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Contract

## **The Provision of Apprenticeship Training to Soldiers of the British Army through Service Provider Contracts under the Army Apprenticeship Programme Tranche 3.**

Ministry of Defence

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

Ministry of Defence

Army Headquarters, Marlborough Lines, Monxton Road

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SP11 8HJ

#### **Email**

[armycomrcl-procure-aap-mailbox@mod.gov.uk](mailto:armycomrcl-procure-aap-mailbox@mod.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.contracts.mod.uk>

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

Defence

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

The Provision of Apprenticeship Training to Soldiers of the British Army through Service Provider Contracts under the Army Apprenticeship Programme Tranche 3.

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

Services

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

This contract is for the provision of a supplier to deliver Apprenticeships to Service Personnel of The Royal Armoured Corps (RAC) and The Royal Army Veterinary Corps (RAVC).

The Army Apprenticeship Programme (AAP) delivers apprenticeship training to Soldiers of the British Army. The Authority is seeking Service Providers to support delivery of the apprenticeship to the AGC and RMP. The Contract duration will be 6 years from 01 August

2025 (Subject to continued provision of apprenticeship levy or Education & Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) funding).

### **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: £10,234,622.78

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Strategic Overview / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Curriculum Planning and Management / Weighting: 15

Cost criterion - Name: 3a.Apprentice Management, Support and Engagement – onboarding

3b, Apprentice Management, Support and Engagement – on programme 3c.Apprentice Management, Support and Engagement – pre and post Gateway / Weighting: 45

Cost criterion - Name: Delivering the Requirement / Weighting: 8

Cost criterion - Name: Administration, Data Handling and Compliance / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Leadership and Management / Weighting: 8

Cost criterion - Name: Quality Assurance and Continuous Improvement and Governance and Communications / Weighting: 23

Cost criterion - Name: Contract Transition / Weighting: 4

Cost criterion - Name: Scenario / Weighting: 12

Cost criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 16

### **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

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## **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**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-027578](#)

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

### **Contract No**

711407450

### **Title**

The Delivery of Apprenticeships to The Royal Armoured Corps (RAC) and The Royal Army Veterinary Corps (RAVC)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

11 March 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 4

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

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

TQ Education and Training Ltd

80 Strand Street

London

WC2R 0RL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £10,234,622.78

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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