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Planning

## **Specialist Services Framework - Request for Information**

Financial Services Compensation Scheme

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04af95

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

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

Financial Services Compensation Scheme

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London

EC3A 7QU

#### **Email**

[Procurement@fscs.org.uk](mailto:Procurement@fscs.org.uk)

#### **Telephone**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.fscs.org.uk](http://www.fscs.org.uk)

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/respond/Y8FQHN8N49>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Economic and financial affairs

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

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Reference number

FSCS 472

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

- 66000000 - Financial and insurance services

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

Services

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

FSCS is seeking to create a 'Specialist Services' framework to provide quick access to specialist expertise and support on an as-needed basis, with services including, but not limited to, specialist technical knowledge and advice, operationalising new rules, and resource augmentation – including in emerging and new areas of work not currently covered by FSCS. FSCS is undertaking an RFI to receive feedback and information from the market for provision of the services sought that will assist FSCS in its options analysis. The objectives for FSCS are to:

- Gauge interest from the market to an FSCS framework
- Understand market capability across the areas identified as being within scope.
- Understand the expectations on FSCS in respect of ongoing engagement during the framework term.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 66170000 - Financial consultancy, financial transaction processing and clearing-house services
- 66519310 - Insurance consultancy services
- 66171000 - Financial consultancy services

- 79412000 - Financial management consultancy services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

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

The purpose of the 'Specialist Services' framework is to provide FSCS with quick access to expertise, support or resource where the knowledge/skills are not readily available in-house. Examples of knowledge/skills that may be required are actuarial expertise, insolvency, recoveries assistance, insurance failures, loss adjusters, run-off processing capability such as Employers' Liability, complex products, RECAL/Pension calculation expertise, fast response for large deposits failure, and forecasting and planning expertise. The framework needs to be flexible and able to provide quick, sometimes instant, access to technical and policy/regulatory expertise in new or emerging areas, or in products that may be covered by FSCS in the future. It should also be able to provide additional overflow for volumes that FSCS is unable to process through its 'business as usual' resourcing model.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

13 January 2025

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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**

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