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Contract

Standard Patent and Associated Intellectual Property Rights Service

University of Strathclyde
Glasgow Caledonian University

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00113

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00195

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

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Standard Patent and Associated Intellectual Property Rights Service

Reference number

UOS-18929-2020

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79110000 - Legal advisory and representation services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University of Strathclyde aims to procure a single supplier to provide Intellectual Property Services to support the IP & Commercialisation team's management of the

University IP Portfolio.

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: £953,925

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79120000 - Patent and copyright consultancy services
- 79140000 - Legal advisory and information services
- 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

University Of Strathclyde

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The University will use the Intellectual Property Services to assist them to:

- Further enhance the quality of their marketable IP portfolio;
- Maximise the usage of their IPRs internationally;
- Utilise professional expertise to leverage their own knowledge & experience;
- Obtain a fair return to the University in return for making their IP available for license;
- Meet sponsor obligations & expectations regarding exploitation of sponsored research; and
- Operate an IP quality management process.

The successful Contractor shall for the full duration of the contracted period arrange the progress of the Intellectual Property Services to suit the requirements of the University and ensure that the execution of the Intellectual Property Services does not adversely affect normal University operations reputation or standing.

Please refer to the tender documentation for further information on the requirement.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 65

Price - Weighting: 35

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Contracting Authority reserves the right to request additional deliveries by the successful tenderer either intended as partial replacement of the supplies or installations or as the extension of existing supplies or installations. The Contracting authority may at its sole

discretion exercise this option.

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: [2021/S 000-010786](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

UOS-18929-2020

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 January 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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: 8

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Marks & Clerk LLP

Aurora, 120 Bothwell Street

Glasgow

G2 7JS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

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: £15,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £953,925

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

For the avoidance of doubt this is a C1 collaborative agreement for use by the University of Strathclyde and Glasgow Caledonian University only.

The winning bidder has confirmed that whilst all employees are payed above the real Living Wage the organisation is not currently an accredited Living Wage employer.

The Contracting Authority reserves the right to extend the contract at its sole discrepency.

(SC Ref:680903)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Glasgow Sheriff Court

1 Carlton Place

Glasgow

G5 9TW

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

An economic operator that suffers, or risks suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 (SSI2015/446) (as amended) may bring proceedings to the Sheriff Court