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#### Contract

# **Understanding tax administration for businesses: updating the Standard Cost Model**

H M Revenue & Customs

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0308db

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

H M Revenue & Customs

Ralli Quays, West Building, 3 Stanley Street,

Salford

M60 9HL

#### **Email**

jonathon.carterhume@hmrc.gov.uk

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

#### Main address

## www.gov.uk

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal 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

Understanding tax administration for businesses: updating the Standard Cost Model

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

HM Revenue & Customs (HMRC) requires a supplier from the

Research Marketplace agreement (RM6018) to undertake research

aimed at gathering qualitative and quantitative data about processes

that businesses undertake and the costs incurred in order to comply

with HMRC tax regulations. HMRC intends for this contract to be in

place by w/c 6th December 2021, with final outputs expected by end

of June 2022.

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: £150,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

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II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 80

Price - Weighting: 20

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

6 months optional Extension

# Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

• The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

## Explanation:

Crown Commercial Service Framework Research Marketplace used for DPS Call Off. All correct procedures followed.

## IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## 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

9 December 2021

## V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

IFF Research Ltd

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £150,000

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Crown Commercial Service

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom