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#### Planning

# Tranche 3 Army Apprenticeship EPAO Contracting

Ministry of Defence

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## Section I: Contracting authority

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

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## 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

Defence

## Section II: Object

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Tranche 3 Army Apprenticeship EPAO Contracting

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The AAP provides apprenticeships to 15 Cap Badges across the Army, each Cap Badge runs multiple Standards to enable them to offer a high-quality Apprenticeship Programme for their soldiers.

This Prior Information Notice is to inform of the Department's intention to procure a further 4 Apprenticeship Standards End Point Assessment (EPA) service contracts for the Army Apprenticeship Programme (AAP) which is the final tranche of its EPA implementation programme.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Royal Logistic Corps (RLC)

Level 2 Port Operative (ST0307)

30 apprenticeships/year

This Standard will require EPAO contracting and engagement from Oct/Nov 22 to provide EPA in May 23.

Royal Artillery (RA)

Level 3 Transport and Warehouse Operations Supervisor (ST0647)

52 apprenticeships/year

This Standard will require EPAO contracting and engagement from Jan 2023 to provide EPA in SEP 2023

Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (REME)

Level 3 Engineering Technician (ST0457)

610 apprenticeships/year

This Standard will require EPAO contracting and engagement from Oct 23 to provide EPA in May 24.

Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (REME)

Level 3 Metal Fabricator (ST0607)

44 apprenticeships/year

This Standard will require EPAO contracting and engagement from Oct 23 to provide EPA in May 24.

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

31 October 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