information, copyright, acquisition. This system will provide the following functions:

- Communication and workflow tools for team members to help manage day to day collection processes including information on availability of artworks, artwork wish lists and requirements, exhibition reservations and history of past exhibitions, conservation treatment requirements and historical conservation reports, up-to-date and historical valuations, research enquiries
- Processes support and data management tool for auditing, inventory, location and movement control, logistics, loans management, copyright, pre-acquisition etc.
- Website information feed, content management for the Collection and interlinked British Council exhibitions past and current

II.2.14) Additional information

Suppliers who wish to take part in the PIN process will be required to register on our e-Tendering portal In-Tend hosted at https://intendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil.

Once registered, bidders must log-in to the website where they can view the project and access the PIN pack and submit their return.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 September 2023

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: No