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Award

Support & Maintenance of the Niche Police Records Management System

Police & Crime Commissioner for South Wales

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0448b8

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Police & Crime Commissioner for South Wales

Police Headquarters, Cowbridge Road

Bridgend

CF31 3SU

Email

swp-procurement@south-wales.police.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.south-wales.police.uk>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Public order and safety

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Support & Maintenance of the Niche Police Records Management System

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72267000 - Software maintenance and repair services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Support & Maintenance of the Niche Police Records Management System. The contract covers the requirements for South Wales Police and Gwent Police.

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: £2,227,073

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72267000 - Software maintenance and repair services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Support & Maintenance of the Niche Police Records Management System. The contract covers the requirements for South Wales Police and Gwent Police.

The contract will be for a three year period.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reasons:

Reg 32.2(b)(ii) -competition is absent for technical reasons

Reg 32.2(b)(ii) - The protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights.

Due to propriety licenses , only the software manufacturer can provide the support and maintenance required.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

14 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

Niche Technology UK Limited

co Azets, Wynyard Park House, Wynyard Avenue, Wynyard

Stockton on Tees

TS22 5TB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC11 - Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £2,227,073

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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