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# SCAPE Utilities Consultancy Services Framework - Scotland

Scape Procure Scotland Ltd

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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#### **Country**

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM - Scotland

## National registration number

SC584373

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.scapegroup.co.uk/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA2624 3

# 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://www.delta-esourcing.com/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.delta-esourcing.com/

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Other activity

SCAPE Scotland is a public sector owned, built environment specialist supplier of framework solutions.

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

SCAPE Utilities Consultancy Services Framework - Scotland

Reference number

SPS006

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services

# II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

# II.1.4) Short description

This Notice adheres to the requirements of The Utilities Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2016 and should be read as standard form F05 Contract Notice Utilities.

Experienced suppliers are invited to apply for civil engineering, construction and infrastructure consultancy services as defined by the NUTS and CPV codes contained in this notice.

Scape Procure Scotland Ltd (SCAPE) wishes to wishes to establish a framework agreement for six (6) year duration. The initial period will run for four (4) years with an option to extend by two (2) years which will run consecutively. Scape Procure Scotland Limited ("Scape") is a contracting authority and central purchasing body within the meaning of the Utilities Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (the "Regulations"), dedicated to creating efficiency

and social impact via the built environment. In accordance with Regulation 53(9), procurement carried out by Scape in order to perform its centralised purchasing activities (which includes the conclusion of framework agreements for works, supplies or services intended for a utility) is deemed to be procurement for the pursuit of an activity referred to in Regulations 8 to 14. Scape is, therefore, deemed to be a utility for these purposes; and may conclude this framework agreement in accordance with the procedures provided for in the Regulations.

Scape has conducted an exercise of market engagement to understand the need and anticipated pipeline for nfrastructure and construction consultancy services across a number of different utility sectors. In particular, but without limitation, Scape has been engaging with Cromarty Firth Port Authority to understand its procurement requirements. While there is no guarantee or commitment of any kind, Cromarty Firth Port Authority and Peel Ports Investments Limited and it's Group of Companies including its Statutory Harbour Authorities have indicated an interest in exploring the possibility of calling-off services under the framework once it is concluded and Scape is pleased to alert the market to this potential opportunity.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 2

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

On receipt of multiple bids the two highest scoring compliant bidders will only be awarded one Lot each. In the event that Scape receive a single bid - subject to that Bidder having the sufficient combined turnover for both Lots (80,000,000 GBP) - they may be awarded the full value of the framework.

# II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Civil Engineering and Construction Consultancy Services for Utilities

#### Lot No

1

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

- 71210000 Advisory architectural services
- 71220000 Architectural design services
- 71230000 Organisation of architectural design contests
- 71240000 Architectural, engineering and planning services
- 71241000 Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 71242000 Project and design preparation, estimation of costs
- 71250000 Architectural, engineering and surveying services
- 71310000 Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71311000 Civil engineering consultancy services
- 71311100 Civil engineering support services
- 71311200 Transport systems consultancy services
- 71311210 Highways consultancy services
- 71311220 Highways engineering services
- 71311230 Railway engineering services
- 71311240 Airport engineering services
- 71311300 Infrastructure works consultancy services
- 71312000 Structural engineering consultancy services
- 71313000 Environmental engineering consultancy services
- 71314000 Energy and related services

- 71314200 Energy-management services
- 71314300 Energy-efficiency consultancy services
- 71315300 Building surveying services
- 71320000 Engineering design services
- 71321100 Construction economics services
- 71322000 Engineering design services for the construction of civil engineering works
- 71324000 Quantity surveying services
- 71330000 Miscellaneous engineering services
- 71334000 Mechanical and electrical engineering services
- 71340000 Integrated engineering services
- 71350000 Engineering-related scientific and technical services
- 71354500 Marine survey services
- 71410000 Urban planning services
- 71420000 Landscape architectural services
- 71510000 Site-investigation services
- 71520000 Construction supervision services
- 71530000 Construction consultancy services
- 71540000 Construction management services
- 71541000 Construction project management services
- 71610000 Composition and purity testing and analysis services
- 71620000 Analysis services
- 71700000 Monitoring and control services

- 72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 72200000 Software programming and consultancy services
- 72212300 Document creation, drawing, imaging, scheduling and productivity software development services
- 72212421 Facilities management software development services
- 72212482 Business intelligence software development services
- 72212490 Procurement software development services
- 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services
- 79112100 Stakeholders representation services
- 79996000 Business organisation services
- 90490000 Sewer survey and sewage treatment consultancy services
- 90700000 Environmental services
- 90710000 Environmental management
- 90712000 Environmental planning
- 90712300 Marine conservation strategy planning
- 90713000 Environmental issues consultancy services
- 98113100 Nuclear safety services
- 66140000 Portfolio management services
- 66171000 Financial consultancy services
- 70110000 Development services of real estate
- 70111000 Development of residential real estate
- 70112000 Development of non-residential real estate
- 70120000 Buying and selling of real estate

- 70130000 Letting services of own property
- 70210000 Residential property renting or leasing services
- 70220000 Non-residential property renting or leasing services
- 70310000 Building rental or sale services
- 70320000 Land rental or sale services
- 70330000 Property management services of real estate on a fee or contract basis

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM - Scotland

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

The services will comprise all types of construction, civil engineering, and infrastructure consultancy services. The specific services that may be procured under the Framework cannot be clearly defined at this stage, however the nature and types of services required may include those works and services identified by Common Procurement Vocabulary (CPV) codes on or in connection with any land or property and related asset owned, rented, leased or developed by any of the utilities eligible to use the Framework, or on property or related assets in which any of the utilities may have an interest at the time or prospectively and may include construction, civil engineering and infrastructure consultancy commissions in the following sectors amongst others: Gas and Heat, Electricity, Water, Nuclear, Ports, Airports, and Transport services (including Railway, Automated systems, Tramway, Trolley bus, Bus, or Cable). Lot one value is 250,000,000 GBP over six years or 41,666,666 GBP per annum. Commissions called off from the framework will be valued from 0 GBP to 250 000 000 GBP plus. Bidders must be able to demonstrate an annual turnover in excess of 40 000 000 GBP.

# 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: £250,000,000

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

**Duration in months** 

72

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

# II.2.14) Additional information

SCAPE are using the Delta portal to facilitate this procurement. Interested parties must visit <a href="https://www.delta-esourcing.com/">https://www.delta-esourcing.com/</a> and register there (it is free to do so). If you are already registered, you will not need to register again as you may simply use your existing username and password. Log in, go to Response manager, and add the following access code: KAXZW2249Q

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Lot 2 - Civil Engineering and Construction Consultancy Services for Utilities

Lot No

2

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# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

### III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

As per PQQ and supporting procurement documentation.

#### 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

#### III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Further information will be made available in the tender documentation and the framework agreement itself. See contract documents for further details.

# **Section IV. Procedure**

# **IV.1) Description**

# IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

# IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 2

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

This Notice adheres to the requirements of The Utilities Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2016 and should be read as standard form F05 'Contract Notice Utilities'. In compliance with Regulation 49 this framework will not exceed eight (8) years.

#### 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

1 December 2023

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: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

# IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

1 December 2023

Local time

2:30pm

# **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

This Framework Agreement will be accessible for use by utility sector public bodies (and their statutory successors), corporations established, or a group of individuals appointed to act together. The Utility Sectors included are Gas and Heat, Electricity, Water, Nuclear, Ports, Airports, and Transport services (including Railway, Automated systems, Tramway, Trolley bus, Bus, or Cable). The CPV codes stated are deemed to include, for the avoidance of doubt and unless otherwise stated, the category and subcategory codes below the CPV codes stated, i.e. 71 000 000, 'Architectural, Construction, Engineering and inspection services' is deemed to include 71 210 000, 'Advisory Architectural services' and 71 220 000 Architectural design services' etc.

A sub-contract clause has been included in this contract. For more information see: <a href="http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363">http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363</a>

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see: <a href="https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/">https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/</a>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

SCAPE has set out performance measures relating to training / recruitment and availability of supply chain opportunities within the framework agreement.

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# VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Court of Session

Parliament House, Parliament Square,

Edinburgh

Country

EH11RQ

United Kingdom

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

**High Court Of Justiciary** 

1 Mart street

Glasgow

G15JT

Country

**United Kingdom**