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# The Supply and Maintenance of CO2 Detection Analysers - PIN

Home Office

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

Home Office

Secretary of State for the Home Department, 2 Marsham Street

London

SW1P 4DF

#### **Email**

BorderForceProcurementTeam@homeoffice.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

## Internet address(es)

Main address

www.gov.uk

## 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

The Supply and Maintenance of CO2 Detection Analysers - PIN

Reference number

C21053

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38543000 - Gas-detection equipment

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Border Force would like to invite external suppliers to express an interest in a future tender for the supply and maintenance of CO2 detection analysers.

Please note, this expression of interest notice may not result in a future procurement. Should a future tender be conducted, suppliers that have expressed an interest in this PIN will be invited to participate in the tender process.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 38540000 - Machines and apparatus for testing and measuring

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Secretary of State for the Home Department

2 Marsham Street

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

The Border Force Detection Technology Management Unit (DTMU) are seeking to establish a Contract for the supply and maintenance of CO2 detection analysers. The Contract shall be for an initial four (4) years with an option to extend for further 12-month period.

Supplier(s) will be required to deliver the scope will consist of the following:

- ? Supply of Carbon Dioxide Gas Analysers;
- ? Annual Maintenance, Calibration and Repair for Carbon Dioxide Gas Analysers.

This is not a requirement for analysers for personal safety purposes

Mandatory Requirements:

Carbon Dioxide Gas Analysers must be designed and be able to detect human CO2 levels and be suitable for Roll on/Roll off freight search environments.

Gas Analysers must be capable of detecting human CO2 levels within a 7-meter range.

The CO2 minimum measurement should be 0-1500 ppm and be able to measure levels in 10ppm increments.

The duration of the sample process should not exceed more than 30 seconds.

Supplier(s) products and services must meet the expectation of their customers, and they are compliant and operate within Quality Management System (QMS) ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management or recognised equivalent. Accreditations

must be held with a recognised national accreditation body, such as UKAS.

All spares used must be guaranteed and be made available for a period of up to 5 years following purchase.

Supplier(s) must have an authorised agent located in the UK for the provision of maintenance, calibration and repair services.

The successful supplier(s) would be required to undertake annual planned maintenance, calibration and repairs on its own premises. However, alternative proposals for mobile calibration services on the Buyer's premises at Folkestone would be considered.

The Buyer's preference is for detection analysers that only require 1 calibration per year. However interest is sought from suppliers providing detection analysers requiring 6 monthly calibrations.

To participate in the potential future tender process, supplier(s) shall be required to register on the Authority's e-Sourcing portal in advance. To access the e-Sourcing portal and register, please click on the following link: <a href="https://homeoffice.app.iaggaer.com/web/login.html">https://homeoffice.app.iaggaer.com/web/login.html</a>.

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Please note that this is a request for information only. The Home Office does not undertake to enter into any contractual agreement on the basis of this prior information notice.

The closing date for expressions of interest is 17:00 BST 14 July 2021.

Please provide indicative cost per unit and the lead time for CO2 analysers as part of your expression of interest.

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

30 June 2021

#### 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**

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