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## **Leadership Development**

Crown Estate Scotland

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://crownestatescotland.com/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA294444

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## I.3) Communication

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

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

**Public Corporation** 

## I.5) Main activity

Other activity

**Property** 

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Leadership Development

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80570000 - Personal development training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Crown Estate Scotland is tendering for the design and delivery of a blended programme of leadership development activities for the Executive/Leadership Team.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 80500000 Training services
- 79633000 Staff development services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM - Scotland

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The design and delivery of a blended programme of leadership development activities for the

Executive/Leadership Team (workshops, ALS, individual coaching, team coaching, workbased activities)

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 30

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

**Duration in months** 

36

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

#### III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

SPD (SCOTLAND) QUESTION - 4B.2.1 Specific Yearly Turnover

SPD (SCOTLAND) QUESTION - 4B.5 Insurance

SPD (SCOTLAND) QUESTION - 4B.6 Other Economic or Financial Requirements

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Bidders will be required to have a minimum yearly "specific" turnover of a minimum of 264,000.00 GBP for the last three (3) years.

Insurance Requirements:

- Professional Indemnity 2 Million GBP
- Public Liability 2 Million GBP
- Employer Liability 5 Million GBP

Other financial requirements:

Crown Estate Scotland will utilise Dun & Bradstreet (D&B) Failure Score of 30 or above. Tenderers (including all participants in a group) are required to have a Failure Score of 30 or above in order to demonstrate its financial strength and stability.

It is recommended that Tenderers review their own D&B Failure Score in advance of submitting a Tender Submission. Where the Tenderer does not have a D&B Failure Score, or where the Tenderer does not consider that the D&B Failure Score reflects their current financial status; the Tenderer may give an explanation within the Tender Submission, together with any relevant supporting alternative evidence which demonstrates its financial strength/stability.

Where the Tenderer is under no obligation to publish accounts and therefore does not have a D&B Failure Score, they must provide their audited financial accounts for the previous 3

years as part of their SPD Submission in order that Crown Estate Scotland may assess these to determine the suitability of the Tenderer to undertake a contract of this size.

Where a Tenderer does not meet the minimum financial requirements in its own right and wishes to rely on the financial standing of a parent company, Tenderers should provide a statement that they commit to obtaining a parent company guarantee in the form attached in the Standard Documents Parent Company Guarantee.

Where a consortium bid is received, the D&B Failure Score of each consortium member shall be assessed and each must achieve a D&B failure score of 30 or above.

Where a sub-contractor material to the performance of the Contract or where the Tenderer intends to sub-contract more than 25% of any contract value to a single sub-contractor, the Tenderer may be required to confirm that the sub-contractor(s) has a D&B failure score of 30 or above. Crown Estate Scotland reserves the right to request one copy of all sub-contractor last 3 financial years' audited accounts and details of significant changes since the last financial year end.

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Throughout the duration of the Contract, the Service Provider's performance will be monitored and evaluated, as per the conditions and requirements contained within the tender documents.

## **Section IV. Procedure**

## **IV.1) Description**

## IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

## 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

4 January 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

## IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

4 January 2024

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

#### VI.3) Additional information

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search Switch.aspx?ID=750544.

The buyer has indicated that it will accept electronic responses to this notice via the Postbox facility. A user guide is available at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/sitehelp/help\_quides.aspx.

Suppliers are advised to allow adequate time for uploading documents and to dispatch the electronic response well in advance of the closing time to avoid any last minute problems.

A sub-contract clause has been included in this contract. For more information see: <a href="http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363">http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363</a>

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see: <a href="https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/">https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/</a>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

- Generating employment and training opportunities for priority groups;
- Vocational training;
- Training existing workforce;
- Equality and diversity initiatives;

- Working with schools, colleges, universities to offer work experience or educational/professional advice;
- Community engagement events or providing value to the local community;
- Minimising negative environmental impacts.

(SC Ref:750544)

Download the ESPD document here:

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/ESPD/ESPD\_Download.aspx?id=750544

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

**Edinburgh Sheriff Court** 

Edinburgh

Country

**United Kingdom**