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Contract

Purchase of Immediate Critical Spares

Ministry of Defence, Defence Equipment and Support

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-043b2d

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Ministry of Defence, Defence Equipment and Support

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Defence

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Purchase of Immediate Critical Spares

Reference number

709878450

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 35111300 - Fire extinguishers

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Purchase of critical spares.

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: £959,418.85

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- FR - France

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Provision of critical spares via an immediate purchase.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

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:

It is considered that the award of the contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the UK e-notification service (in accordance with the relevant legislation) is lawful in accordance with regulation 16(1)(a)(ii) of the Defence and Security Public Contracts Regulations 2011 for technical reasons.

On the basis that the Authority has insufficient rights to pass the necessary data and information to undertake the requirement to third parties and that only the Contractor as Original Equipment Manufacturer and approved Design Organisation the purpose of this contract. Which includes but not limited to retaining the full system design, build and integration expertise and knowledge. L'Hotellier possess the relevant technical know-how and ownership of the designs, drawings, and manufacturing data packs. The Contractor is the only company with access to this necessary knowledge this includes the intimate knowledge and understanding of the existing equipment used across multiple Air Defence platforms to provide the necessary services. Furthermore, only the Contractor can provide certification of the safety and interoperability of the equipment and through-life maintenance and calibration work where necessary to the reasonable satisfaction of the Authority.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

709878450

Title

Immediate Purchase of spares

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 January 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

L'hotellier S.A.S

Paris

Country

France

NUTS code

- FR - France

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £959,418.85

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Defence Equipment and Support

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom