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Contract

## **Accessibility Guide Service (Concession)**

VisitScotland

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-042949

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

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

VisitScotland

Waverley Court, 4 East Market Street

Edinburgh

EH8 8BG

#### **Email**

[eileen.oneill@visitscotland.com](mailto:eileen.oneill@visitscotland.com)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1314722222

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.visitscotland.org>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00118](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00118)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Marketing/Tourism

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Accessibility Guide Service (Concession)

Reference number

VSEH23029

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

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

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

Services

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

VisitScotland is seeking a partnership with an accessibility specialist who can provide an established complete Access Guide production service for the tourism industry. The supplier will supply the above service without subsidy from VisitScotland

#### **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: £280,000

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

All Scotland

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

VisitScotland has appointed an accessibility specialist who can provide an established complete Access Guide production service for the tourism industry. The supplier will supply the above service without subsidy from VisitScotland

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 75

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 25

#### **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: [2023/S 000-037724](#)

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

### **Contract No**

VSEH23029

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

19 March 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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: 1

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

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

AccessAble

18-20 High Street

Stevenage

SG1 3EJ

Telephone

+44 1438842710

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £280,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

(SC Ref:761896)

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

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

Edinburgh Sheriff Court

17 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

Country

United Kingdom