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University of Ulster

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05a362

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

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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

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Reference number

EXP2305 / project_28878 / PQQ_4683

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72511000 - Network management software services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

est. £100k

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 72212331 - Project management software development services
- 72224100 - System implementation planning services
- 72263000 - Software implementation services
- 72267100 - Maintenance of information technology software

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

- UKN - Northern Ireland
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The purpose of this Prior Information Notice (PIN) and Request for Information (RFI) is to invite potential service providers to express an interest and provide information to assist with best practice system specification for an integrated Project Management Information System (PMIS) contract.

The procurement route, duration and type of contract(s) shall be determined following this preliminary market consultation and engagement with market participants. It is this which will inform the University's strategy for an integrated PMIS contract.

It is important to note that this PIN / RFI is not a call for competition, a pre-qualification questionnaire, part of any pre-qualification / selection process or a current tender opportunity. Potential service providers will need to express an interest in any future tender opportunity once a Contract Notice (or equivalent) is published.

Please note that all information provided in this RFI is indicative only and subject to change. The University reserves the right, at its absolute discretion, to modify this information at any time and for any reason. Information requested at this stage is not for evaluation purposes.

This RFI is intended as an awareness, communication and information-gathering exercise. An expression of interest is no indication of a commitment to participate in the RFI process, nor does it infer any preferential or special status on those individuals and organisations who express an interest in the RFI exercise.

Please see Appendix 1 for full details of this RFI.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

24 November 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: Yes

