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Contract

## **Provision of a Storage, Maintenance and Deployment Framework for the National Barrier Asset (NBA)**

Metropolitan Police Service

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

Metropolitan Police Service

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LONDON

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKI32 - Westminster

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.met.police.uk/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Provision of a Storage, Maintenance and Deployment Framework for the National Barrier Asset (NBA)

Reference number

2023/S 000-022058

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 45233280 - Erection of road-barriers

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Works

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The National Barrier Asset consists of a collection of Counter Terrorism Policing (CTP) owned vehicle security barriers & protective security fencing collectively termed the "National Barrier Asset" (NBA). The NBA is deployed to block roads, footways & other locations to prevent/mitigate Vehicle borne threats from a Vehicle as a Weapon (VAW) Attack or as a Vehicle Borne Improvised Explosive Device (VBIED) against infrastructure, persons & publicly accessible locations.

Since its development, the national demand for NBA protection against terrorist attacks has increased to cover a diverse range of temporary events which can include local, national & globally focused Government Events, Police Operations, Sporting & music events & other entertainment events. The NBA is tested & approved to UK & International specifications.

The purpose of the NBA Framework is for one Contractor to provide storage, maintenance & deployment services on behalf of the Authority for a maximum of 4 years (3+1 year optional extension). The Contractor will also have the opportunity to supplement the NBA with their own stock should the need arise during the life of the Framework. Eligible Users of this Framework are Police Authorities, Public Sector Bodies, International Partners & selected Private Sector Organisations.

#### **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: £35,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

United Kingdom; with provisions for international deployment where agreed.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

ender activity to ascertain the contractor for the next iteration of the NBA framework who will handle the storage, maintenance and deployment of police owned barrier asset. Supplier will also be given the opportunity to supplement the NBA stock with their own stock should the need arise.

Two stage procurement. First stage based on submission of bids. Top three scoring bids will progress to the second stage - physical testing

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 55%

Quality criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 4%

Quality criterion - Name: TUPE / Weighting: 1%

Price - Weighting: 30%

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: 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: [2023/S 000-022058](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Title**

NBA Main Framework Agreement 2024-2027

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

31 December 2023

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Hardstaff Barriers (A Division of Hill and Smith Infrastructure Limited)

Solihull

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

02791285

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £35,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £35,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

NBA Main Framework Agreement awarded to Hardstaff Barriers (A Division of Hill and Smith Infrastructure Limited) for the initial contract period of 3 years, with the option of a 1 year extension.

Framework initial term runs from 01/01/2024-31/12/2027.

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

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

MOPAC

London

Country

United Kingdom