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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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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0387f6

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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](mailto: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

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**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**

Business and Management Consultancy Advice

## **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

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## 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

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## 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 [professional.services@dwp.gov.uk](mailto:professional.services@dwp.gov.uk) 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):

<https://dwp.bravosolution.co.uk> & 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.