

United Kingdom-Sheffield: IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
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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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I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://www.delta-esourcing.com>
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://delta-esourcing.com>
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I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5. Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Finance Guarantee Portal: Development, Implementation and Support

II.1.2. Main CPV code

72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The British Business Bank delivers a product to the financial markets known as the Enterprise Finance Guarantee (EFG). This product is administered via a web portal which is currently built using code which is expensive to maintain and lacks flexibility for future development and growth.

We are therefore seeking an experienced developer to initially build a new web portal with sufficient capacity and flexibility to support the planned EFG growth and allow the Bank to develop further guarantee products and to provide support to this portal and possible other similar products/portals in the future.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1 500 000,00 GBP

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

72200000 Software programming and consultancy services, 72210000 Programming services of packaged software products, 72212000 Programming services of application software, 72212442 Financial systems software development services, 72230000 Custom software development services, 72232000 Development of transaction processing and custom software , 72240000 Systems analysis and programming services, 72241000 Critical design target specification services, 72242000 Design-modelling services, 72243000 Programming services , 72246000 Systems consultancy services, 72250000 System and support services, 72253000 Helpdesk and support services, 72253100 Helpdesk services, 72253200 Systems support services, 72260000 Software-related services, 72261000 Software support services, 72262000 Software development services, 72263000 Software implementation services, 72265000 Software configuration services, 72266000 Software consultancy services, 72267000 Software maintenance and repair services, 72267100 Maintenance of information technology software, 72267200 Repair of information technology software

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKI London

Main site or place of performance: London.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Background:

The Enterprise Finance Guarantee (EFG) programme administered by the British Business Bank has been enabling accredited lenders to provide additional debt finance to small and medium size enterprises (SMEs) since 2009. It can be used where an SME has a sound borrowing proposal that is capable of repayment of the debt but has inadequate security to meet the lender's normal security requirements for the debt. In such a scenario, a lender can use EFG to provide the security which the SME is unable to provide for itself and in doing so, enables the SME to access funding that would otherwise be unavailable.

EFG is administered via the EFG Web Portal. Lenders use the EFG Web Portal to manage the full lifecycle of their EFG lending:

- 1) As an aid to assessment of the borrower's eligibility under the programme;
- 2) To make a facility offer and subsequently record its drawdown;
- 3) To record 'in-life' changes to a facility already guaranteed;
- 4) To record repayment;

- 5) To make a guarantee claim (if the Borrower defaults) and to record any subsequent recoveries;
- 6) Recording “in-life” changes on the EFG Web Portal ensures the Guarantee Fee charged to the Borrower is calculated accurately and collected in a timely manner.

Current Portal:

The current web portal has been built using a code base that is expensive and not widely available in the UK market (Ruby on Rails). The design of the existing Web Portal has been iterative and has occurred as a result of policy changes which has resulted in a complex architecture that is becoming increasingly difficult to change and maintain.

Further significant product changes are planned and we want to build a new Web Portal with sufficient capacity and flexibility to support the planned EFG growth and allow BBB to develop further guarantee products.

We want to re-architect the Web Portal to allow for future flexibility migrating to a more cost effective code base e.g. Java or .NET

Requirement:

To support the Bank’s business objectives, the EFG Web Portal must provide a solution that is flexible and scalable i.e. highly configurable, easy and quick to change to support rapid growth without losing sight on standardisation and cost effectiveness.

The EFG Web Portal project is seeking an experienced developer to

— re-build the Web Portal with a new strategic code by October 2019,

— provide ongoing BAU and development support to the Bank and the Portal for 3 years from launch of the new Portal.

A new architecture with flexibility built in by design will reduce the current operational risk and allow for future development and enhance user experience.

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: 1 500 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 48

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

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

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

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.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

As stated in the tender 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

Open procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

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

Date: 07/12/2018 Local time: 12:00

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

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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 07/12/2018 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3. Additional information

The Contracting Authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are Small or Medium Enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Sheffield:-IT-services:-consulting%2C-software-development%2C-Internet-and-support./A87SFK3286>

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VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: British Business Bank

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Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

06/11/2018