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Contract

DfI Transport and Road Asset Management - Supply and Delivery of Road Surfacing Materials

Department for Infrastructure
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F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Department for Infrastructure

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

DfI Transport and Road Asset Management - Supply and Delivery of Road Surfacing Materials

Reference number

CfT 4839573

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 44000000 - Construction structures and materials; auxiliary products to construction (except electric apparatus)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The department are seeking to secure a framework agreement for the supply and delivery of asphalt concrete, hot rolled asphalt and coated chippings and supply and delivery contracts for permanent cold lay surfacing materials that fully meet the departments operational needs in a sustainable manner, taking account of any opportunities for innovation and minimising environmental impacts. The contracts will facilitate depot representatives to purchase materials and products in order to meet their business needs.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £5,500,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 – Asphalt Concrete, Hot Rolled Asphalt and Coated Chippings.

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 44100000 - Construction materials and associated items
- 44113620 - Asphalt

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The department are seeking to secure a framework agreement for the supply and delivery of asphalt concrete, hot rolled asphalt and coated chippings and supply and delivery contracts for permanent cold lay surfacing materials that fully meet the departments operational needs in a sustainable manner, taking account of any opportunities for innovation and minimising environmental impacts. The contracts will facilitate depot representatives to purchase materials and products in order to meet their business needs.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Mandatory Requirements / Weighting: Pass/Fail

Price - Weighting: 100

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Although the total value over the lifetime of the contract is estimated to be £5.5 million. This figure is split across the 3 Lots with the estimated spend for Lot 1 as £4 million. Actual spend will be dependent on future demand and budget allocation.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 – Permanent Cold Lay Surfacing Materials.

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 44100000 - Construction materials and associated items
- 44113620 - Asphalt

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: Mandatory Requirements / Weighting: Pass/Fail

Price - Weighting: 100

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Lot 2 has been abandoned, no award has been made

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 – Permanent Cold Lay Materials Suitable for Wet Weather Use.

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 44100000 - Construction materials and associated items
- 44113620 - Asphalt

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Quality criterion - Name: Mandatory Requirements / Weighting: Pass/Fail

Price - Weighting: 100

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Lot 3 has been abandoned, no award has been made

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

1

Lot No

1

Title

Lot 1 – Asphalt Concrete, Hot Rolled Asphalt and Coated Chippings.

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

10 November 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 14

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

WHITEMOUNTAIN QUARRIES LTD t/a BREEDON

5 Blackwater Road

Newtownabbey

BT36 4TZ

Email

gabriel.smyth@breedongroup.com

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

COLLEN BROTHERS QUARRIES LTD

Hanover Street

CRAIGAVON

BT62 3ET

Email

andrew@collenbros.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

B.MCCAFFREY SONS LIMITED

Knockninny

ENNISKILLEN

BT92 9JT

Email

paraic@mccaffreyquarries.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

TULLYRAINE QUARRIES LTD

122 Dromore Road

BANBRIDGE

BT32 4EG

Email

johnmccartan@tullyrainequarries.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Northstone Materials Limited

Shinny Road

COLERAINE

BT51 4PS

Email

pkelly@northstone-ni.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PETER FITZPATRICK LTD

29 Leode Road

NEWRY

BT34 5TJ

Email

paul@pfitzpatrick.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

FP McCann

Knockloughrim Quarry, 3 Drumard Road

MAGHERAFELT

BT45 8QA

Email

omcnally@fpmccann.co.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

JOHN MCQUILLAN CONTRACTS LTD

11 Ballinderry Road

LISBURN

BT28 2SA

Email

john.mcquillan@mcqcos.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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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: £5,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2

Lot No

2

Title

Lot 2 – Permanent Cold Lay Surfacing Materials.

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

3

Lot No

3

Title

Lot 3 – Permanent Cold Lay Materials Suitable for Wet Weather Use.

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Contract Monitoring. The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored. Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in DfI for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance and the contract may be terminated. The issue of a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance will result in the contractor being excluded from all procurement competition being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of twelve months from the date of issue of the certificate..

. Lots 2 and 3 were abandoned as it has been determined the published specification was unclear in relation to the performance, durability, and related certification requirements for these materials. On this basis, no contract award can be made. The Department's operational staff will now carry out a review of their current cold lay material requirements, which will involve a market consultation exercise. Following this review, it is envisaged a new procurement process will be initiated in early 2024 with a revised specification..

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Hight Court, Royal Courts of Justice

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom