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## **Shrink Wrap and Boxes**

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) ("NSS")

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Edinburgh

**EH129EB** 

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### **Country**

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM - Scotland

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.nss.nhs.scot/browse/procurement-and-logistics

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883

## I.3) Communication

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

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Shrink Wrap and Boxes

Reference number

NSS232413

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 44617000 - Boxes

### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

### II.1.4) Short description

The Authority is seeking to put in place a Framework Agreement for the provision of shrink wrap and boxes required in the National Distribution Service (NDS) for distributing consumable stock, Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and resilience medical equipment.

## II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £560,000

## II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 44617000 - Boxes

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM - Scotland

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Authority is seeking to put in place a Framework Agreement for the provision of shrink wrap and boxes required in the National Distribution Service (NDS) for distributing consumable stock, Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and resilience medical equipment.

In order to despatch and transport these goods, stock is packed in cages or on pallets. The palletised stock requires to be secured with shrink wrap. Boxes are also required to hold and transport PPE across Scotland.

It is essential that boxes and shrink wrap are delivered on time, in full and to the required specification to allow the operations teams to deliver stock to end users.

The successful tenderer will be awarded the Framework Agreement and orders will be placed with them as and when shrink wrap and/or boxes are required by stakeholders.

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 70

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

**Duration in months** 

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

## **Section IV. Procedure**

## **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

# IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

### 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

24 July 2023

Local time

12:00pm

#### 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: 24 October 2023

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

24 July 2023

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 24365. For more information see:

http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

### VI.4.1) Review body

**Sheriff Court House** 

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH11LB

**Email** 

nssprocurementteam@nhs.scot

Country

**United Kingdom** 

### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Economic operators should approach the contracting authority in the first instance. However, the only formal remedy is to apply to the courts:

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.