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Contract

## **F AE-20-011 Portable Staging**

the Education Authority

F20: Modification notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-007369

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e84c

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

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

the Education Authority

40 Academy Street

Belfast

BT1 2NQ

#### **Email**

[equipment.procure@eani.org.uk](mailto:equipment.procure@eani.org.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Buyer's address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

FAE-20-011 Portable Staging

Reference number

FAE-20-011

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

- 39151000 - Miscellaneous furniture

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

Supplies

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

Supply and Delivery of Portable Staging to schools and other EA locations within Northern Ireland on a call off as required basis.

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

Duration in months

60

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

#### **IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract**

Notice number: [2020/S 237-586886](#)

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

### **Contract No**

FAE-20-011

### **Title**

Portable Staging

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

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

28 November 2020

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

The contract/concession has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Hoseforma Staging T/A Stage Systems

COALVILLE

Email

[sasha.baird@stagesystems.co.uk](mailto:sasha.baird@stagesystems.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

ALBANY DMS LIMITED

Newtownabbey

Email

[vincent@albanydms.com](mailto:vincent@albanydms.com)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

**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: £90,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

The UK does not currently have any such bodies with responsibilities for appeal/mediation procedures

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

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## **Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession**

### **VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications**

#### **VII.1.1) Main CPV code**

- 39150000 - Miscellaneous furniture and equipment

#### **VII.1.3) Place of performance**

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

#### **VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:**

Supply and Delivery of Portable Staging to schools and other EA locations within Northern Ireland on a call off as required basis.

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

Duration in months

60

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£90,000

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

HOSEFORMA STAGING LIMITED

COALVILLE

Email

[sasha.baird@stagesystems.co.uk](mailto:sasha.baird@stagesystems.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

ALBANY DMS LIMITED

26 Mallusk Road

Newtownabbey

Email

[vincent@albanydms.com](mailto:vincent@albanydms.com)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

## **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):

This opportunity/framework agreement was originally advertised in a Contract Notice (2020/S 124-305197). A Contract Award Notice (2020/S 237-586886) was also subsequently published. In August 2024, a modification notice (2024/S 000-025554) was published to extend the duration of the Framework Agreement by 6 months with the option to extend by a further 6 month period.

This Modification to the Framework Agreement is being made to include provision of an additional £90,000 GBP value which is 50% of the original maximum value of £180,000 GBP.

### **VII.2.2) Reasons for modification**

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

This modification was previously detailed in the VEAT notice (2024/S 000-041307), the modification has become necessary and is permitted by Regulation 72(1)(c) of The Public Contracts Regulations 2015. Namely, the following conditions have been fulfilled:

(i) the need for modification has been brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority could not have foreseen;

Additional materiality is necessary to ensure ongoing service provision and to facilitate the procurement of additional requirements until the commencement of a new arrangement is in place. The EA have utilised the final (permissible) 6 month extension period (noted



above) to enable this new procurement to be concluded, however, a rise in demand on the Framework in late 2024 which was not foreseen has meant that additional materiality is required under the Framework to ensure ongoing delivery of supplies whilst internal staff finalise the tender documents.

(ii) the modification does not alter the overall nature of the contract;

The nature of the Framework Agreement is not being amended.

(iii) any increase in price does not exceed 50% of the value of the original contract or framework agreement.

The upper estimate of the original Framework Agreement was £180,000 GBP, this modification will include for the provision of an additional £90,000 which is 50% of the original maximum value of £180,000. This does not exceed 50% of the value of the

Framework. The new total value of the Framework Agreement would be £270,000. It is envisaged that not all this value will be required, however, additional contingency has been included for any unknown requirements during the remainder of the Framework 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: £180,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £270,000