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**Planning** 

# **Existing Software continuity or new software purchase**

Thames Valley Police

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Thames Valley Police

Police HQ North, Meadow House, The Boulevard, Lang

Kidlington, Oxon

OX5 1NZ

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### Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number** 

VAT – GB 180 5571 07

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.thamesvalley.police.uk/

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/32823

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### I.3) Communication

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

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfg/rwlentrance s.asp?PID=51110&B=BLUELIGHT

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

Public order and safety

## **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Existing Software continuity or new software purchase

Reference number

TVP00726

#### 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

Thames Valley Police acting as lead Authority for ACRO who use ECRIS RI (European Criminal Information System Reference Implementation) which is a piece of software that enables EU member states to exchange criminal records via a messaging service. Since BREXIT there is a UK version UKCRIS RI (UK Criminal Information System Reference Implementation) which the EU will work with, with the understanding that the UK would maintain and upgrade the system beyond the version available to us at the time of our exit.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £250,000

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

- 48611000 Database software package
- 48612000 Database-management system

- 48614000 Data-acquisition system
- 64216100 Electronic message services
- 64216110 Electronic data exchange services
- 72266000 Software consultancy services
- 72267100 Maintenance of information technology software
- 72330000 Content or data standardization and classification services
- 80590000 Tutorial services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Thames Valley, Hampshire, Isle of Wight

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.14) Additional information

Software originally created by an EU company called Tracsis International.

Migrating software upgrade over to Azure with Joint ICT, keep on SaaS. Looking for a provider who is up to speed with Tracsis to maintain and support software or they can develop their own version of the software but would need full maintenance and support.

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

17 August 2022

## 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

Software development to remake new style of RI software (if needed)

Customer support to provide maintenance and support the customer(s)

Possibility of taking over maintenance and support of existing RI software, a provider who is up to speed to Tracsis International RI software

We anticipate to run an open procurement process depending on the responses received from this PIN. Bidders maybe asked to participate in an engagement exercise.