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## **DSFRS Cleaning Services - Early Market Engagement**

Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Authority

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

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

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#### **Contact**

Aimee Lee

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKK - South West (England)

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.dsfire.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/home>

**I.3) Communication**

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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

DSFRS Cleaning Services - Early Market Engagement

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

- 90911200 - Building-cleaning services

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

Services

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

Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Service (the Service), welcomes early engagement from the market in support of developing the Service's requirements for the provision of Cleaning Services to its premises. The engagement also covers some broader areas which support developing the approach to the procurement, conditions of participation, identifying suppliers and building capacity in the market. The outcome of the market engagement will assist the Service in refining its high-level requirements to feed into both its Procurement Strategy and the Tender Documentation. Our preliminary market engagement is designed to openly consult with the wider marketplace to share our requirements and gather information whilst also providing information on our current position.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 90911200 - Building-cleaning services
- 90919200 - Office cleaning services
- 90911300 - Window-cleaning services
- 90911100 - Accommodation cleaning services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK - South West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Sites across Devon and Somerset.

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

Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Service (the Service), welcomes early engagement from the market in support of developing the Service's requirements for the provision of Cleaning Services to its premises, which include fire stations and office premises. The engagement also covers some broader areas which support developing the approach to the procurement, conditions of participation, identifying suppliers and building capacity in the market. The outcome of the market engagement will assist the Service in refining its high-level requirements to feed into both its Procurement Strategy and the Tender Documentation. Our preliminary market engagement is designed to openly consult with the wider marketplace to share our requirements and gather information whilst also providing information on our current position. To engage in the market engagement process please register your interest in the Early Engagement Opportunity via our e-tendering portal 'Sell2Bluelight' at <https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/home> . You will be able to access and download the early engagement consultation questionnaire from the portal. Please complete offline and upload your response at any time prior to the closing date.

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

If you have any queries about the questions in the consultation questionnaire please contact Aimee Lee via [alee@dsfire.gov.uk](mailto:alee@dsfire.gov.uk) in the first instance. Please do not approach any other Service employees regarding this engagement.

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

1 April 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**

For more information on the Early Market Engagement please visit our e-tendering portal at <https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/home> . The site is free to register. To locate the opportunity on the portal please go to 'Tenders' and search 'DSFRS Cleaning'. For support on using the portal please see the supplier guide located at <https://bluelightcommercial.police.uk/media/2284/sell2bluelight-in-tend-full-supplier-guide.pdf>