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Contract

709690450 - UASHLC Navigation in a GNSS Denied Environment

Ministry of Defence

F18: Contract award notice for contracts in the field of defence and security

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s)

Ministry of Defence

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BS34 8JH

For the attention of

Simpson Connor

Email(s)

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Country

United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1) Description

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract

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II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance

Services

Service category No 3: Defence services, military defence services and civil defence services

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

II.1.4) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

Navigation in a GNSS denied environment is a critical component of operating Military UAS in hostile theatres. Therefore this competition exists to de-risk and help develop complete systems that can one day fill this void. While many sub-systems exist that can perhaps operate over land, or in certain scenarios, the Authority requires a system that can overall meet a requirement to operate in all possible scenarios including over land, over Sea, in Night and Day, and in poor visibility whilst not relying on GNSS which are likely to be jammed, spoofed or disrupted.

II.1.5) Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)

- 73410000 - Military research and technology

II.2) Total final value of contract(s)

II.2.1) Total final value of contract(s)

Value: £350,000

Excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

Type of procedure

Restricted

IV.2) Award criteria

IV.2.1) Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Technical. Weighting 90

2. Social Value. Weighting 10

IV.2.2) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: no

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No

709690450.1

V.1) Date of contract award decision

6 December 2023

V.2) Information about offers

Number of offers received

5

Number of offers received by electronic means

5

V.3) Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken

Blue Bear Systems Research Ltd

4 Highfield Parc

Bedford

MK43 7TA

Country

United Kingdom

V.4) Information on value of contract

Total final value of the contract

Value: £172,500

Excluding VAT

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No

709690450.2

V.1) Date of contract award decision

6 December 2023

V.2) Information about offers

Number of offers received

5

Number of offers received by electronic means

5

V.3) Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken

Syos Aerospace Limited

BDO Tauranga Limited, Suite 1, 525 Cameron Road

Tauranga

3110

Country

New Zealand

V.4) Information on value of contract

Total final value of the contract

Value: £172,500

Excluding VAT

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about European Union funds

The contract is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

VI.3) Procedures for appeal

VI.3.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures

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Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.3.3) Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained

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