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Contract

Project Support Professional Services

University of Ulster

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-039bbc

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.ulster.ac.uk

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

Project Support Professional Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72224000 - Project management consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Project Support Professional Services

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: £2,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72224000 - Project management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

All Campuses

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Digital Services is now planning a multi-year Digital Transformation programme of projects and activities which will design, develop and build a new service delivery model and long-term application and information strategy. This will be supported by formal Enterprise Architecture concepts and principles, including Real-Time and Dynamic Reporting, Automation / BOTs / AI / Machine Learning, On-demand Service Provisioning, Managed Services, Enterprise Application and Information Strategic Delivery, Virtualisation and Cloud Migrations, Integration Services and Mobile Apps.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quatitative / Weighting: 75%

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 25%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial term 2 years with provision to extend for any periods up to and including 24 months

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

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement includes the initial 2 year term and 2 year extension period

This call-off contract was awarded via a shortlisting exercise under the G-Cloud 12 Framework Agreement Framework reference: RM1557.12.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This call-off contract was awarded via a shortlisting exercise under the G-Cloud 12 Framework Agreement Framework reference: RM1557.12.

8 Suppliers were shortlisted.

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CCS EXP1095

Title

PROJECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

2 January 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Maxica Consulting Limited

87 Church Street

Crowthorne

RG45 7AW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This call-off contract was awarded via a shortlisting exercise under the G-Cloud 12 Framework Agreement Framework reference: RM1557.12.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland

Royal Courts of Justice, Chichester Street

Belfast

BT1 3JY

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (Northern Ireland).