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## **Orders for Sale Litigation**

Department for Work and Pensions

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

Department for Work and Pensions

Caxton House, Tothill Street

London

SW1H9NA

#### **Email**

cd.debtservices@dwp.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

**UK - United Kingdom** 

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-work-pensions

## I.3) Communication

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

https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/82d1f5b5-cc04-4e36-9a06-6e74eab4bbd2

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://dwp.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.shtml

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## I.5) Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Orders for Sale Litigation

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79100000 - Legal services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The focus of this Contract is for Orders for Sale in relation to the recovery of monies owed by the Paying Parent to the Receiving Parent for Child Maintenance purposes. However, the Supplier may be required to undertake other debt litigation resolution services to be agreed during the Contract Period.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

## II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 79110000 - Legal advisory and representation services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

- UKD North West (England)
- UKE Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF East Midlands (England)
- UKG West Midlands (England)
- UKH East of England
- UKI London
- UKJ South East (England)
- UKK South West (England)
- UKL Wales

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

The focus of this Contract is for Orders for Sale in relation to the recovery of monies owed by the Paying Parent to the Receiving Parent for Child Maintenance purposes. However, the Supplier may be required to undertake other debt litigation resolution services to be agreed during the Contract Period. The supplier will work closely with the Buyer (Department of Work and Pensions) to manage individual cases including the establishment, collection and transfer of monies received from the paying parent under payment plans. The recovery includes the management of property for which an order for possession has been granted to ensure that the value of the sale of property is protected. Suppliers will also be required to undertake all tasks associated with the sale of property including the appointment and management of estate agents.

## II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

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

**Duration in months** 

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 separate 12 month extensions possible

#### 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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

## III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2023/S 000-009925</u>

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

Date

7 August 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

7 August 2023

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: On contract expiry date

## 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

**Suppliers Instructions:** 

How to Express Interest in this Tender:

1. Register on the eSourcing portal (this is only required once):

https://dwp.bravosolution.co.uk & click the link to register - Accept the terms & conditions & click 'continue' - Enter your correct business & user details - Note your chosen username & click 'Save'. You will receive an email with your password (keep this secure)

- 2. Express an Interest in the tender Login to the portal with the username/password Click the 'PQQs / ITTs Open To All Suppliers' link. (These are Pre-Qualification Questionnaires or Invitations to Tender open to any registered supplier) Click on the relevant exercise to access the content. Click the 'Express Interest' button at the top of the page. This will move the PQQ /ITT into your 'My PQQs/ My ITTs' page. (A secure area reserved for your projects only) -You can now access any attachments by clicking 'Buyer Attachments' in the 'PQQ/ ITT Details' box
- 3. Responding to the tender Click 'My Response' under 'PQQ/ ITT Details', you can choose to 'Create Response' or to 'Decline to Respond' (please give a reason if declining) You can now use the 'Messages' function to communicate with the buyer and seek any clarification Note the deadline for completion. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the PQQ/ ITT There may be a mixture of online & offline actions to complete (detailed online help available). To submit your reply use the 'Submit Response' button (top of the page).

For further assistance please consult the online help, or the eTendering help desk.

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

Department for Works and Pensions

London

Country

**United Kingdom**