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Planning

CPRD Safe Five-Year Programme

MHRA

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Scope

Reference

C379087

Description

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Total value (estimated)

- £7,500,000 excluding VAT
- £9,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 22 April 2026 to 22 April 2031
- 5 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

26 September 2025

Engagement process description

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The date by which responses to the RFI must be received is 14:00 on 26th September

2025.

For a copy of the RFI document, please email: jonathon.moloney@mhra.gov.uk and during the period 16th September - 26th September please email julianne.mollen@mhra.gov.uk for a copy of the RFI document.

Clarification Questions were received until 15th September. For a copy of the responses to the Clarification Questions, please email julianne.mollen@mhra.gov.uk from 16th September - please be aware that the date by which submissions must be received is 14:00 on 26th September.

Please send submissions to both julianne.mollen@mhra.gov.uk and jonathon.moloney@mhra.gov.uk

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

29 September 2025

Contracting authority

MHRA

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