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Tender

# **Delivery of Planting Stock from Forestry England Plant and Seed Supply Nurseries**

Forestry England for and on behalf of the Forestry Commission

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.forestryengland.uk/

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Bristol:-Road-transport-services./DWZT63575S

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/tenders/UK-UK-Bristol:-Road-transport-services./DWZT63575S

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Forestry

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Delivery of Planting Stock from Forestry England Plant and Seed Supply Nurseries

Reference number

FCCN002542

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 60100000 - Road transport services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Forestry England will be awarding a contract for the delivery of planting stock from the Forestry England tree nurseries based in Cheshire. The contract will cover distribution to the whole of England and to the Forestry and Land Scotland nursery in Elgin. Full details of our requirements are provided in the tender documents.

#### 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.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

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

Forestry England will be awarding a contract for the delivery of planting stock from the Forestry England tree nurseries based in Cheshire. The contract will cover distribution to the whole of England and to the Forestry and Land Scotland nursery in Elgin. Full details of our requirements are provided in the tender documents.

#### 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

Duration in months

60

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

List and brief description of conditions

As stated in the procurement documents

#### 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

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

30 September 2024

Local time

12:00pm

#### 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

30 September 2024

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 2029

#### VI.3) Additional information

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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

https://forestryengland.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Bristol:-Road-transport-services./DWZT63575S

To respond to this opportunity, please click here:

https://forestryengland.delta-esourcing.com/respond/DWZT63575S

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# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

**High Court** 

The Strand

London

Country

**United Kingdom**