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Contract

UK Export Support Services: North West

Department for International Trade

F20: Modification notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b40b

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Department for International Trade

London

Email

commercialbpo@trade.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.uktrade.app.jaggaer.com/

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UK Export Support Services: North West

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79900000 - Miscellaneous business and business-related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

Contract to supply international trade services to UK SMEs in the North West

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Start date

1 April 2021

End date

30 September 2021

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 V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

CR_118

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

31 March 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Chamber Link T/A Business Support Solutions

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £1,529,240

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Department for International Trade

London

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 79900000 - Miscellaneous business and business-related services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

Contract to supply international trade services to UK SMEs in the North West

VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Start date

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End date

30 September 2021

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

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VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

The existing specification of requirements has been amended to extend the term of the contract and to provide additional activity in support of DIT priorities which includes supporting work on FTA, the Parliamentary Export Programme and IF applications.

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire.

Description of the economic or technical reasons and the inconvenience or duplication of cost preventing a change of contractor:

a change of contractor for a 6 month contract would not be financially viable for the new contractor and would have resulted in a significant cost increase to the Authority.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £21,995,823

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £23,525,063