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Award

Maintenance and support of the cloned data messaging solution and integration with the encompass programme

encompass

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-044722

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

encompass

BELFAST

Email

encompass.contracts@hscni.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKN0 - Northern Ireland

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://online.hscni.net/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Maintenance and support of the cloned data messaging solution and integration with the encompass programme

Reference number

DAC12170

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72250000 - System and support services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

HSC Business Services Organisation intends to enter into an agreement for maintenance and support of the cloned data messaging solution and integration for the encompass programme.

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: £82,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48100000 - Industry specific software package

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Maintenance and support of the cloned data messaging solution and integration for the encompass programme.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The DAC can be extended by a period of one year at the discretion of the contracting authority.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

This service is only available from the existing integration broker. As the incumbent Integration broker for NIECR only IUVO Ltd have the ability to provide the data and technical expertise to provide the data in the format currently presented to NIECR and subsequently encompass. There is a requirement for encompass to mimic this functionality within Epic and alternatives do not exist with another provider to be able to provide the functionality of the Messaging Solution to ensure existing robust processes are maintained.

IUVO Ltd is the only broker in use for this purpose regionally and therefore this DAC is being justified for technical reasons under Regulation 32(2)(b) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 as only the supplier of these facilities.

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/concession

Contract No

DAC12170

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 March 2024

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

IUVO Ltd

Redditch

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG1 - Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Warwickshire

Companies House

03533792

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: £82,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Business Services Organisation

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom