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## **Digital Rulebook App**

Rail Safety and Standards Board (RSSB)

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-034664

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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

<https://www.rssb.co.uk/standards/rssb-rule-book-app>

Buyer's address

<https://www.rssb.co.uk>

**I.3) Communication**

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

Rail services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Digital Rulebook App

Reference number

697554661

#### **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**

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to provide access to PDF copies within RSSB's website, therefore ease of use and reliability are paramount to allow organisations to move away from hard copy and downloaded PDFs.

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

Value excluding VAT: £250,000

### **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

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

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

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#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

It's envisaged that the contract term shall be 5 years with an option to extend based on supplier performance.

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

8 August 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: No

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### **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### **VI.3) Additional information**

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