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Contract

Delivery Partner for Growing Brixton's Rec Quarter – 49 Brixton Station Road and 6 Canterbury Crescent

London Borough of Lambeth

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-010147

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02a25a

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

London Borough of Lambeth

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United Kingdom

Region code

UKI45 - Lambeth

National registration number

n/a

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.lambeth.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/18

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Delivery Partner for Growing Brixton's Rec Quarter – 49 Brixton Station Road and 6 Canterbury Crescent

Reference number

43828

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45000000 - Construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

The Council entered into a deed of variation with London Square Developments Limited (the Developer) and London Square Limited (the Guarantor) in relation to an existing development agreement between the parties (the Underlying Contract) which was entered into on 28 September 2022 to ensure the viability and deliverability of the scheme under the Underlying Contract. The key variations comprise a reduction in the minimum level of commercial workspace required in alignment with Local Plan policy for mixed-use regeneration schemes, a reduction in minimum affordable housing levels from 50% to 40% and a reduction in the Council's land receipt in line with revised financial modelling and which represents best consideration in today's market.

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: £161,978,600

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 70000000 Real estate services
- 70100000 Real estate services with own property

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKI45 - Lambeth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Council entered into a deed of variation with the Developer and the Guarantor in relation to an existing development agreement between the parties (the Underlying Contract) to address changing circumstances since the Underlying Contract was entered into in accordance with Reg. 72 of the PCR15. The location, duration and nature of the works remains broadly the same, still delivering new build housing, workspace, street market facilities and public realm improvements subject to a reduction in minimum affordable housing levels to 40% and a reduction in the minimum required level of workspace reprovision in alignment with Local Plan policy for mixed-use regeneration schemes. The Council has received commercial advice to review the updated financial appraisals and ensure that the costs and revenues are commercially reasonable, reflective of the wider market and represent best consideration for the Council

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

II.2.14) Additional information

The Council has entered into a deed of variation in relation to an existing development agreement in accordance with Reg. 72 of the PCR15. In accordance with Reg. 92 to 104 of the PCR15 the Authority has observed a 10 day standstill period starting from the date of the VTN publication. A modification notice was also published in relation to this Deed of Variation on 19/02/2025(2025/S 000-006029).

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

• The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

A procurement procedure is not necessary on the basis that the award of the contract (the Deed of Variation) is permitted pursuant to regulation 72(1)(c) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015. The need for modification has been brought about by significant domestic and international economic turbulence, including substantial build cost inflation, rises in UK interest rates and ongoing shifts in how businesses use and occupy workspace post-covid together with the implementation of legislative and regulatory changes with respect to Building Safety . The overall scheme remains broadly the same in nature delivering new build housing, workspace, street market facilities and public realm improvements. The Council has received commercial advice to review the updated financial appraisals and ensure that the costs and revenues are commercially reasonable, reflective of the wider market and represent best consideration for the Council. The Developer's percentage return has reduced. Moreover, the variation is also not substantial within the meaning of regulation 72(1)(e) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Title

Growing Brixton's Rec Quarter – 49 Brixton Station Road and 6 Canterbury Crescent

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

19 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

London Square Developments

One York Road, Uxbridge, Middlesex, UB8 1RN Middlesex

London

UB8 1RN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKI74 - Harrow and Hillingdon

National registration number

974992059

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £161,978,600

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

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The High Court

United Kingdom

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

The High Court

United Kingdom

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Pursuant to the Procurement Act 2023 (Commencement No. 3 and Transitional and Saving

Provisions) Regulations 2024 the Contracting Authority will conduct itself in accordance with

the Public Contracts Regulations 2015

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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