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Planning

Assured Operator Training

Defra Network eTendering Portal

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-049848

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Defra Network eTendering Portal

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London

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Contact

Network Procurement

Email

network.procurement@defra.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs>

Buyer's address

<https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

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

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Assured Operator Training

Reference number

P-36452

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80420000 - E-learning services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

To train businesses or traders engaged in import of plant and plant products into GB. After completion of this training, the Authorised Operator under the Border Target Operating Model will be allowed to conduct physical and identity inspections of their imported consignments at their premises. The AOS training programme is closely aligned to APHA's 'new starter' plant health training to perform phytosanitary checks. Under ISPM 45, the training requirements should be equivalent to those required for the NPPO if it were to undertake the same phytosanitary actions

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £100,000

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

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.14) Additional information

This procurement will be done under CCS Framework RM6219. Please respond by 12/09/2024

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 September 2024

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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