



Procurement of the Housing Loss Prevention Advice Service in England and Wales from August 2023

Amendment Notice with effect from 9 February 2023

On 17 November 2022 the LAA published an invitation to tender HLPAS from 1 August 2023 on its eTendering system.

In accordance with paragraph 5.20 of the SQ IFA, Applicants are notified that the LAA has amended the IFA to reflect changes to:

- a) the deadline for verification information to be submitted for Individual HLPAS Bids to 23:59 pm on 1 May 2023; and
- b) the stage at which verification occurs within the assessment process, to enable the LAA to assess verification information provided as part of their HLPAS ITT Response whilst undertaking Stages 2 and Stage 3 of HLPAS ITT Assessment process.

The changes to the IFA are as follows:

- a) references to the deadline for verification information to be submitted for HLPAS have been amended from 23.59 on 12 February 2023 to 23:59 on 1 May 2023; and
- b) the previous Stage 5 of the assessment process has been moved to Stage 4; and
- c) paragraphs 7.16 – 7.21 have been updated to reflect the new verification process.

HLPAS IFA Version 4 incorporates all of the amendments in this notice in blue. Version 4 is available via the 'Attachment' link within the eTendering system and on the [Gov.uk](https://www.gov.uk) website.

Requirements upon Applicants

Applicants are required to refer to HLPAS IFA Version 4.