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Awarded contract

Consultancy Services and Research on Technologies for Automatic Pension Enrollment

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

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London

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Telephone

+44 2070080932

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK-UNITED KINGDOM

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.ukchina-financialservices.com/

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Consultancy Services and Research on Technologies for Automatic Pension Enrollment

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 66171000 - Financial consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (FCDO) has awarded a contract to D3P Global for a provider of consultancy services and research on technologies for automatic pension enrollment in China.

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: £138,958

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• 00 - Other NUTS code

Main site or place of performance

China

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The supplier is contracted to carry out research and analysis on automatic pensions enrollment in China, the UK and other relevant countries and write a report detailing which identified technologies might be replicated in China to support future automatic pensions enrollment.

The Primary Purpose of the Project is to research and analyse international best practices around the use of technology in pensions and financial services and consider how these practices could be implemented or further expanded in China to support future automatic enrollment into Pillar 2 pension schemes, and in particular how technology could be used to improve outcomes for different under-served groups (e.g. women, those living close to or under the poverty line, rural populations etc).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Cost criterion - Name: technical / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: commercial / Weighting: 30

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

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 122-300497

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

26 October 2020

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

D3P Global Limited

3 Withdean Court Avenue Brighton BN1 6YF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

11565296

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £138,958

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office

London

Country

United Kingdom