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Contract

# **INVITATION TO TENDER FOR NATIONAL FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SAFE AND WELL EQUIPMENT**

West Midlands Fire Service

F03: Contract award notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

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Main address

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

INVITATION TO TENDER FOR NATIONAL FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SAFE AND WELL EQUIPMENT

Reference number

C002971

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 39512000 - Bed linen

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

Supplies

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

Vulnerable people such as the elderly benefit from Safe and Well visits carried out by UK Fire and Rescue Services and Safe and Well Equipment is supplied. This Framework Agreement is for the supply of Safe and Well Equipment to include but not limited to Fire Retardant bedding, throws, blankets, nightwear, home safety and security equipment to protect from arson, FR rubber mats and personal protection systems. The framework is designed to meet the needs of UK Fire and Rescue Services (FRS's) for use in residential premises. Through the establishment of this framework agreement all UK FRS's will have the capability to place direct call off orders and run further competitions with the winning suppliers. A directory listing potential Fire and Rescue customers can be located on the National Fire Chiefs Council (NFCC) homepage at: [https://www.nationalfirechiefs.org.uk/Fire-and-Rescue-Services FRS's](https://www.nationalfirechiefs.org.uk/Fire-and-Rescue-Services-FRS's) can then be located through a postcode or region search or alphabetically.

### **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: £4,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Fire Retardant Bedding

Lot No

1

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

- 19200000 - Textile fabrics and related items
- 39511100 - Blankets
- 39512000 - Bed linen

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Supply and delivery of Fire Retardant Bedding, Mattress Toppers, Throws and Blankets

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to Specification and Quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 35

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Clothing

Lot No

2

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

- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 19200000 - Textile fabrics and related items
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Supply and delivery of women's and men's pyjamas and nightgowns. Also the supply of smoking aprons.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to Specification and Quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 35

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Home Security Equipment

Lot No

3

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

- 35121000 - Security equipment
- 44520000 - Locks, keys and hinges

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Supply and delivery of home security equipment

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to Specification and Quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 35

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Home Safety Equipment

Lot No

4

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

- 39721000 - Domestic cooking or heating equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Supply and delivery of home safety equipment

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to specification and quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 35

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Moveable Personal Protection Systems

Lot No

5

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

- 35111500 - Fire suppression system

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

The supply, installation and maintenance of Moveable Personal Protection Systems. The units must be a stand-alone water misting system with its own detection system that will operate to control and / or extinguish a fire that has started in the area monitored by the detection system. The unit must be capable of being moved from one property to another and reused.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to Specification and quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 35

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

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Rubber Mats

Lot No

6

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

- 19000000 - Leather and textile fabrics, plastic and rubber materials

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Supply and Delivery of Fire Retardant rubber mats

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

Quality criterion - Name: Conformance to specification and quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 35

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

Options: No



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## **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: [2020/S 239-592204](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Fire Retardant Bedding

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Thomas Kneale & co Ltd

Manchester

M1 2NP

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £432,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £432,000

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

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Fire Retardant Bedding

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Gailarde Ltd

Hertfordshire

WD6 1RU

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £432,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £432,000

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

#### **Contract No**

3

#### **Lot No**

2

#### **Title**

Clothing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Able 2 Wear Ltd

Tewkesbury

GL20 8GD

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £53,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £53,000

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

### **Contract No**

4

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Clothing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Thomas Kneale & Co Ltd

Manchester

M1 2NP

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £53,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £53,000

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

#### **Contract No**

5

#### **Lot No**

3

#### **Title**

Home Security Equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Blockabox Limited

Notts

NG210FL

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £107,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £107,000



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

### **Contract No**

6

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Home Security Equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Solon Security Limited

Flintshire

CH6 5UY

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £107,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £107,000

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

#### **Contract No**

7

#### **Lot No**

5

#### **Title**

Moveable Personal Protection Systems

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

##### **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

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

Surefire Services Limited

Buckinghamshire

HP12 3PS

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

8

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Rubber Mats

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

22 March 2021

#### **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

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

Thomas Kneale & Co Ltd

Manchester

M1 2NP

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)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £72,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £72,000

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

#### **Contract No**

9

#### **Lot No**

4

#### **Title**

Home Safety Equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: No

#### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

West Midlands Fire and Rescue Authority

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#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The authority will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the framework

agreements is communicated to tenderers. The notification will provide full information on the award decision.

The standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful tenderers

to challenge the award decision.

**VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

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