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Contract

Training Supplementary for Childminders, Early Years Practitioners and Managers

Procurement and Logistics Service
DOH - Strategic Planning and Performance Group

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04adce

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Procurement and Logistics Service

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Region code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

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I.1) Name and addresses

DOH - Strategic Planning and Performance Group

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Training Supplementary for Childminders, Early Years Practitioners and Managers

Reference number

4788814

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Training Supplementary for Childminders, Early Years Practitioners and Managers

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: £231,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 800000000 - Education and training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Following the initial Contract Period there is potential to extend for up to and including 24 months, and additional 18 months emergency extension is available

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.2.14) Additional information

The estimated value stated in II.1.7 is for 2 years with provision to extend for up to and including 24 months plus an additional 18 months emergency extension is available.

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

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Title

Contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

27 December 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 9

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

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

Belfast Metropolitan College

7 Queens Road

BELFAST

BT3 9DT

Email

businessdevelopment@belfastmet.ac.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

SOUTH EASTERN REGIONAL COLLEGE

VICTORIA AVENUE

NEWTOWNARDS

BT23 7EH

Email

sbrowne@serc.ac.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ROYAL MENCAP SOCIETY

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BT7 3JH

Email

mencapni@mencap.org.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

EARLY YEARS - THE ORGANISATION FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

6C Wildflower Way

BELFAST

BT12 6TA

Email

allyb@early-years.org

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PLAYBOARD NORTHERN IRELAND

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BT7 1NS

Email

alan.herron@playboard.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

D.F.P.F. LTD

LAMONT BUILDINGS

BELFAST

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PARENTING FOCUS LIMITED

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £231,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £231,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

In section 1.2, it is stated that this procurement is a joint procedure and contract award is by a Central Purchasing Body. This contract is not a joint contract, it is a Central Purchasing Body Contract operated by Business Services Organisation Procurement and Logistics Service on behalf of the participants listed in section 1.1.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Business Services Organisation, Procurement and Logistics Service

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom