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Contract

## **Provision of Online Access to Audit and Accounting Information**

National Audit Office

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02fc99

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

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

National Audit Office

157-197 Buckingham Palace Road

Victoria

SW1W 9SP

#### **Contact**

Central Procurement Team

#### **Email**

[nao.procurement@nao.org.uk](mailto:nao.procurement@nao.org.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 2077987372

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.nao.org.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.nao.org.uk/>

**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**

Other activity

National Audit Office

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Provision of Online Access to Audit and Accounting Information

Reference number

GEN\_21\_48

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

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

Services

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

The National Audit Office (NAO) is the UK's independent public spending watchdog. We support Parliament in holding government to account and we help to improve public services through our high-quality audits. Our staff require access to up to date and accurate information on accounting and auditing throughout their work. We are therefore looking for a provider of online audit and accounting information for staff across the National Audit Office (NAO). The type of information required includes:

- IFRS Standard and Guidance
- UK GAAP standards, reporting and guidance
- Company Reporting
- IPSAS Reporting
- UK Auditing Standards
- Training materials
- News and technical updates

### **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: £275,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

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

Provision of online audit and accounting information for around 450 staff across the National Audit Office (NAO). The type of information required includes:

- IFRS Standard and Guidance
- UK GAAP standards, reporting and guidance
- Company Reporting
- IPSAS Reporting
- UK Auditing Standards
- Training materials
- News and technical updates

Please refer to ITT for more detail.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Questionnaire/ Method Statement / Weighting: 55%

Quality criterion - Name: Demonstration of Solution / Weighting: 15%

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / 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: No

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

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

Notice number: [2021/S 000-029987](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

7 February 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 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**

Croner-i Ltd

The Peninsula, Victoria Place

Manchester

M4 4FB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

10878116

Internet address

[www.croneri.co.uk](http://www.croneri.co.uk)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £275,000

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 February 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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

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

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