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Tender

Investment Strategy Modelling

LGPS CENTRAL LIMITED

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Scope

Reference

LGPSC0038

Description

Following the outcome of the government's 'Fit for Future' consultation, LGPS Partner Funds are required to take their primary advice on strategic asset allocation from their chosen asset pool (LGPS Central Limited being one of those asset pools).

Partner Funds' pension liabilities under membership of the LGPS are defined benefit in nature. By this, we mean that pension promises are made to members, and Partner Funds set aside large pools of assets held collectively, and in order to meet those pension promises. Strategic asset allocation decisions therefore require some consideration of those liabilities, including the impact on contributions requirements (to cover both ongoing accrual of benefits and any asset shortfall which may have arisen), as well as the likely investment returns (and uncertainty thereof) from the assets held.

A robust, good quality investment strategy modelling capability is therefore required to support the delivery of tailored strategic advice to Partner Funds. This requirement stems

from the complexity of investment strategy decisions, the need for regulated and evidence-based advice, and the expectation of future-proofing capabilities such as scenario modelling and whole-of-fund management.

Total value (estimated)

- £4,320,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2029
- Possible extension to 31 March 2035
- 9 years

Description of possible extension:

Two further 3 -year contract extensions will be available, making the maximum available contract period 9 years.

Any contract extensions will be executed at the discretion of the Authority depending on future requirements.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79412000 - Financial management consultancy services

Contract locations

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton
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Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

See ITT for further details.

Technical ability conditions of participation

See ITT for further details.

Submission

Submission type

Tenders

Tender submission deadline

16 January 2026, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

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

Please see ITT for further information.

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

1 March 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price	Price	30%
Treatment of liabilities and calibration process	Quality	15%
Initial calibration support and suitability of plans to ensure eventual self-sufficiency	Quality	15%
Investment Economic Scenario Generation engine	Quality	10%
Suitability of modelling methodology	Quality	10%
Model output appropriateness	Quality	10%
Presentation	Quality	10%

Other information

Description of risks to contract performance

Please see ITT for more information.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Competitive flexible procedure description

This Competitive Flexible Procedure will comprise of a single response to this invitation to Tender (ITT).

Responses to this ITT will be evaluated in four (4) assessment stages, including an interim assessment stage.

See ITT document for more information.

Documents

Associated tender documents

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

Please find the tender documentation for this procurement at <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/lgpscentral/>

Contracting authority

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