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Planning

PME - ID 3755388 - DFE - Strategic Environmental Assessment of Offshore and Marine Energy in Northern Ireland

Department for Economy

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Department for Economy

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.economy-ni.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 90000000 - Sewage, refuse, cleaning and environmental services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Construction and Procurement Delivery (CPD) is facilitating this Pre-Market Engagement Exercise on behalf of DFE, who aim to establish the level of market interest to inform the procurement process. The objectives of such exercises are to: - gain initial supplier awareness, engagement and opinion, resulting in a confidence around viability of concept; • prevent the department from advertising an unachievable project at UK e-notification service www.find-tender.service.gov.uk stage; - gain insight to the market possibilities and potential innovative solutions; - understand possible risks and issues not previously considered; - inform the Outline Business Case and affordability; and - Inform the Procurement Strategy. Further information is provided in the Project ID 3755988.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71000000 Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services
- 73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 90700000 Environmental services
- 90710000 Environmental management
- 90711200 Environmental standards other than for construction

- 90711400 Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) services other than for construction
- 90711500 Environmental monitoring other than for construction
- 90712300 Marine conservation strategy planning
- 90714000 Environmental auditing
- 90715200 Other pollution investigation services
- 90720000 Environmental protection
- 90721000 Environmental safety services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Department for the Economy (DfE) is preparing to initiate a procurement process to establish a contract with a Supplier to carry out an update to a Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) that was completed by AECOM and Metoc in 2012 to address the potential effects that the development of offshore wind and marine renewables (tidal and wave) could have on the NI coastal and marine environment and other marine users and make recommendations for informing the development of the Offshore Renewable Energy Strategic Action Plan (ORESAP) for the period 2012-2020 .

The updated SEA will be used to inform the development of a new Offshore Energy Action Plan under the auspices of the emerging Northern Ireland Energy Strategy.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 March 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: Yes