

**UK-Warrington: telecommunications services**

OJ S 145/2012 31/07/2012

**Contract notice****Services****Directive 2004/18/EC****Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Procurement for Housing Limited

Postal address: 2 Olympic Park, Woolston Grange Avenue, Birchwood

Town: Warrington

Postal code: WA2 0YL

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Procurement

For the attention of: Alan Heron

Telephone: +44 8458645260

**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority: [www.procurementforhousing.co.uk](http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk)Address of the buyer profile: [http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA26067](http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA26067)**Additional information can be obtained from:**

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**Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

**Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted:** the abovementioned address**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Other: Procurement Consortium

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

Health

Housing and community amenities

Education

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: [http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk/about\\_us/OJEUframework\\_permmissible\\_users](http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk/about_us/OJEUframework_permmissible_users)**Section II: Object of the contract**

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## **II.1. Description**

### **II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Telecommunications and Associated Services.

### **II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 5: Telecommunications services

Main site or place of performance: Throughout the United Kingdom.

NUTS code UK United Kingdom

### **II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

### **II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

Framework agreement with several operators

Maximum number Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement  
: 12

#### **Duration of the framework agreement**

Duration in years: 4

#### **Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement**

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 12 000 000 and 40 000 000 GBP

### **II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Procurement for Housing Limited (PfH) is putting in place a Framework Agreement for the provision of telecommunications and associated services. The framework agreement is for use by, but not limited to:

(1) Housing Associations, Local Authorities, Councils, Registered Social Landlords, Arms Length Management Organisation and other public sector organisations such as defence or education.

(2) All 750 plus current members of Procurement for Housing (PfH) and any future members, details of current membership for PfH can be found here, <http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk/membership/> membershiplist.

The Member organisations above are located throughout the UK, including England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Please refer to the following section of our website for a full list of potential users of this framework: [http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk/about\\_us/OJEUframework\\_permmissible\\_users](http://www.procurementforhousing.co.uk/about_us/OJEUframework_permmissible_users)

The framework includes the provision of calls, lines, data & unified communications as well as mobile communications and consultancy services

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the myTenders Web Site at [http://www.myTenders.org/Search/Search\\_Switch.aspx?ID=90331](http://www.myTenders.org/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=90331).

The awarding authority has indicated that it will accept electronic responses to this notice via a 'Tender Submission Postbox' facility. Further details of this facility are available at [http://www.myTenders.org/PostBox/Postbox\\_Explain.aspx?ID=90331](http://www.myTenders.org/PostBox/Postbox_Explain.aspx?ID=90331).

Suppliers are advised to allow adequate time for uploading documents and to dispatch the electronic response well in advance of the closing time to avoid any last minute problems. The postbox closes precisely at the time stated.

### **II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

64200000 Telecommunications services, 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies, 64210000 Telephone and data transmission services, 32400000 Networks, 72315000 Data network management and support services, 72246000 Systems consultancy services, 72253000 Helpdesk and support services, 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services, 64214000 Dedicated-business telephone network services, 50330000 Maintenance services of telecommunications equipment, 45314000 Installation of telecommunications equipment, 64212000 Mobile-telephone services, 32250000 Mobile telephones

#### **II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

#### **II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

#### **II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

### **II.2. Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.2.1. Total quantity or scope**

The Procurement for Housing (PfH) framework agreement for the provision of telecommunications and associated services will be split into the following 3 Lots, Lot 1 - Calls, Lines, Data & Unified Communications. This will include: voice services such as traditional call and lines; IP telephony and with a range of associated services; network services to support voice, video and data applications; unified communication services; data centre services and provision of any associated hardware, as well as all relevant consultancy services.

Lot 2 - Mobile communications.

This will include as a minimum the provision of mobile communications including: mobile voice & data; mobile broadband; associated hardware such as smartphones and tablets.

For both Lots 1 & 2 it is envisaged that the successful contractors will be able to provide a range of support services including but not limited to design and development, project management, training and service management to allow end to end implementation of fully managed solutions.

Lot 3 - Telecommunications Consultancy.

Telecommunications Consultancy services including, but not limited to: system design, data /process analysis, policy/strategy development, grant/funding options, regulatory compliance, digital inclusion and staff and tenant training.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 12 000 000 and 40 000 000 GBP

#### **II.2.2. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options: The initial contract duration is 3 years with the option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory performance reviews and changes in the market.

#### **II.2.3. Information about renewals**

This contract is subject to renewal: no

### **II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Start 1.12.2012. Completion 30.11.2016

## Information about lots

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Mobile Communications

### 1) Short description

This will include as a minimum the provision of mobile communications including; mobile voice & data; mobile broadband; associated hardware such as smartphones and tablets.

For both Lots 1 & 2 it is envisaged that the successful contractors will be able to provide a range of support services including but not limited to design and development, project management, training and service management to allow end to end implementation of fully managed solutions.

### 2) CPV code(s)

64212000 Mobile-telephone services, 32250000 Mobile telephones, 72246000 Systems consultancy services, 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services

### 3) Quantity or scope

This will include as a minimum the provision of mobile communications including; mobile voice & data; mobile broadband; associated hardware such as smartphones and tablets.

For both Lots 1 & 2 it is envisaged that the successful contractors will be able to provide a range of support services including but not limited to design and development, project management, training and service management to allow end to end implementation of fully managed solutions.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 10 000 000 and 20 000 000 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

### 5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 3

Lot title: Telecommunications Consultancy

### 1) Short description

Telecommunications consultancy services including, but not limited to: system design, data /process analysis, policy/strategy development, grant/funding options, regulatory compliance, digital inclusion and staff and tenant training.

### 2) CPV code(s)

72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services, 72227000 Software integration consultancy services, 72110000 Hardware selection consultancy services, 72228000 Hardware integration consultancy services, 64200000 Telecommunications services

### 3) Quantity or scope

Telecommunications consultancy services including, but not limited to: system design, data /process analysis, policy/strategy development, grant/funding options, regulatory compliance, digital inclusion and staff and tenant training.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 100 000 and 2 000 000 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

### 5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Calls, Lines, Data & Unified Communications

### 1) Short description

This will include: voice services such as traditional call and lines; IP telephony and with a range of associated services; network services to support voice, video and data applications; unified communication services; data centre services and provision of any associated hardware.

For both Lots 1 & 2 it is envisaged that the successful contractors will be able to provide a range of support services including but not limited to design and development, project management, training and service management to allow end to end implementation of fully managed solutions.

### 2) CPV code(s)

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This will include: voice services such as traditional call and lines; IP telephony and with a range of associated services; network services to support voice, video and data applications; unified communication services; data centre services and provision of any associated hardware.

For both Lots 1 & 2 it is envisaged that the successful contractors will be able to provide a range of support services including but not limited to design and development, project management, training and service management to allow end to end implementation of fully managed solutions.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 1 900 000 and 18 000 000 GBP

### 4) Indication about different time frame or duration

### 5) Additional information about lots

## Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

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### III.1. Conditions related to the contract

#### III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

Parent Company and/or other guarantees may be required if Procurement for Housing deem necessary.

#### III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

Refer to tender documents.

#### III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

A single member of any grouping/consortium of suppliers will be required to accept prime contractorship.

#### III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

### **III.2. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: As set out in Articles 45 to 50 of Directive 2004/18/EC and Regulations 23 to 25 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006. Also as set out in the PQQ. The tender questionnaire must be completed and returned in accordance with the instructions, by the deadline stated in section IV.3.4 of this contract notice.

#### **III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: As set out in Article 47 of Directive 2004/18/EC and in Regulation 24 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006. Also as set out in the PQQ. The tender questionnaire must be completed and returned in accordance with the instructions, by the deadline stated in section IV.3.4 of this contract notice.

#### **III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:

As set out in Article 48 of Directive 2004/18/EC and in Regulation 25 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006. Also as set out in the PQQ. The tender questionnaire must be completed and returned in accordance with the instructions, by the deadline stated in section IV.3.4 of this contract notice.

#### **III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

### **III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

#### **III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

#### **III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Restricted

#### **IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number 5

#### **IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

### **IV.2. Award criteria**

#### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used: no

### **IV.3. Administrative information**

**IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

KM/2012/Telecoms

**IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

**IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 24.8.2012

Payable documents: yes

Price: 120,00 GBP

Terms and method of payment: Please submit a non-refundable cheque for 100 GBP plus VAT (120 GBP total) to the address below. Cheques should be made payable to Collective Enterprises Limited. Please note submissions received without an administration fee will not be evaluated.

Please identify the Telecoms PQQ by writing "Telecoms PQQ Fee" either on the back of the cheque or on a compliment slip with the cheque.

Address for cheques:

Collective Enterprises Limited, 2 Olympic Park, Birchwood, WA2 0YL Warrington.

**IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

31.8.2012 - 12:00

**IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

12.9.2012

**IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English.

**IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

**IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

**VI.2. Information about European Union funds**

**VI.3. Additional information**

(MT Ref:90331).

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

**VI.4.2. Review procedure**

**VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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

27.7.2012