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Contract

## **Divisional Joined Due Diligence (SIETF/EETF/GGA/JTF)**

Scottish Government

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

Scottish Government

4 Atlantic Quay, 70 York St

Glasgow

G2 8EA

#### **Email**

[william.maclean@gov.scot](mailto:william.maclean@gov.scot)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1412420133

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.scotland.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10482](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10482)

**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**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Divisional Joined Due Diligence (SIETF/EETF/GGA/JTF)

Reference number

CASE/611647

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

- 66171000 - Financial consultancy services

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

Services

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

The Scottish Government has a requirement to place a contract with an external service provider for the provision of Divisional Joined Due Diligence (SIETF/EETF/GGA/JTF).

All Projects seeking capital funding will be subject to a robust evaluation process prior to due diligence. The independent due diligence process is a vital element of the evaluation process for capital support and will include detailed financial, commercial and technical checks and verification.

The level of due diligence required will be based on the scale and complexity of the project. The four levels of due diligence required are.

Level 1 - Financial Due Diligence Only

Level 2 - Technical Due Diligence Only

Level 3 - Financial Due Diligence and Technical Due Diligence

Level 4 - Full Due Diligence

The contract will be for a period of 36 months with the option to extend for an additional 12 months.

#### **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: £1,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 66171000 - Financial consultancy services

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

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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: [2022/S 000-035118](#)

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

### **Contract No**

CASE/611647

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

27 March 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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: 0

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

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

Ernst & Young LLP (EY)

G1 Building, 5 George Square

Glasgow

G2 1DY

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: £1,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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

Edinburgh Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom