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Planning

Cleaning Services/PIN/EST/2024

The Open University

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04be6f

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Open University

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Milton Keynes

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKJ12 - Milton Keynes

National registration number

RC000391

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/openuniversity>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/openuniversity.aspx/BuyerProfiles>

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

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Cleaning Services/PIN/EST/2024

Reference number

OUPA11326

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 90911200 - Building-cleaning services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This is a prior information notice to inform the market of the intention by The OU to procure Cleaning Services and commence early market engagement. The OU would like to hear from Cleaning Suppliers, willing to participate in an early market engagement exercise. The purpose of this notice is to:- understand industry developments;-- assist the OU in drafting requirements for the future procurement opportunity- gauge the level of interest in the project from the market. Suppliers are invited to complete and submit the Request for Information Questionnaire on In-Tend as provided in the contact details above. <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/openuniversity/>

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
- 90911300 - Window-cleaning services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ12 - Milton Keynes

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Open University will soon be embarking on a competitive tender for its cleaning services, during the early part of 2025. The University has locations across the four nations including Belfast, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Manchester, Nottingham, Wellingborough (warehouse), and its head office Walton Hall which is in Milton Keynes.. Cleaning service includes the provision of general cleaning across all locations, as well as internal and external window cleaning and signage. The contract shall commence on the 1st September 2025. Suppliers are requested to respond to this PIN via The Open University's e-tendering website, In-Tend (<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/openuniversity/>). Suppliers should complete and return the Request for Information Questionnaire by no later than 12 Noon on Monday 9th December 2024. Further details are provided in RFI documentation In-Tend.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

25 November 2024

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