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## Contract notice

### Services

Directive 2014/24/EU

#### **Section I: Contracting authority**

I.1) **Name and addresses**

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NUTS code: UKM95

**Internet address(es):**

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

I.2) **Joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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**

Regional or local authority

I.5) **Main activity**

General public services

#### **Section II: Object**

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

II.1.1) **Title:**

Fund Manager for the Somaliland Development FUnd (SDF) Phase 2  
Reference number: PO 7794

II.1.2) **Main CPV code**

75211200

II.1.3) **Type of contract**

Services

II.1.4) **Short description:**

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2 is strongly aligned with this commitment to support a stable and secure Somaliland with improved economic opportunities resulting in better livelihoods for the people of Somaliland.

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**II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 60 000 000.00 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:**

The Department for International Development (DFID) manages the majority of the United Kingdom's development assistance to poor countries and leads the United Kingdom's work to end extreme poverty, building a safer, healthier, more prosperous world. DFID's approach to international development is focused on delivering results, transparency and value for money in British aid particularly in fragile and conflict-affected states.

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The SDF phase 2 objectives are:

- i. Support increased inclusive economic growth through investment in productive, strategic infrastructure to enhance economic growth and revenue generation.
- ii. Strengthen and maintain the capabilities of the government of Somaliland to prioritise and manage the sustainable and equitable development of Somaliland's infrastructure.
- iii. Support strong government ownership of development priorities aligned with the National Development Plan.

**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**
- 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:  
Mandatory and discretionary exclusion, economic and financial standing, technical and professional ability, modern slavery act 2015 requirements, tenderers past performance, duty of care, international aid transparency initiative, acceptance of DFID Terms and Conditions, and DFID statement of priorities and expectations / Code of Conduct, as outlined within the 'Standard Selection Questionnaire (SQ) Supplier Information and Instructions'.  
A tenderer must meet the selection criterion in relation to reliability namely that DFID must be satisfied that (i) the contracts on the list to be provided by the tenderer have been satisfactorily performed in accordance with their terms or, (ii) where that has not occurred, the reason or reasons why that has not occurred in relation to any such contract, will not recur in the performance of the contract to be awarded. A tenderer that fails to meet this selection criteria will not proceed further in this competition.
- II.2.10) **Information about variants**  
Variants will be accepted: no
- II.2.11) **Information about options**  
Options: yes  
Description of options:  
Delivery of the full service will be (following a design period) for 60 months from the date of commencement. Up to 6 months will be allowed for programme design before full service delivery commences. The option to extend up to 24 months will be included.
- 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**  
This contract will be governed by English Law. Prices are not required at the 'Standard Selection Questionnaire (SQ) stage, however, when required, prices must be quoted in GBP. All payments for the contract will be made in GBP Sterling. DFID reserves the right to annul the process at any point and not award the contract.

### **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:  
See document PO 7794 'Standard Selection Questionnaire (SQ) Supplier Information and Instructions' for details.
- 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:**  
Refer to the Procurement Documents.
- 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: [2016/S 224-409142](#)
- IV.2.2) **Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**  
Date: 16/11/2017  
Local time: 14:00
- IV.2.3) **Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**  
Date: 21/12/2017
- 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**  
Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of 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:**  
The Authority expressly reserves the right (i) not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; and (ii) to make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the tendering competition; and in no circumstances will the Authority be liable for any costs incurred by the candidates. Procurement documents can be accessed through the DFID Supplier Portal (<https://supplierportal.dfid.gov.uk/selfservice/>)
- VI.4) **Procedures for review**
- VI.4.1) **Review body**

Gerry O'Connor, Department for International Development  
Eaglesham Road  
East Kilbride  
G75 8EA  
United Kingdom

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:**

09/10/2017