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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) **Name and addresses**

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Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-international-development/about/procurement/>

I.2) **Information about joint procurement**

I.3) **Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://supplierportal.dfid.gov.uk/selfservice/>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4) **Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.5) **Main activity**

Other activity: International Development

Section II: Object

II.1) **Scope of the procurement**

II.1.1) **Title:**

Technical Assistance for Support to General Education Quality Improvement Programme for Equity

Reference number: PO 8392

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**

75211200

II.1.3) **Type of contract**

Services

II.1.4) **Short description:**

DFID, in partnership with the Federal Ministry of Education (FMoE), is seeking a Supplier(s) to deliver Technical Assistance (TA) to the FMoE, regions, woredas (districts) and to schools to improve the impact of the GEQIP-

E programme including quality, equity, efficiency of delivery, monitoring and evaluation, and financing of general education in Ethiopia

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 29 250 000.00 GBP

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKM95

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

A competitive tender for a supplier to deliver the requirement in Ethiopia, in partnership with the Federal Ministry of Ethiopia (FMoE) technical assistance to the FMoE regions, woredas (districts) and to schools to improve the impact of the GEQIP-E programme including quality, equity, efficiency of delivery, monitoring and evaluation, and financing of general education in Ethiopia. Procurement will take place through the EU OJEU system. DFID has undertaken design market engagement and encourages interest and participation from suppliers with the appropriate capacity and capability. Project delivery details will be finalised in the lead up to implementation. The supplier(s) will provide management of four key tasks or components, providing governance, programme and financial management and procuring technical inputs. DFID seeks a supplier(s) with proven expertise in international education development, knowledge of UK and other international centres of excellence, delivery, leadership, gender equity, special needs education, research, political economy analysis, monitoring and evaluation, education financing.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 29 250 000.00 GBP

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 60

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.9) **Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 5

Maximum number: 8

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

The intention is to arrive at a minimum short list of 5 and maximum of 8 Potential Suppliers who will be issued with the Invitation to Tender (ITT). DFID may short list less than 5 Potential Suppliers where less than 5 Potential Suppliers meet the Required Capability.

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

DFID will award a contract for an initial term of 40 months up to an initial contract value of 19 500 000 GBP. There is an extension option to extend for an additional 20 months, in the event of which the contract value may increase up to a maximum value of 9 750 000 GBP (subject to approval). DFID reserves the right to scale back or discontinue this programme at any point in line with the terms and conditions. DFID may also scale up the programme should it prove to be having a strong impact and has the potential to yield better results.

II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

II.2.13) Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no

II.2.14) Additional information

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Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

Mandatory and discretionary exclusion, economic and financial standing, technical and professional ability, Modern Slavery Act 2015 requirements, minimum insurance requirements, duty of care, international aid transparency initiative, acceptance of DFID Terms and Conditions and DFID Supply Code of Conduct, safeguarding measures as outlined in the tender documents

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.5) Information about reserved contracts

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.1) Information about a particular profession

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:

Performance will be measured as specified in the procurement documents and developed with the successful bidder during implementation of the programme.

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

IV.1.4) Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) **Administrative information**

IV.2.1) **Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2018/S 086-193382](#)

IV.2.2) **Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 13/11/2018

Local time: 14:00

IV.2.3) **Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

Date: 04/12/2018

IV.2.4) **Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:**

English

IV.2.6) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

IV.2.7) **Conditions for opening of tenders**

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) **Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2) **Information about electronic workflows**

VI.3) **Additional information:**

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

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VI.4.2) **Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

VI.4.4) **Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

11/10/2018