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Contract

## **Veterinary Delivery Partnership - Livestock Testing Services in England and Wales**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-005359

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-029c60

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UK - UNITED KINGDOM

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://defra.bravosoloution.co.uk/web/login.html>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Veterinary Delivery Partnership - Livestock Testing Services in England and Wales

Reference number

24989

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

Services

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

#### **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: £204,700,000

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - North Wales

Lot No

1

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - WALES

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Questions / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - South Wales

Lot No

2

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - WALES

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Devon & Cornwall

Lot No

3

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK - SOUTH WEST (ENGLAND)

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - Western England

Lot No

4

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)
- UKK - SOUTH WEST (ENGLAND)

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5 - South & Eastern England

Lot No

5

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKF - EAST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)
- UKJ - SOUTH EAST (ENGLAND)

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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

## **II.2) Description**



### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 6 - Northern England

Lot No

6

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - NORTH EAST (ENGLAND)
- UKD - NORTH WEST (ENGLAND)

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

SERVICE A – TUBERCULIN TESTING OF BOVINE AND NON-BOVINE ANIMALS: A Fully Managed Service (FMS) for the provision of TB testing services within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE B – ADDITIONAL VETERINARY SERVICES: A FMS for the provision of Additional Veterinary Services (including Cymorth TB in Wales) that are appropriately delivered by local veterinary practices within a specific Geographical Region; SERVICE C – EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES: Provision of critical resource support within GB to enhance the national capability to respond to animal disease outbreaks and other emergencies.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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: Yes

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

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

Notice number: [2020/S 187-452886](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60545

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

North Wales Contract for the Provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A - C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

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Unit 3 Science Park

Aberystwyth

SY23 3AH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

2649828

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £11,031,267

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices

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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60544

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

South Wales Contract for the Provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A-C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Iechyd Da (Gwledig) Limited

PO Box 8, Goresland, North Road

Aberystwyth

ST23 2WB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

8821623

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £27,351,927

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices

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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60539

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Devon & Cornwall Contract for the Provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A-C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Farmcare Devon & Cornwall Limited

Penbode

Holsworthy

EX22 6HB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

07958389

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £41,684,564

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices



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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60538

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Western England Contract for the Provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A-C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Farmcare West Limited

West Hill Barns, West Hill, Evershot

Dorchester

DT2 OLD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

07956885

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £44,352,253

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices

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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60537

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

South & Eastern England Contract for the provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A-

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Farmcare Central Limited

71 Derby Road

Uttoxeter

ST14 8EB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

07668954

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £31,321,265

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices

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

### **Contract No**

ecm\_60536

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Northern England Contract for the Provision of Veterinary Delivery Services A-C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 February 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Farmcare North Limited

Tithe Barn Vet Centre, Kendal Road, Kirby Lonsdale

Carnforth

LA6 2HH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

7955633

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £49,013,233

**V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Veterinary Services will be subcontracted to veterinary practices

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Defra group Commercial

17 Smith Square

London

SW1P 3JR

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Royal Courts of Justice

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Defra group Commercial

17 Smith Square

London

SW1P 3JR

Country

United Kingdom

