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Contract

## **WAES Distance Learning Subcontracted provision 24/25**

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F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-004021

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-047bf2

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

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

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London

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#### **Email**

[pkhan@westminster.gov.uk](mailto:pkhan@westminster.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKI32 - Westminster

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.westminster.gov.uk](http://www.westminster.gov.uk)

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

Regional or local 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**

WAES Distance Learning Subcontracted provision 24/25

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

- 80400000 - Adult and other education services

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

Services

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

The project sought to procure two suitably placed providers to deliver education and training on behalf WAES for its Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) contract in a distance learning with capacity to achieve high outcomes for learners and strong positive destinations.

##### **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: £960,000

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

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80400000 - Adult and other education services

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

NUTS codes

- UKI32 - Westminster

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

Open Tender, project was to procure two suitably placed providers to deliver education and training on behalf WAES for its Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) contract in a distance learning with capacity to achieve high outcomes for learners and strong positive destinations. WAES opted to procure two contracts for this service. Each provider has different courses in their offerings and will therefore result in further and wider reach, increasing volume input across a number of different sectors. Thus, ensuring that they meet their targets and in turn WAES targets are also met. WAES require to deliver distance Learning courses within the Health and Social Care, Childcare and Business Sectors to meet their grant allocation.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 100%

Cost criterion - Name: Technical / 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

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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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-020930](#)

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

### **Title**

WAES Distance Learning Subcontracted provision 24/25

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 December 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

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

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

Learning Curve Group Ltd

1-10 Dunelm Rise Group, Durham, Spennymoor

County Durham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £480,000

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The Skills Network Ltd

Unit 16, Abbey Court, Benedict Drive, Selby, North Yorkshire

Yorkshire

YO8 8RY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE2 - North Yorkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom