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## ID 3283845 DfE - Invest NI -Configuration of Microsoft 365 SharePoint as an Enterprise Content Management Solutions (ECM) Implementation Services, Add-ons and Support

Invest NI

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Invest NI

Bedford Square, Bedford Street

**BELFAST** 

**BT27ES** 

#### **Contact**

SSDAdmn.CPDfinance-ni.gov.uk

#### **Email**

SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

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## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

ID 3283845 DfE - Invest NI -Configuration of Microsoft 365 SharePoint as an Enterprise Content Management Solutions (ECM) Implementation Services, Add-ons and Support

Reference number

ID 3283845

#### 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

Invest NI require the configuration of their existing Microsoft 365 as a core Enterprise Content Management solution to replace its current EDRMS Meridio and other legacy shared drives. The Contractor will be responsible for: • Providing implementation services (design, supply, installation, implementation, migration, configuration and testing of the solution), add-ons (if applicable) and support that meet the requirements of Invest NI as detailed in this specification. • Configuration and implementation of records management processes and workflows. • Redesign of information architecture and security model. • Ensuring the solution implemented is efficient, secure and effective to get the best use of the implemented technology. • Ensuring data can be made accessible outside of UK and European Economic Area (EEA) in a secure manner in compliance with GDPR. • Provision of detailed documentation to Invest NI describing the configuration of the solution. • Providing industry expertise to Invest NI and keeping abreast of technology changes over the contract period. • The provision of admin and super user training to enable effective management and usage of the solution; and • The provision of maintenance and support for the solution throughout the life of the contract. Tenderers should refer to the document entitled "ID 3283845 – Schedule 1 – Specification Schedule" for full details of Invest NI's requirement.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £994,632

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

- 72200000 Software programming and consultancy services
- 72210000 Programming services of packaged software products
- 72212000 Programming services of application software
- 72212780 System, storage and content management software development services
- 72212783 Content management software development services
- 48000000 Software package and information systems
- 48780000 System, storage and content management software package
- 48783000 Content management software package

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Qualitative Criteria / Weighting: 35

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 65

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £994,632

# II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

42

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This contract will potentially be due to be re-procured after the initial contract period or following any extension periods.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This contract will be for an initial period of 42 months. There will be an option to extend the

contract for up to a further 4 periods as follows: 3 years + 3 years + 2 years + 1 year.

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The estimated value of this contract is in the range of £995,000 to £3,000,000 (over the full 12 years 6 month period). Invest NI currently have in place business case approval for the initial contract period of 42 months.

## **Section IV. Procedure**

## **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

25 August 2021

Local time

3:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

## IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 23 December 2021

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

25 August 2021

Local time

3:30pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: This contract will be for an initial period of 42 months. There will be an option to extend for 4 further periods as follows: 3 years + 3 years + 2 years + 1 year. This procurement will be due to be re procured after the initial contract period and or following the uptake of extension options.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015

**United Kingdom** 

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD will comply with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 and, where appropriate, will incorporate a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of contract is communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision. This provides time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into.