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Planning

Strategic Communications

Border to Coast Pensions Partnership Limited

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Scope

Description

Border to Coast Pensions Partnership is seeking a corporate communications agency to work with its Policy & Communications team. The appointed agency will act as a day-to-day extension of Border to Coast's team, helping it evolve its long-term communications strategy, spot and navigate issues that might affect the organisation or its partners, and carry out communications and public affairs activity and stakeholder engagement.

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Total value (estimated)

- £560,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 26 September 2025 to 26 September 2027
- Possible extension to 26 September 2029
- 4 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79416200 - Public relations consultancy services

Engagement

Engagement deadline

24 June 2025

Engagement process description

Initial engagement has taken place with potential agencies in the market.

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Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

24 June 2025

Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government