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Contract

Special Education Needs Disability Information Advice Support Service (SENDIASS)

Achieving for Children

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-000128

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0364e7

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI63 - Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.afcinfo.org.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

community interest company

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Special Education Needs Disability Information Advice Support Service (SENDIASS)

Reference number

DN631068

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Special Education Needs and Disabilities Information Advice and Support Services

(SENDIASS) provides free impartial, confidential and accurate information, advice and support about education, health and social care for children, young people and their parents

on matters relating to special educational needs and disability.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £660,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI63 - Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

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

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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: [2022/S 000-024489](#)

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 December 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Polaris Children's Services Limited

Bromsgrove

B60 4AD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI63 - Merton, Kingston upon Thames and Sutton

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £660,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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