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Planning

Management Consultancy Framework for the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP)

Department for Work and Pensions

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Department for Work and Pensions

Quarry House, Quarry Hill

Leeds

LS2 7UA

Email

PROFESSIONAL.SERVICES@DWP.GOV.UK

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-work-pensions

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

Management Consultancy Framework for the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79411000 - General management consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The provision of business and management consultancy advice.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £18,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

1 - Change & Transformation

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79411000 - General management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Business and Management Consultancy Advice

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

2 - Organisational Design

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79411000 - General management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

3 - Strategy

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79411000 - General management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

4 - Procurement

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79411000 - General management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

31 January 2023

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

The Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) is investigating the feasibility of running a procurement activity to create a framework agreement for the supply of management consultancy services. To better understand the market appetite the Department will be holding both a pre-competition briefing day and issuing a Request for Information (RFI).

The pre-competition briefing day will be held on the 5th December 2022 and will be a hybrid on-line and face-to-face events. The event is being hosted by techUK, further information and booking procedures are available at https://www.techuk.org/what-we-deliver/events/dwp-management-consultancy-market-engagement-event.html

From the 7th December DWP will be issuing an RFI, participation in the RFI is purely voluntary and in no way prejudicial to participation in any future procurement activity. Interested parties are advised to contact <u>professional.services@dwp.gov.uk</u> to obtain a copy of the document.

For future activities - Suppliers Instructions:

How to Express Interest in this Tender:

1. Register on the eSourcing portal (this is only required once):

<u>https://dwp.bravosolution.co.uk</u> & click the link to register - Accept the terms & conditions & click 'continue' - Enter your correct business & user details - Note your chosen username & click 'Save'. You will receive an email with your password (keep this secure)

2. Express an Interest in the tender - Login to the portal with the username/password - Click the 'PQQs / ITTs Open To All Suppliers' link. (These are Pre-Qualification Questionnaires or Invitations to Tender open to any registered supplier) - Click on the relevant exercise to access the content. - Click the 'Express Interest' button at the top of the page. - This will move the PQQ /ITT into your 'My PQQs/ My ITTs' page. (A secure area reserved for your projects only) -You can now access any attachments by clicking 'Buyer Attachments' in the 'PQQ/ ITT Details' box

3. Responding to the tender - Click 'My Response' under 'PQQ/ ITT Details', you can choose to 'Create Response' or to 'Decline to Respond' (please give a reason if declining) - You can now use the 'Messages' function to communicate with the buyer and seek any clarification - Note the deadline for completion. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the PQQ/ ITT - There may be a mixture of online & offline actions to complete (detailed online help available). To submit your reply use the 'Submit Response' button (top of the page).

For further assistance please consult the online help, or the eTendering help desk.

DWP expressly reserves the rights(i)to use a reverse auction; (ii)to cancel this procurement at any stage; (iii)to not award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; (iv)and in no circumstances will DWP be liable for any costs incurred by potential suppliers.