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Contract

## **Consultancy Services and Research on Technologies for Automatic Pension Enrollment**

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-028bb6

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

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

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

King Charles Street

London

SW1A 2AH

#### **Email**

[ChinaFCOFSPProcurement@thepalladiumgroup.com](mailto:ChinaFCOFSPProcurement@thepalladiumgroup.com)

#### **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

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**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

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## **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](#)

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## **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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office

London

Country

United Kingdom