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Contract

YPO - 001263 Sand & Water Play

YPO

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Wakefield

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKE45 - Wakefield

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.ypo.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register?ReadForm>

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

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

YPO - 001263 Sand & Water Play

Reference number

001263

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 37000000 - Musical instruments, sport goods, games, toys, handicraft, art materials and accessories

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

YPO are looking for Providers to be appointed onto a Framework Agreement for the provision of Sand and Water Play for use primarily in the education market. This Framework is designed to meet the needs of YPO by establishing an agreement for Providers to deliver stock into YPO's distribution centre in Wakefield, West Yorkshire and for Providers to deliver to YPO customers on a direct basis whereby the end customer places the order with YPO and YPO places the order with the Provider, but the Provider delivers direct to the end customer.

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: £2,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Sand & Water Trays – YPO Stock

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37520000 - Toys
- 37535270 - Playground sandboxes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 is for the provision of sand and water tray items to be delivered into YPO's distribution

centre in Wakefield.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value /Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 01st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the Framework period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the Framework to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum Framework period will therefore be 4 years, from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

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.2.14) Additional information

A size tolerance of 5% will be accepted for the tray size only in all lines in this Lot

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Sand & Water Toys – YPO Stock

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37520000 - Toys
- 37535270 - Playground sandboxes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 2 is for the provision of sand and water toys to be delivered into YPO's distribution centre in Wakefield.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value /Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 01st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the Framework period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the Framework to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum Framework period will therefore be 4 years, from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

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

Sand & Water Trays – Direct Delivery

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37520000 - Toys
- 37535270 - Playground sandboxes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 3 is for the provision of sand and water tray items to be ordered by YPO but delivered directly to the end user.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value /Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 01st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the Framework period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the Framework to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum Framework period will therefore be 4 years, from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

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.2.14) Additional information

A size tolerance of 5% will be accepted for the tray size only in all lines in this Lot

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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: [2024/S 000-033659](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

001263

Lot No

1

Title

Lot 1 - Sand & Water Trays – YPO Stock

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 January 2025

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

EDX Education Co Ltd

9F, 39 Sec 2 Dun Hua S. Rd

Taiwan

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

001263

Lot No

2

Title

Sand & Water Toys – YPO Stock

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 January 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Gamez Galore Ltd

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

EDX Education Co Ltd

9F, 39 Sec 2 Dun Hua S. Rd

Taiwan

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Cicada Education

Cuffley

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

001263

Lot No

3

Title

Sand & Water Trays – Direct Delivery

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 January 2025

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

Cicada Education

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

YPO are purchasing on the behalf of other contracting authorities. Please see the below link for

details: <https://www.ypo.co.uk/about/customers/missible-users> .

YPO will incorporate a standstill period at the point of notification of the award of the contract is

provided to all bidders. The standstill period will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, and

provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is

entered into. The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been

harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England,

Wales and Northern Ireland).

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom

