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Contract

Project Asurvey Phase 2

Air Commercial

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044e53

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Air Commercial

High Wycombe

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.contracts.mod.gov.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Defence

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50210000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to aircraft and other equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

An automated aircraft inspection capability, for the RAF's Poseidon MRA-Mk1 (P8-A), enabling fast, accurate and detailed damage mapping of external airframe damage.

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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: £249,600

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

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

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:

N/A

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

71096750

Lot No

n/A

Title

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

14 March 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 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

Donecle

Toulouse

Country

France

NUTS code

- FR - France

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £249,600

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Air Commercial

High Wycombe

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Air Commercial

High Wycombe

Country

United Kingdom

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

Air Commercial

High Wycombe

Country

United Kingdom