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Contract

## **Alternative Education Provision Approved Provider Panel**

Croydon Council

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**NUTS code**

UKI62 - Croydon

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.croydon.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.croydon.gov.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Alternative Education Provision Approved Provider Panel

Reference number

DN457367

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The Council intends to establish a 4 year multi-supplier Approved Provider Panel to deliver Alternative Education Provision. There will be an initial 2 year period with an option to extend for two further periods of 12 months at the discretion of the Council. The Approved Provider Panel is split into 3 lots.

Tenderers can apply for one or more lot.

Lot 1 - Primary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion or awaiting a SEND assessment or awaiting a school placement.

1.a Primary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion.

1.b Primary aged learners with an EHCP without a school place, for example new to the borough.

Lot 2 - Secondary aged learners who have been excluded or at risk of permanent exclusion from school:

2.a -Secondary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion.

2.b - Secondary aged Learners who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent

exclusion.

2c -Secondary aged learners with an EHCP without a school place, for example new to the borough.

Lot 3 - Year 11 learners without a school place:

3.a - Young people who are new arrivals to the UK in academic year 11 with limited English language.

3.b - Young people who are new arrivals to the UK in academic year 11 with limited English language and behavioural or emotional issues.

3.c - Other year 11 young people without a school place, for example new to the borough.

The Council has identified that the proposed service provision falls within the scope of "social and other specific services" set out within Schedule 3 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (Regulations). Consequently, the so-called Light Touch Regime will apply to this procurement.

The Council is orientating this procurement towards an adapted open procedure as described in Regulation 27 of the Regulations but using a "light touch" approach. The Council does not hold itself bound by the Regulations except to the extent that they apply to the light touch regime as set out in Regulations 74 to 76 of the Regulations

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £5,500,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Primary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion or awaiting a SEND assessment or awaiting a school placement.

Lot No

1

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 80100000 - Primary education services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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All current and future Croydon schools (including academies and the PRU) as set out in Appendix 3 of the tender documents will be invited to have access to the lists and agreed provider KPIs with a commitment to provide information on utilisation of the list and placements made - Link to Croydon schools:

<https://www.croydon.gov.uk/education/schools-new/schools-types>

The requirements of the Services may vary and quantities shall not be specified, guaranteed or warranted by the Council.

The Council reserves the right to refresh the Approved Provider Panel and admit new providers onto the panel who meet the initial quality and price evaluation criteria.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Secondary aged learners who have been excluded or at risk of permanent exclusion from school

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 800000000 - Education and training services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

2.a -Secondary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion.

2.b - Secondary aged Learners who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion.

2c -Secondary aged learners with an EHCP without a school place, for example new to the borough.

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### **II.2.1) Title**

Year 11 learners without a school place:

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80200000 - Secondary education services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI62 - Croydon

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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## **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: [2020/S 027-063391](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Primary aged learners with an EHCP who have been excluded or are at risk of permanent exclusion or awaiting a SEND assessment or awaiting a school placement.

A contract/lot is awarded: No

### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Lot No

2

### Title

Secondary aged learners who have been excluded or at risk of permanent exclusion from school:

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

10 November 2020

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 12

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: 12

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Croydon African Caribbean Family Org

Croydon

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Just Learn

Mitcham

CR42QA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - LONDON

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Progress Schools

Bottle

L307PT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - NORTH WEST (ENGLAND)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

SV Academy

London

SE91DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - LONDON

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

The Write Time

Croydon

CR0 2XX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Transforming Lives for Good

Croydon

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,500,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Year 11 learners without a school place

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

10 November 2020

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 9

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: 9

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Croydon College

Croydon

CR91DX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Harris Federation

Croydon

CR01LH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

John Ruskin (East Surrey Orbital)

South Croydon

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI62 - Croydon

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Just Learn

London

SW17ONB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - LONDON

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Progress Schools

Liverpool

L31BP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - NORTH WEST (ENGLAND)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Supreme Education Ltd

London

Country



United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI6 - Outer London – South

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

SV Academy

London

SE91DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - LONDON

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,500,000

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

London Borough of Croydon

Croydon Commissioning & Procurement, 4G Bernard Weatherill House, 8 Mint Walk Town

Croydon

CR01EA

Email

[procurement@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@croydon.gov.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

#### VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

H M Courts & Tribunal Service

Tribunal Service, Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A

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[administrativecourtoffice.generaloffice@hmcts.x.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:administrativecourtoffice.generaloffice@hmcts.x.gsi.gov.uk)

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