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Planning

## **Professional Services - Estates**

Student Loans Company Ltd

UK2: Preliminary market engagement notice - Procurement Act 2023 - [view information about notice types](#)

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### **Scope**

#### **Description**

The Student Loans Company (SLC) is a non-profit making government owned organisation that administers loans and grants to students in colleges and universities in the UK. We have 9.7 million customers, manage a loan book worth £260.8bn and manage the full end to end “apply, assess, pay and repay” process.

SLC is seeking a supplier (s) to provide the following:

Structural Engineering consulting Services

Mechanical & Electrical Engineering

Architectural and Design Services

Construction Project Management Services

Quantity Surveyor Services

Building Surveying Services

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-title/23V2PR5NWP>

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### **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £480,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 December 2025 to 30 November 2028
- Possible extension to 30 November 2029
- 4 years

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 71200000 - Architectural and related services

- 71221000 - Architectural services for buildings
- 71240000 - Architectural, engineering and planning services
- 71250000 - Architectural, engineering and surveying services
- 71251000 - Architectural and building-surveying services
- 71312000 - Structural engineering consultancy services
- 71315200 - Building consultancy services
- 71315300 - Building surveying services
- 71321000 - Engineering design services for mechanical and electrical installations for buildings
- 71324000 - Quantity surveying services
- 71333000 - Mechanical engineering services
- 71355000 - Surveying services

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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

7 June 2025

### **Engagement process description**

Prior to initiating the procurement, SLC wishes to establish the level of market interest to participating in the forth coming procurement process.

Suitably qualified and experienced suppliers who may have an interest in this project are invited to complete the questionnaire that is available to registered suppliers via the Delta e-tendering system, for this Preliminary Market Engagement. The high level requirements are detailed within the online questionnaire.

The purpose of the market engagement is to help assess the reaction of the market, to understand risks and future possibilities to ensure a future proofed procurement strategy and resulting contract. Please note that lengthy questionnaire responses are not necessary at this stage. However, SLC would welcome any pertinent information on your company's views on an approach to the provision of the required services.

Any submission received in response to this exercise will not constitute any contractual agreement between the respondent and SLC. Nor does the receipt of a response automatically include the respondent in the procurement process.

A Tender Notice will be issued to the market which will provide details of how the relating procurement documentation can be accessed and timescales for submission of the said tender response.

Interested parties shall bear their own costs of participation in this Market Engagement of whatever nature. SLC shall not be liable for the costs, expenses or losses howsoever arising (including, without limitation, any loss of profit or other economic loss incurred), regardless of the outcome of the Market Engagement.

The next stage in the process will be considered once this exercise has been completed.  
**\*\*PLEASE NOTE: ALL COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRES MUST BE SUBMITTED, BEFORE 15:00 on the date specified within the Preliminary Market Engagement tenderbox.**

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Student Loans Company Ltd**

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