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Planning Public Bodies - Climate Change Duties Reporting

Scottish Government

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Scottish Government

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.scotland.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1048

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Public Bodies - Climate Change Duties Reporting

Reference number

722678

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 73110000 - Research services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Scottish Government is planning to procure a multi-year contract for the provision of services to manage, collect, quality assure, collate and analyse the data required for the annual statutory reporting of public bodies' climate change duties.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 90700000 Environmental services
- 79315000 Social research services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Scottish Government is planning to procure a multi-year contract for the provision of services to manage, collect, quality assure, collate and analyse the data required for the annual statutory reporting of public bodies' climate change duties.

More than 180 public bodies are required to submit and publish reports each year to demonstrate compliance with their duties under Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009.

A high compliance rate has been achieved in the last two years, with 100% of public bodies captured by the legislation submitting compliant reports. The expectation is that the contractor will provide effective support to public bodies to ensure the continuation of a high compliance rate, whilst introducing improvements to the current arrangements for collecting, quality assuring, collating and analysing the reports.

II.2.14) Additional information

Please see the attached RFI and Question set for full details.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

22 November 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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