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Planning

## **Water Resource Accountability in Pakistan (WRAP)**

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-016633

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02c86b

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **NUTS code**

UKM95 - South Lanarkshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://fcdo.proactisportal.com/Account/Login>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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**

Other activity

International Development

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Water Resource Accountability in Pakistan (WRAP)

Reference number

PROJ10194

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 75211200 - Foreign economic-aid-related services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

## Services

### **II.1.4) Short description**

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WRAP aims to ‘strengthen the governance of water at national and provincial levels, supporting adaptation to climate change and improving environmental sustainability’.

The programme will work in the following areas:

#### Water Governance:

Provide technical support to improve the capacity of water institutions at federal and provincial levels, such as water commissions, water regulatory authorities and irrigation departments.

#### Nature Based Solutions:

Demonstrate how restoring the health of water systems and applying nature-based solutions could help communities adapt to climate change. Restoring damaged water ecosystem services can sequester carbon and protect against water-related disasters like floods and drought.

#### Catalytic Fund:

The fund will aim to demonstrate and upscale new innovative solutions to old challenges on management of water as resource through government buy-in. The fund will also cover provision of research, analysis and evaluation to ensure sustainability of water and nature-based interventions.

The EME will consult on the following questions:

Where do you think in Pakistan these interventions would be most beneficial?

Which government stakeholders are most influential in these sectors at federal and provincial level?

How might a catalytic fund be used to support the delivery of this programme?

What do you see as the main risks and challenges to delivering this programme? and

Timelines for programme mobilisation.

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

Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM95 - South Lanarkshire

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

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Please register on the FCDO Supplier Portal for this opportunity (PROJ10194) to receive all communication and updates - <https://fcdo.proactisportal.com/Account/Login>

There will be an Early Market Engagement event held on Tuesday 27th July 2021. For all information regarding times and venues please ensure to access these details within the additional information provided for PROJ10194 on the FCDO Supplier Portal.

Note, there are 2 elements to registration which must not be confused with each other.

1. Suppliers must register their interest to PROJ10194 on the FCDO Supplier Portal to ensure they receive all communications and updates (this is not registration to attend the event)

2. Within the profile of PROJ10194 on the portal, there are attachments containing additional documents which contain the link to register for the EME event.

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#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000

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

30 November 2021

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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: Yes