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Contract

Contract variation

Cabinet Office

F20: Modification notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e279

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Cabinet Office

70 Whitehall

LONDON

SW1A2AS

Email

commercial@cabinetoffice.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI32 - Westminster

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/cabinet-office>

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Contract variation

Reference number

CCZP20A03

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

The provision of learning and development services.

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Duration in months

Section IV. Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract

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Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

CCZP20A03

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

6 October 2020

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Ernst & Young LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

Companies House

OC300001

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £130,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court, Royal Court of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 800000000 - Education and training services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

The provision of learning and development services.

VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Duration in months

66

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£195,000,000

VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Ernst & Young LLP

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

Companies House

OC300001

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

The contract duration is extended by six months from the end date of 31 October 2025 to 30 April 2026 for business continuity. The Termination Assistance Period option, that facilitates transition of learning to the new provision (when in place), is also being invoked. No other changes are being made to the contract.

The contract was modified previously by being extended by 12 months, such that the expiry date was 31 October 2025, and the maximum value of the contract was increased by 50% from £130,000,000 (ex. VAT) to £195,000,000 (ex. VAT).

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire.

Description of the economic or technical reasons and the inconvenience or duplication of

cost preventing a change of contractor:

Regulation 72(1)(b): Additional services

Additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor that have become necessary and were not included in the initial procurement, where a change of contractor-

(i) cannot be made for economic or technical reasons such as requirements of interchangeability or interoperability with existing equipment, services or installations procured under the initial procurement, and

(ii) would cause significant inconvenience or substantial duplication of costs for the contracting authority, provided that any increase in price does not exceed 50% of the value of the original contract.

Regulation 72(1)(e): No substantial modification

The proposed modification does not alter the overall nature of the contract. The changes are necessary to address specific issues that have arisen during the contract performance, ensuring that the contract continues to meet its intended objectives effectively. The modification does not introduce elements that are substantially different from the original contract scope within the meaning of paragraph (8), thus maintaining the fundamental character of the initial agreement.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £195,000,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £195,000,000