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## **Catering services**

MID AND SOUTH ESSEX NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

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## **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

MID AND SOUTH ESSEX NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

Nether Mayne

BASILDON

SS165NL

### **Contact**

Tracey Leforte

### **Email**

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### **Country**

United Kingdom

### **Region code**

UKH37 - Essex Thames Gateway

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.mse.nhs.uk/>

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Catering services

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 55320000 - Meal-serving services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Extension of the current contract(s) for a further 1 year to allow for the continued provision of catering services to Southend University Hospital (Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust), including the extension of the Steamplicity offering at Basildon and Broomfield Hospitals (Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust)

**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: £3,619,951

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

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

- 39222000 - Catering supplies

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

NUTS codes

- UKH3 - Essex

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

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#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **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:

The Trust relies on the ground set out within Regulation 32(2)(b)(ii) (Use of the negotiated procedure without prior publication) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015. Following the formation of the Mid and South Essex NHS Foundation Trust, the Trust are carrying out a significant restructuring process. The Trust has therefore concluded that a period of stability is required in its catering services, to ensure that this critical service can continue to be delivered with the same personnel and processes in place, until such time as the major change programme is completed. A change of catering supplier at this stage would introduce significant risk, at a time when there are already substantial projects (each with their own significant risks) under way.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 September 2022

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

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

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

COMPASS CONTRACT SERVICES (UK) LIMITED t/a MEDIREST

Parklands Court, 24 Parklands, Birmingham

Great Park, Rubery, Birmingham

B45 9PZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

National registration number: 2114954

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £3,619,951

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom