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Contract

CAA Economic Consultancy Services Framework Agreement

Civil Aviation Authority

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-010881

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04c148

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

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Main address

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Buyer's address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

UK Aviation Regulator

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

UK Aviation Regulator

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

CAA Economic Consultancy Services Framework Agreement

Reference number

3634

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 66171000 - Financial consultancy services

- RB04 For competition economics
- RB05 For regulatory economics
- RB17 For economic forecasting
- RB20 For market economics

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Framework Agreement for the provision of Economic Consultancy Services

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £10,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Economic & Competition Issues

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 66171000 Financial consultancy services
 - RB14 For monetary economics
 - RB04 For competition economics
 - RB05 For regulatory economics
 - RB17 For economic forecasting
 - RB20 For market economics

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Consultancy advice for Economic & Competition Issues

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Mandatory service requirements / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Specialisms by Lot / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Proposed Approach / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Supplier Experience / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Conflict of Interest / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Performance Management / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 100

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Regulatory Finance Advice

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 66171000 Financial consultancy services
 - RB14 For monetary economics
 - RB04 For competition economics
 - RB05 For regulatory economics
 - RB17 For economic forecasting
 - RB20 For market economics

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Consultancy Advice on all aspects of Regulatory Finance and Accounting

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Mandatory service requirements / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Specialisms by Lot / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Proposed Approach / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Supplier Experience / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Conflict of Interest / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Performance Management / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 100

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Technical Economic Consultancy Advice

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72221000 Business analysis consultancy services
 - RB04 For competition economics
 - RB05 For regulatory economics
 - RB17 For economic forecasting
 - RB20 For market economics
 - RB21 For planned economics

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Technical Economic Consultancy Advice on topics such as business plan review

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Mandatory service requirements / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Specialisms by Lot / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Proposed Approach / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Supplier Experience / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Conflict of Interest / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Performance Management / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 100

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

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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 000-038663

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

Lot No

1

Title

Economic & Competition Issues

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 14

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Grant Thornton UK LLP

30 Finsbury Square

London

EC2A 1AG Country **United Kingdom NUTS** code • UK - United Kingdom National registration number OC307742 The contractor is an SME No V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor Steer Group Limited 14-21 Rushworth Street London SE10RB Country **United Kingdom NUTS** code • UK - United Kingdom National registration number 1883830 The contractor is an SME No V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Deloitte LLP
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NUTS code
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National registration number
OC 303675
The contractor is an SME
No
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The contractor is an SME Yes V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor European Economic Research Ltd 1st Floor 330 High Holborn London WC1V7QH Country **United Kingdom NUTS** code • UK - United Kingdom National registration number 3477100 The contractor is an SME Yes V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor Helios Technology Limited t/a Egis 29 Hercules Way, Aerospace Boulevard, AeroPark Farnborough **GU14 6UU** Country **United Kingdom**

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom National registration number 3257217 The contractor is an SME Yes V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor First Economics Ltd 72a Belgrave Court, Westferry Circus London E14 8RL Country **United Kingdom NUTS** code • UK - United Kingdom National registration number 5075274 The contractor is an SME Yes V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor FTI Consulting LLP 4th Floor, 200 Aldersgate London EC1A 4HD

Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
OC372614
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
DotEcon Limited
17 Welbeck Street
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W1G 9XJ
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
3783016
The contractor is an SME
Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Baringa Partners LLP

62 Buckingham Gate
London
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Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
OC303471
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)
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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 14

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PA Consulting Services Limited

10 Bressenden Place

London

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Country

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• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

414220

The contractor is an SME

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

NERA UK Limited

The St Botolph Building, 138 Houndsditch

London

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

3974527

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Frontier Economics Ltd

65 Clifton Street

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EC2A 4JE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

3752719

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Flint Global Ltd

The Harley Building, 77-79 New Cavendish Street

London

W1W 6XB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

9766786

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

3

Lot No

2

Title

Regulatory Finance Advice

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

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: 14

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

CEPA LLP

Queens House, 55-56 Lincoln's Inn Fields

London

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UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
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The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
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29 Hercules Way, Aerospace Boulevard, AeroPark
Farnborough
GU14 6UU
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
3257217
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Grant Thornton UK LLP
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NUTS code
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National registration number
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The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
PA Consulting Services Limited
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London
SW1E 5DN
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
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The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Baringa Partners LLP
62 Buckingham Gate
London
SW1E 6AJ
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
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National registration number
OC303471
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
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FDAU0095, Compass Building, Al Shohada Road, Al Hamra Industrial Zone-FZ
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50819
Country
United Arab Emirates
NUTS code

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National registration number	
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The contractor is an SME	
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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor	r
Steer Group Limited	
14-21 Rushworth Street	
London	
SE10RB	
Country	
United Kingdom	
NUTS code	
UK - United Kingdom	
National registration number	
1883830	
The contractor is an SME	
No	

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

FTI Consulting LLP

4th Floor, 200 Aldersgate
London
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Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
OC372614
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £3,500,000
Total value of the contract/lot: £3,500,000
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Lot No
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Title
Regulatory Finance Advice
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V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

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: 14

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

First Economics Ltd

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London

E14 8RL

Country

United Kingdom

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National registration number

5075274

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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W1W 6XB

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United Kingdom

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National registration number

9766786

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

European Economic Research Ltd

1st Floor 330 High Holborn

London

WC1V7QH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

3477100

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Deloitte LLP

1, New Street Square

London

EC4A 3HQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

OC 303675

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £3,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,500,000

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Lot No

3

Title

Technical Economic Consultancy Advice

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 12

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 12

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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Helios Technology Limited t/a Egis

29 Hercules Way, Aerospace Boulevard, AeroPark

Farnborough

GU14 6UU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

3257217

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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The contractor is an SME
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National registration number
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The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £4,500,000
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Total value of the contract/lot: £4,500,000
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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 12

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 12

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

European Economic Research Ltd

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Country

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National registration number

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

OC 303675

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £4,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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