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## **Provision of a Great Britain and Northern Ireland Wide Food Sample Collection and Purchase Programme for Pesticide Residues Testing**

Health and Safety Executive

F02: Contract notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Health and Safety Executive

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.hse.gov.uk](http://www.hse.gov.uk)

### **I.3) Communication**

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

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hse>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hse>

### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

National or federal Agency/Office

### **I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Health & Safety regulation and enforcement

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Provision of a Great Britain and Northern Ireland Wide Food Sample Collection and Purchase Programme for Pesticide Residues Testing

Reference number

HSE/T4073

## **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79310000 - Market research services

## **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

## **II.1.4) Short description**

HSE is seeking to award an initial 21 month contract, with the option of an extension up to another 2 years in yearly increments, to collect samples of food and drink from different towns and cities across Great Britain and Northern Ireland. The successful tender will be expected to recruit and train samplers to collect samples in accordance with the agreed timetable, arrange a courier service to collect and deliver the samples to specified laboratories, as well as monitor performance to ensure that the collection programme stays on track.

## **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £365,000

## **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot A - Great Britain Only

Lot No

1

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

- 79310000 - Market research services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland
- UKZ - Extra-Regio NUTS 1

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

Sample collection in Great Britain

### **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: £220,000

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

Duration in months

21

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for an additional 2 years, then contract will be re-tendered.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: Yes

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for an additional 2 years, then contract will be re-tendered.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot B - Northern Ireland Only

Lot No

2

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

- 79310000 - Market research services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

Sample collections in Northern Ireland only.

### **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: £145,000

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

Duration in months

21

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for an additional 2 years, then contract will be re-tendered.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: Yes

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

Accelerated procedure

Justification:

Existing arrangement ending end of March 2022

All tender documents are available via the HSE In-Tend supplier e-procurement portal. All responses and requests for clarification must be submitted via the portal. Registration is free of charge and can be completed via the following link:

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hse>

#### **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

11 January 2022

Local time

1:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

11 January 2022

Local time

2:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Tommy Johnson - HSE Head of Procurement

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