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Planning

## **Proposed provision of Social Security Scotland Catering Facilities in Dundee & Glasgow (RFI)**

Social Security Scotland

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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

<https://www.socialsecurity.gov.scot/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30345](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30345)

**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

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Proposed provision of Social Security Scotland Catering Facilities in Dundee & Glasgow (RFI)

Reference number

S\_21\_033

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 55500000 - Canteen and catering services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

In order to provide a suitable work environment at these new premises for circa 1200 staff in Dundee and Glasgow Social Security Scotland intends to procure catering services. Services will include the provision of hot and cold beverages, breakfast and café style lunch menus and a variety of confectionary.

Consideration is being given to reserving this contract for supported businesses in line with Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 Regulation 21 (2)

Regulation 21 defines a supported business as:

“an economic operator whose main aim is the social and professional integration of disabled and disadvantaged persons and where at least 30% of the employees of the economic operator are disabled or disadvantaged persons”

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £125,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 55500000 - Canteen and catering services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Agnes Husband House, Dundee

High Street, Glasgow.

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

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### **II.2.14) Additional information**

As part of the development of a procurement strategy for the provision of Catering Facilities for Social Security Scotland we are seeking views and information from the market place in relation to the areas set out in this Request for Information (RFI).

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

30 November 2021

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## **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: No

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search\\_Switch.aspx?ID=670203](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=670203).

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