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# Planning Telephony Services Dynamic Purchasing System

Scottish Government

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# Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

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### NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.scotland.gov.scot

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1048

# 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

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Telephony Services Dynamic Purchasing System

Reference number

SP-21-039

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 64200000 - Telecommunications services

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Scottish Ministers are seeking to establish a collaborative arrangement for Telephony Services available for Scottish public sector

organisations.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

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

- 64212000 Mobile-telephone services
- 64215000 IP telephone services
- 50330000 Maintenance services of telecommunications equipment
- 32420000 Network equipment

- 32522000 Telecommunications equipment
- 64214400 Communication land-line rental
- 48512000 Interactive voice response software package
- 32412100 Telecommunications network
- 32416000 ISDN network
- 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies
- 32429000 Telephone network equipment
- 51340000 Installation services of line telephony equipment
- 32544000 PABX equipment
- 32524000 Telecommunications system
- 32545000 PABX systems
- 51300000 Installation services of communications equipment
- 32520000 Telecommunications cable and equipment
- 32523000 Telecommunications facilities
- 79512000 Call centre
- 64227000 Integrated telecommunications services
- 48314000 Voice recognition software package
- 32250000 Mobile telephones
- 32550000 Telephone equipment
- 31712112 SIM cards
- 64224000 Teleconferencing services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

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

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION.

Scottish Procurement currently has a Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) in place for Telephony Services. The new arrangement will look to develop and build upon the DPS which is due to expire in December 2021. The purpose of this PIN is to inform the market of our initial intentions and to gather supplier feedback on the proposed relet. In conjunction with public sector representatives via a user intelligence group, Scottish Procurement is considering the following lot structure for the dynamic purchasing system:

Lot 1 – Telephony – this will include, but not be limited to, traditional telephony, DDI provision & line rental, non-geographic numbers, broadband, IP telephony/VoIP, SIP trunks, contact centre, maintenance & support, etc.

Lot 2 – Services - this will include, but not be limited to, unified communications, telephony as a service, telephony software services, provision of telephony through a hosted or cloud based solution, etc.

Lot 3 – Enterprise Bundled Services – this lot will allow the provision of a full range of telephony services including the services available through both Lots 1 & 2 and including mobile voice and data services enabling organisations to procure all their telephony services through a single procurement. Supplier feedback is sought on these lotting proposals:

do they make sense and are there any additional services which should be included?

is the proposed lotting structure aligned with how telephony services are typically delivered by telephony service providers?

has the pandemic impacted how telephony services are provided and how will this affect future provision as we exit the pandemic?

Feedback on these specific questions and any other thoughts on the replacement telephony arrangement would be very much appreciated.

It would be appreciated if responses are provided by 3rd September 2021 to <u>david.box@gov.scot</u> and <u>margaretanne.mckeown@gov.scot</u>

Please provide answers as clear and concise as possible.

#### II.2.14) Additional information

This is NOT a call for competition.

The existing Telephony DPS is open and you can apply to join at anytime until the new agreement is live in December 21. For more information please see Scottish Procurement contracts directory

(https://www.gov.scot/publications/telephony-services-dynamic-purchasing-system/).

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

15 October 2021

# 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

# Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

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