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Dear Applicants,

We are inviting Applicants to submit a response to the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) for a Service Provider to **Supply, Implement, License, Support and Maintain an Enterprise-Grade Digital Preservation System** in accordance with the enclosed Specification.

The purpose of this PQQ is to assess the suitability of the Applicants, and to pre-qualify and establish a short-list of Applicants with the required capability to successfully deliver the Contracting Entity's Contract requirements. The information provided in response to this PQQ by Applicants, will be evaluated by the Contracting Entity and its advisers in accordance with the criteria set out in the PQQ, and those Applicants who are pre-qualified and short-listed at this pre-qualification stage, will then be invited to participate in the competitive tendering stage.

Please complete and submit Section B of the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire document, as well as any supporting documentation and Appendices requested.

Supporting documents should be titled with the relevant section of your response that they relate to and a brief description (For example: '*B.2.3–Financial Statements 2025*', '*B.5.1–Tax Certificate*', etc.). All the documents related to the PQQ response must be uploaded in a **zip format** to the Gov e-Tenders portal.

As indicated in Section A.3 of the PQQ document:

- Any pre-submission queries must be submitted via the Gov eTenders platform by **12.00 noon, 10th June 2026**.
- The closing date for receipt of completed applications is **12:00 noon, 14th July 2026**.

Kind regards,

Fiona Farrell
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