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Prj_2096 Technical Assistance Facility 2

Good afternoon,

The TAF 2 team have received the following question in regard to the chosen route to market for the Technical Assistance Facility 2 (TAF 2) and the publication date of the Invitation to Tender (ITT):

“Would you be able to confirm that it is still expected for the opportunity to arrive on 4th of September and going through DPS.”

To align with the principles of fairness and transparency outlined in the Public Contracts Regulation 2015, we have provided an answer to all attendees of the Pre-Tender Market Engagement session on Friday 30th June and attached this document to the Contracts Finder Prior Information Notice (<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/40e86d51-cf85-4cb7-b7ee-20061f1b1e99>).

We can confirm that **RM6313 Demand Management and Renewables DPS has been chosen as the route to market** for this procurement. To register onto the DPS, please access as a Supplier via the DPS link [here](#). It's important you scroll down to the Demand Management and Renewables section and Access as a Supplier through this agreement. Please ensure you download the Bid Pack and read the 'RM6313 DPS Needs' document prior to registration. If you have any questions, please contact the DMR team via info@crowcommercial.gov.uk.

We are aiming to publish the ITT on Monday 4th September; however, this date is subject to change, and we will inform the market if there is any significant delay to the publication of the ITT. Given the timelines involved in registering on the DPS (c. 10 days), we would recommend all suppliers that are not already registered start their application as soon as possible.



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If you have any further questions on the above information, please contact the TAF 2 Team at hthcommercial@energysecurity.gov.uk. If you have any queries related to signing up to the DPS, please contact the CCS DMR team at info@crownccommercial.gov.uk.

Kind regards,

The TAF 2 Team