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#### **Planning**

# Pre-Market Engagement for - Maintenance and Repair of Vehicle Auxiliary Heating and Climate Control Systems (NIAS)

Business Services Organisation, Procurement and Logistics Service

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Business Services Organisation, Procurement and Logistics Service

The Cottage 5 Greenmount Avenue

Ballymena

**BT43 6DA** 

#### **Email**

sourcing.palsballymena@hscni.net

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region 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

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

Health

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Pre-Market Engagement for - Maintenance and Repair of Vehicle Auxiliary Heating and Climate Control Systems (NIAS)

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 50100000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services of vehicles and related equipment

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

This is a prior information notice to seek engagement with the market place to understand the market structure and ascertain how suppliers can assist in Maintenance and Repair of Vehicle Auxiliary Heating and Climate Control Systems to Northern Ireland Ambulance Service Trust (NIAS). Potential suppliers for Maintenance and Repair of Vehicle Auxiliary Heating and Climate Control Systems will need to register their business on the website <a href="https://www.eTendersNl.gov.uk">www.eTendersNl.gov.uk</a>). Go to 'Suppliers new to eTendersNI' and follow the registration process. Suppliers will be required to register against the relevant CPV codes applicable to them and to ensure they receive email alerts regarding specific areas of interest. If already registered Suppliers should review their contact details to ensure the information is up to date. Assistance is available from eTenders NI Helpdesk, telephone number: 08002404545.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 50100000 Repair, maintenance and associated services of vehicles and related equipment
- 50000000 Repair and maintenance services
- 50116000 Maintenance and repair services related to specific parts of vehicles

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

#### **NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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

This is a prior information notice to seek engagement with the market place to understand the market structure and ascertain how suppliers can assist in the Maintenance and Repair of Vehicle Auxiliary Heating and Climate Control Systems to NIAS in compliance with all relevant Legislation. To this end, BSO Procurement and Logistics Service (PaLS) wish to engage with potential Suppliers on behalf of NIAS to obtain a market view of the potential requirements through the eTendersNI secure messaging area of this Call for Tender (CfT). All correspondence in relation to this pre-market engagement exercise will be communicated via the eTendersNI secure messaging area. Suppliers should refer to the Supplier Engagement Document located within the CfT. Suppliers will be required to return answers to Appendix 6 — Supplier Questionnaire and any comments no later than 15:00 hours 20 July 2023. Suppliers should note that PaLS may follow up this questionnaire with a meeting(s) with interested suppliers during week commencing 07 August 2023. If required, invitations will be issued week commencing 31 July 2023. Suppliers should also note that any interest shown does not constitute a commitment to participate in any future tendering exercise.

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

20 October 2023

## 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