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# **Security Guarding Services in Russian Network**

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

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# Section I: Contracting authority/entity

## I.1) Name and addresses

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### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

### Internet address(es)

Main address

### www.gov.uk/fcdo

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

### I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Security Guarding Services in Russian Network

Reference number

1751-2017

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79713000 - Guard services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

### II.1.4) Short description

A 12-month out of scope extension of security guarding services in Russian Network contract which will expire on 30/09/2023.

Due to the conflict between Russia and Ukraine, Post is now considered an unfriendly state by the Russian government, making it almost impossible to run a procurement process as there are limited organisations willing to conduct business with Post/meet our requirements. Post has sought and approval granted to extend the current security contact for a further year (subject to Nortel's agreement).

### 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: £300,000

# II.2) Description

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

A 12-month out of scope extension of security guarding services in Russian Network contract which will expire on 30/09/2023.

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Criterion: Technical 60

Criterion: Commercial 40

### 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:

Extension awarded to current supplier to allow for FCDO to produce a tender under the current conflict situation in Russia.

### 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

#### Contract No

1751-2017

### **Title**

Security Guarding Services in Russian Network

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

30 March 2022

### 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

Nortel Security LLC Moscow 123056 Country Russia **NUTS** code • RU - Russia The contractor/concessionaire is an SME Yes V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT) Lowest offer: £300,000 / Highest offer: £300,000 taken into consideration V.2.5) Information about subcontracting The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted **Section VI. Complementary information** VI.3) Additional information Extension awarded to current supplier to allow for FCDO to produce a tender under the current conflict situation in Russia. VI.4) Procedures for review VI.4.1) Review body Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office London Country

**United Kingdom**