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# **Disaster Charter Operational Support Contract**

UK Space Agency (UKSA)

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

UK Space Agency (UKSA)

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Swindon

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#### Contact

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#### **Email**

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### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKK14 - Swindon

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-space-agency

Buyer's address

www.uksbs.co.uk

## 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://beisgroup.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://beisgroup.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/

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# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Other activity

UK Space Agency

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Disaster Charter Operational Support Contract

Reference number

UKSA22\_0018

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72319000 - Data supply services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The final date and time for the submission of bids is Tuesday, 6th September 2022 at 14:00.

DO NOT apply directly to the buyer.

All tender information MUST be submitted through the Jaggaer eSourcing Portal.

**Brief Description of Requirement** 

The UK Space Agency (UKSA) is an Executive Agency of the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS). As part of its work to grow the space sector and promote the benefits of using space technology and services within the UK Government and around the globe, the UKSA is proud to be contribute to the International Charter: Space and Major Disasters, working alongside industry and international partners to assist those in need.

The Charter aims to provide a unified system of space data acquisition and delivery to those affected by natural or man-made disasters. Further details on the Charter can be found at <a href="https://disasterscharter.org/">https://disasterscharter.org/</a>.

The UK has been a Charter member since 2005 and wishes to continue to play an active leadership role. UKSA has a requirement for specialist operational support to ensure the Charter is performing effectively, interfacing effectively with existing and any potential new data providers and users and ensuring there is optimal awareness and uptake of the Charter within the UK Government and with selected overseas partners.

Please ensure you review all attached information to ensure a full understanding of this requirement. All attachments can be found with the Supplier Attachments tab within the Jaggaer eSourcing Portal.

This contract will be awarded based on the evaluation criteria as set out in the RFP document.

How to Apply

UK Shared Business Services Ltd (UK SBS) will be using the Jaggaer eSourcing Portal for this procurement.

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Once you are logged into the system you will be able to locate the Procurement you wish to leave a bid on by clicking the ITTs Open to All Suppliers and searching for the reference number UKSA22 0018.

### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £600,000

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 72319000 - Data supply services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

#### **NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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#### 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: £600,000

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

Start date

17 October 2022

End date

16 October 2025

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

Date

6 September 2022

Local time

2:00pm

#### 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

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

6 September 2022

Local time

2:01pm

# **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

#### DO NOT APPLY DIRECTLY TO BUYER

All submissions will be assessed in accordance with the Public Procurement Regulations that apply to this opportunity.

Responses must be received by the date and time in the tender documentation; responses received outside of the deadline or not sent via the Jaggaer eSourcing portal will not be accepted or considered by the Contracting Authority further for this opportunity. Interested organisations should ensure that they allow a sufficiency of time, prior to the deadline to allow all sections to be completed in full and any attachments to be uploaded.

As a user of the Jaggaer eSourcing Portal you will have access to the Jaggaer messaging service which facilitates all messages sent to you and from you, as well as other messages and updates in relation to any specific tender event. Please note that any and all information secured outside of the messaging service, shall have no merit or worth and should not be relied upon by any organisation submitting a tender response.

Please note it is your organisations responsibility to access these messages on a regular basis to ensure you have sight of all relevant information applicable to this opportunity.

The Contracting Authority expressly reserves the right:

- i. not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; and
- ii. to make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the procurement; and under no circumstances as part of your organisations participation in this opportunity, will the Contracting Authority be liable for any costs incurred by any organisation as a result. If the Contracting Authority decides to enter into a contract with any successful organisation(s), this does not mean that there is any guarantee of subsequent contracts being awarded. Any expenditure, work or effort undertaken prior to

contract award is accordingly a matter solely for the commercial judgement of your organisation in doing so.

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Our broad range of expert services is shared by our customers. This allows our customers the freedom to focus resources on core activities; innovating and transforming their own organisations.

For full details of our partner base please review the following link: http://www.uksbs.co.uk/services/procure/contracts/Pages/default.aspx

# VI.4) Procedures for review

### VI.4.1) Review body

**UK Shared Business Services Ltd** 

Polaris House, North Star Avenue

Swindon

SN2 1FF

**Email** 

policy@uksbs.co.uk

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

www.uksbs.co.uk

#### VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

UK Shared Business Services Ltd
Polaris House
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SN2 1FF
Email
policy@uksbs.co.uk
Country
United Kingdom
Internet address
www.uksbs.co.uk
VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained
UK Shared Business Services Ltd
UK Shared Business Services Ltd Polaris House
Polaris House
Polaris House Swindon
Polaris House Swindon SN2 1FF
Polaris House Swindon SN2 1FF Email
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