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Contract

ICT-21-008 Online School to Home Engagement Software Tool for Nursery and Primary Pupils

Education Authority

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-008739

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02927f

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Education Authority

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Buyer's address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

ICT-21-008 Online School to Home Engagement Software Tool for Nursery and Primary Pupils

Reference number

ICT-21-008 / Resource ID 3376155

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The EA invites tenders for an Online School to Home Engagement Software Tool for Nursery and Primary Pupils within individual nursery and primary school educational establishments within the Education Authority for 12 months from the Software Tool activation date. The administrating office for this tender, on behalf of the EA, will be Belfast.

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: £1,032,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48190000 - Educational software package

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

with options, subject to business case approval and funding, to extend for a further 3 periods of 12 months

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

Open procedure

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

Title

Contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

13 April 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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DIGITAL HOUSE STOURPORT ROAD

KIDDERMINSTER

DY11 7QH

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danny@j2e.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,032,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not currently have any such bodies with responsibilities for appeal/mediation procedures

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Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Education Authority incorporated a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract was communicated to tenderers. That notification provided full information on the award decision. The standstill period, which was for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provided time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before any contracts were entered into.