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Contract

Private Ambulance Service Elit

EAST MIDLANDS AMBULANCE SERVICE NHS TRUST

F20: Modification notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-008865

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04ead4

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

EAST MIDLANDS AMBULANCE SERVICE NHS TRUST

Trust Headquarters, 1 Horizon Place, Mellors Way, Nottingham Business Park

Nottingham

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Contact

Samuel Rudd

Email

samuel.rudd@nottshc.nhs.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKF14 - Nottingham

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.emas.nhs.uk

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Private Ambulance Service Elit

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

The Third-Party Supplier will be required to provide Accident & Emergency and Urgent ambulance service to patients requiring 999 calls.

East Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Trust are intending to award a contract to an existing process following direct award process C under the Provider Selection Regime regulations 2024.

The contract will commence 1st April 2025 and end on 31/03/2026. The approximate lifetime value of this contract is £10,080,900

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Start date

1 April 2025

End date

31 March 2026

Section IV. Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract

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Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

C345164

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

7 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Elite Medical and Ambulance Service Ltd

Unit 51 The Granary Business Centre Broad Farm Hellingly East Sussex

Hailsham

BN27 4DU

Email

steve.petter@elitemedical.uk

Telephone

+44 1323846399

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £10,080,900

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period.

Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by 20/03/2025. This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR.

Written representations should be sent to samuel.rudd@nottshc.nhs.uk

Award decision makers:

East Midlands Ambulance NHS Trust Board

No Conflicts of Interest Identified.

Integration, collaboration and service sustainability; quality and innovation; improving access, and value were viewed as the most important of the key criteria due to the nature of the services provided. Social value was also considered within the assessment.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 85100000 - Health services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

Provision of Private Ambulance Services (PAS) Emergency crews to respond to 999 calls, as directed by East Midlands Ambulance Service Control Room.

VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Start date

1 April 2025

End date

31 March 2026

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£10,080,900

VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Elite EMS Ltd

Unit 21 Darwell Park, Mica Close

Tamworth

B77 4DR

Email

tenders@eliteems.com

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

The incorrect supplier was chosen on Atamis.

Just to clarify that the Trust is intending on awarding a contract to Elite Emergency Medical Services Ltd (Company Number: 14675407) against Provider Selection Regime (PSR 2023) under Direct Award Process C.

This modification is to change the supplier from Elite Medical and Ambulance Services Ltd to Elite Emergency Medical Services (Elite EMS) Ltd.

This supplier is currently in contract with East Midlands Ambulance Service NHS Trust and the criteria against the Direct Award Process C has been applied with justifications.

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

The wrong supplier was incorrectly chosen on Atamis, due to there being 2 Elite Ambulance Providers with very similar names being on the supplier database.

Furthermore, an issue with the publishing from Atamis to Find a Tender has resulted in multiple of the same notices being published.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £10,080,900

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £10,080,900