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Future opportunity

Decommissioning Nuclear Waste Partnership (DNWP)

Sellafield Limited

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/sellafield-ltd>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/sellafield-ltd>

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://one-nda.force.com/s/Welcome>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Nuclear Decommissioning

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Decommissioning Nuclear Waste Partnership (DNWP)

Reference number

C11779

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45000000 - Construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Sellafield Ltd is seeking feedback on the proposed commercial model for the DNWP procurement.

The DNWP will be the successor of the existing Decommissioning Delivery Partnership (DDP) which is due to end in March 2026. The DNWP multi partner framework has an estimate value of £4bn - £5bn over a 15 year duration. The scope for this procurement covers the full suite of construction, demolition related works, associated technical services (including safety case and design) and waste management required to deliver decommissioning tasks and projects. These works will be deployed across nuclear facilities on the Sellafield site that are in operations, post operation clean out (POCO), decommissioning or demolition stages of the asset lifecycle.

Further details are contained in supporting document DNWP_PIN3 (available in ATAMIS). Please note this PIN is supplementary to PIN 1 published in on 02/08/22 (ref FTS 2022-471510) and PIN 2 published in on 02/09/22 (ref 2022-436137)

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £5,000,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 42000000 - Industrial machinery
- 43320000 - Construction equipment
- 45111000 - Demolition, site preparation and clearance work
- 79415200 - Design consultancy services
- 45100000 - Site preparation work
- 71321000 - Engineering design services for mechanical and electrical installations for buildings
- 22314000 - Designs
- 45111200 - Site preparation and clearance work
- 45111213 - Site-clearance work
- 45210000 - Building construction work
- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services
- 45220000 - Engineering works and construction works
- 79933000 - Design support services
- 45222110 - Waste disposal site construction work
- 45315100 - Electrical engineering installation works
- 45351000 - Mechanical engineering installation works
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services
- 71322000 - Engineering design services for the construction of civil engineering works
- 44421722 - Safety cases
- 98391000 - Decommissioning services
- 79723000 - Waste analysis services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD11 - West Cumbria

Main site or place of performance

Sellafield Site

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This PIN and the supporting documents DNWP_PIN3 and DNWP_PIN3_Slides (available in ATAMIS) set out Sellafield's indicative view of the capacities and capabilities required for DNWP, and Sellafield's early thinking as to how it will engage with the DNWP partners. Sellafield's expectations and early thinking may change as a result of Sellafield's market engagement, including this PIN, and further internal development of the proposed DNWP model.

Organisations are invited to submit responses via Sellafield's ATAMIS system to the 'Lines of Enquiry' set out in the supporting document DNWP_PIN3, Appendix A.

- Please submit responses via the ATAMIS portal (ref C11759), through the messaging function.
- Please ensure responses are submitted no later than 16:00 on 25th January 2023
"Response Deadline"

Sellafield will review responses to this PIN and consider incorporation of any amendments to the DNWP commercial model going forward, this will be entirely at Sellafield's discretion.

Sellafield is committed to open, fair and transparent procurement processes and, following completion of this PIN and any subsequent early market engagement exercises, Sellafield intends to conduct a regulated process through the placement of a Contract Notice on the Find a Tender Service and in accordance with Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

This PIN has been prepared by or on behalf of Sellafield for the sole purpose of enabling suppliers to submit comments and provide feedback in the context of early market engagement. No guarantee can be given, however, and no representation is made, as to the accuracy of information contained within this PIN. Neither Sellafield, nor any of its professional advisors, accepts any liability, which might result from any inaccuracy of or omission of information in this PIN. Information presented in this PIN may be subject to change and remains under consideration by Sellafield, and nothing referenced herein may be taken as firm or binding. It is each supplier's responsibility to obtain for itself, and at its own expense all information which it deems necessary or desirable for the preparation of its response.

All suppliers are solely responsible for their costs and expenses incurred in connection with the preparation and submission of their response to this PIN. Under no circumstances will Sellafield, or any of Sellafield Ltd's professional advisors be liable for any costs or expenses borne by the supplier or any of its supply chain members or advisors in this PIN or any subsequent procurement.

Whilst Sellafield is keen to hear from interested parties, suppliers should note that they will be required as part of any formal submission to any subsequent tender to certify that they have not canvassed or solicited any officer or employee of Sellafield in connection with the proposed procurement and that no person employed by them or acting on their behalf will

have done any such act.

Information you provide may be used to support further discussions and / or strategy development of the DNWP model. Sellafield reserves the right not to proceed with the DNWP procurement.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

18 July 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