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Planning

Provision of ad-hoc clothing and uniform (including PPE items)

Thames Valley Police

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-034925

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041cf6

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Thames Valley Police

Police HQ North, Meadow House, The Boulevard, Lang

Kidlington, Oxon

OX5 1NZ

Contact

Beverley Gerrard

Email

beverley.gerrard@thamesvalley.police.uk

Telephone

+44 7967054821

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKJ - South East (England)

National registration number

VAT – GB 180 5571 07

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.thamesvalley.police.uk

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/32823>

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

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=75484&B=BLUELIGHT

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Public order and safety

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of ad-hoc clothing and uniform (including PPE items)

Reference number

OP23022

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of this PIN is to obtain a better understanding of market capability and service solutions to cover the goods and service requirements.

PIN without call for competition only at this stage. This PIN is to alert and gauge the market and provide a conduit for a potential service provider to express their interest.

Thames Valley Police are approaching the market in order to seek a potential solution to manage our ad-hoc/non-contracted spend on items of clothing and equipment including tailoring and loan** services. (**to be confirmed)

We are looking to pare down our supplier base and reduce transactional costs by providing a “one stop shop” single supplier/master vendor for the supply of clothing and uniform/equipment not covered under existing contracts. Ad-hoc/non-contracted items can be low value; high value; Police specific or generic.

Please express your interest via the EU Supply portal

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18200000 - Outerwear
- 18300000 - Garments
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18810000 - Footwear other than sports and protective footwear
- 18925000 - Water-bottle holders and holsters
- 18930000 - Sacks and bags
- 19400000 - Textile yarn and thread
- 31521320 - Torches
- 33735000 - Goggles
- 35200000 - Police equipment
- 35811200 - Police uniforms
- 98393000 - Tailoring services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ - South East (England)
- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Buckinghamshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Example list of requirements (high level only and subject to change);

Badges and Insignia Notebook Cover

Bags Restraints

Belt Shirts

Boiler suit Socks

Boot Spit guard

Bottles Tabard

Clip-on Tie Torch

Coats Trousers

Ear Defenders Underwear (Thermal or Fire Retardant)

Face Masks

Flame Retardant Suit ** Tailoring and loan/hire services (TBC)

Footwear

Glasses/Goggles

Gloves

Harness

Helmet

Headwear

Helmet

Holders & Pouches

Kneepads

Lanyards

Multi-tool

Neck Tube

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

27 November 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

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Interested suppliers should respond via EU-Supply (Bluelight) portal <https://uk.eu-supply.com> by 11am on Friday 15th December 2023. Any subsequent procurement action will be completed under current EU rules and directives in force at the time of publication by electronic means via the EU Supply (Bluelight portal). Initial supplier engagement/presentations are planned in January 2023.