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#### **Planning**

# Provision of Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) software and support services

**Dover Harbour Board** 

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## **Section I: Contracting entity**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**Dover Harbour Board** 

Harbour House

**DOVER** 

CT17 9BU

#### **Email**

PODtender@portofdover.com

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKJ44 - East Kent

## Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.portofdover.com/corporate/suppliers-prospective-suppliers/

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# I.6) Main activity

Port-related activities

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Provision of Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) software and support services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 98362000 - Port management services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Port of Dover is seeking information from suppliers of Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) software and support services in advance of a procurement process anticipated to be held in early 2025.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 34931500 - Vessel traffic control equipment

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKJ44 - East Kent

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

#### Overview

- Our current Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) hardware and software was implemented in 2018.
- · Port of Dover is embarking on an upgrade of the associated hardware. Our objective,

and the focus of this request for information, is to implement a replacement for our current VTS software at the same time.

#### Scope and key requirements

- · Source an appropriate replacement VTS IALA compliant software solution.
- · Implement the refresh and update of the VTS hardware, operating systems, and VTS software.
- · The implemented system must meet requirements of the NIS2 Directive.
- · Port of Dover intends to supply all hardware components.
- · The scope does not include replacement of Radar, CCTV, AIS, VHF system, and Radar Sensors. However, these elements will need to be integrated with the implemented system.

#### Supplier Expectations

- · Companies expressing an interest will be expected to have previous experience of such implementations and be able to evidence this through an upcoming PQQ.
- · Interested suppliers are requested to email <a href="PODtender@portofdover.com">PODtender@portofdover.com</a> referencing this PIN and providing the correct contact details (name, email, phone number) to facilitate pre-procurement engagement.

#### **Next Steps**

- · The Port of Dover intends to issue a Request for Proposal for this business.
- · It is not anticipated at this time that this procurement will be required to follow a regulated published procedure.

#### Timeline

We anticipate starting the procurement process early in 2025.

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

20 January 2025

## 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: No

# IV.2) Administrative information

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

English