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**Planning** 

# 02020 Employee Assistance Programme (EAP) and Welfare Services to Scottish Central Government

Scottish Prison Service
Scottish Government
Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service
Scottish Fire and Rescue Service

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-015436

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0342f2

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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#### **NUTS** code

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## Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

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# I.1) Name and addresses

Scottish Government

4 Atlantic Quay, 70 York Street

Glasgow

G28EA

#### **Email**

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## Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM - Scotland

# Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.scotland.gov.uk

Buyer's address

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# I.1) Name and addresses

Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service

Crown Office, 25 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH11LA

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**United Kingdom** 

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## Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.copfs.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0029

# I.1) Name and addresses

Scottish Fire and Rescue Service

16 Harbour Road

Inverness

Iv11TB

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Ashley.Gould@firescotland.gov.uk

#### Fax

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## Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

**UK - United Kingdom** 

# Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.firescotland.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search AuthProfile.aspx?ID=

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

# I.5) Main activity

Public order and safety

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

# II.1.1) Title

02020 Employee Assistance Programme (EAP) and Welfare Services to Scottish Central Government

Reference number

02020

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85312400 - Welfare services not delivered through residential institutions

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

# II.1.4) Short description

SPS are leading a collaborative procurement on behalf of a range of Scottish public bodies (circa 40 Collaborative Partners with an employee headcount circa 34,000) to secure a provider of an Employee Assistance Programme (EAP). The Services are intended to provide support to employees by providing access to confidential advisory and supportive interventions to deal with any personal/work related problems. Services required include: telephone counselling, information services, advice for carers, service's to management staff, face to face counselling sessions, and referral procedures. Additionally there is a requirement to provide Welfare Services to a number of the Collaborative Partners. The Welfare Service shall comprise of: crisis intervention, welfare services (including home visits) and advocacy (facilitating meetings on behalf of individuals both a support mechanism for staff and a management reporting function for Human Resource Business Partners.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

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

• 85312400 - Welfare services not delivered through residential institutions

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM - Scotland

# II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The SPS will commence this procurement process in good faith and with the intention of awarding a framework. Following publication of the Contract Notice, an Invitation to Tender (ITT) including the Single Procurement Document (Scotland) (SPD) will be published by SPS and will be made available to bidders on Public Contract Scotland-Tender (PCS-T). Tender responses will then be evaluated by the SPS in accordance with the ITT

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

27 June 2022

# 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

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.3) Additional information

The Purchasing Authority is acting on behalf of the following organisations:

The Scottish Prison Service is contracting for itself AND on behalf of other contracting authorities as detailed below

The Scottish Ministers (including Agencies), Scottish Non-Departmental Public Bodies, offices in the Scottish Administration which are not ministerial offices, cross-border public authorities within the meaning of section 88(5) of the Scotland Act 1998, the Scotland Office, the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body, special health boards, Forestry Commission, Scottish Futures Trust, Student Loans Company Ltd, the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses, Business Stream Ltd, any public body established by or under the Scotland Act 1998 or any Act of the Scottish Parliament, any association of or formed by one or more of the above, bodies financed wholly or mainly by one or more of the above, bodies subject to management supervision by one or more of the above and bodies more than half of the board of directors or members of which, or, in the case of a group of individuals, more than half of those individuals, being appointed by one or more of the above.

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