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Planning

IT Training Services Learning and Development

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

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Main address

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

IT Training Services Learning and Development

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

We are currently in the process of a fast-paced digital transformation. We expect our supply chain to support us in these changes, and to assist us in addressing any training or development gaps which are identified in the future.

The purpose of the contract is to ensure that employees are:

Competent and proficient with digital tools, both commercial off the shelf and bespoke tools

Able to access engaging learning products to enable them to maximise the use of existing and new technologies efficiently and effectively

focused on continuously adopting new ways of working and they develop their skills on the digital technology they have available to them

The supplier must be able to provide all courses on this list themselves or via an accredited partner.

The supplier must be a Microsoft Gold Partner.

2.1.1 Bespoke/customised courses and wider scope

Microsoft Office training needs may change over time as training providers become more proficient with online learning methods. Technological change is rapid and the EA would

expect training providers to advise on new topics and new ways of I

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

IT Training for Environment Agency Staff

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

8 April 2022

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