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Contract

YPO - 001144 Early Years Construction

YPO

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

YPO

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Wakefield

WF2 0XE

Contact

Contracts Team

Email

contracts@ypo.co.uk

Telephone

+44 1924664685

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKE45 - Wakefield

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.ypo.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register?ReadForm>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

YPO - 001144 Early Years Construction

Reference number

001144

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 37520000 - Toys

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

YPO are looking for Providers to be appointed onto a Framework Agreement for the provision of wooden, foam and plastic construction kits for use primarily in public and private

early years settings, schools and other establishments This Framework is designed to meet

the needs of YPO by establishing an agreement for providers to deliver stock into YPO's

distribution centre in Wakefield, West Yorkshire or for providers to deliver to YPO customers

on a direct basis whereby the end customer places the order with YPO and YPO places the

order with the provider but the provider delivers direct to the end customer.

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: £3,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Construction Kits and Building Blocks

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37520000 - Toys

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will cover construction kits and building blocks. Goods will be delivered to YPO distribution centre in Wakefield.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2025

with

two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2024 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures.

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Large Wooden Construction Sets (assorted)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37520000 - Toys

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot will cover construction kits and building blocks. Goods will be delivered to YPO customers on a direct basis whereby the end customer places the order with YPO and YPO

places the order with the provider but the provider delivers direct to the end customer.

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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

Notice number: [2022/S 000-026012](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

001144

Lot No

1

Title

Construction Kits and Building Blocks

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

15 December 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 15

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Artstraws Limited

6/7 Wyndham Court, Morriston

Swansea

SA6 8RB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL18 - Swansea

National registration number

1690507

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Cicada Educational Equipment Limited

G204 Weston House Allen House Business Centre, The Maltings, Station Road,
Sawbridgeworth

Herts

CM21 9FP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

National registration number

4327591

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Commotion Limited

Morley Road, Tonbridge

Kent

TN9 1RA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

National registration number

1748507

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Creative Hut For Education Limited

Peace Centre Peace Drive, Great Sankey, Warrington

Cheshire

WA5 1HQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD6 - Cheshire

National registration number

11073548

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Education Essentials Ltd

Building 2, Aston Down, Minchinhampton Road

Nr Stroud

GL6 8GA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

National registration number

03893770

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Educational Advantage Limited

Oakley House, Tetbury Road, Cirencester

Gloucestershire

GL7 1US

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

National registration number

05903297

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Magformers UK Limited

Weston Centre Business Hub, Weston Road

Crewe

CW1 6FL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD6 - Cheshire

National registration number

09386937

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ELS Euro LTD Trading at Learn Play Nexus LTD

Nexus House, Lakeside Business Park

South Cerney

GL7 5XL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

National registration number

05550901

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Metalliform Holdings Limited

Chambers Road, Hoyland

Barnsley

S74 0EZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

National registration number

4018890

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Polydron UK Limited

Oakley House, Tetbury Road

Cirencester

GL7 1US

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

National registration number

02063198

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

001144

Lot No

2

Title

Large Wooden Construction Sets (assorted)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

15 December 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 15

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Community Products (UK) Limited

Brightling Road, Robertsbridge

East Sussex

TN32 5DR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

National registration number

03498955

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Spaceright Europe Limited

38 Tollpark Road, Wardpark East, Cumbernauld

Glasgow

G68 0LW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

National registration number

SC344257

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

YPO are purchasing on the behalf of other contracting authorities. Please see the below link for

details: <https://www.ypo.co.uk/about/customers/permissible-users> .

YPO will incorporate a standstill period at the point of notification of the award of the contract is

provided to all bidders. The standstill period will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, and

provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is

entered into. 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 (England,

Wales and Northern Ireland).

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom