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Contract

## **Biodiversity Credits Extended Pilot**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0309c7

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

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

Defra Network eTendering Portal

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London

SW1P 3JR

#### **Email**

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#### **Telephone**

+44 2072385921

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Biodiversity Credits Extended Pilot

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 90700000 - Environmental services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

This notice is for the award of the contract for Biodiversity Credits Extended Pilot. This contract is aiming to allow Natural England to onboard a supplier to undertake eco-hydrological assessments of seven habitat provision projects to inform habitat creation and/or restoration projects.

**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: £43,593

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

This contract is aiming to allow Natural England to onboard a supplier to undertake eco-hydrological assessments of seven habitat provision projects to inform habitat creation and/or restoration projects.

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

Price

### **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

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## **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:

This is an award of a contract from a call of from a Framework Agreement, therefore there is no need for prior publication of a call for competition. The Framework Agreement used was the Ecological Services Framework 3.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

### **Contract No**

63048

### **Title**

Biodiversity Credits Extended Pilot

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

29 November 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

APEM Ltd

A17 Embankment Business Park, Vale Road, Heaton Mersey

Stockport

SK4 3GN

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: £43,593

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

London

Country

United Kingdom