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Contract

## Digital Autopsy Service

City of Doncaster Council  
Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

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## Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

City of Doncaster Council

Civic Office, Waterdale

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#### Country

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

**National registration number**

182338557

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.doncaster.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/104514>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council

Riverside House, Main Street

Rotherham

S60 1AE

**Email**

[Procurement.Corporate@rotherham.gov.uk](mailto:Procurement.Corporate@rotherham.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.rotherham.gov.uk/>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Digital Autopsy Service

Reference number

92970

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

- 85111800 - Pathology services

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

Services

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

The City of Doncaster Council ( “the council”) invites tenders to deliver an effective, efficient, safe and secure digital autopsy service (“the Service”) to the Senior Coroner for South Yorkshire (East District) (“the coroner”) to cover the areas of Doncaster and Rotherham.

It is anticipated that the contract will commence on 1st May 2025 and run for a period of 3 years until 30th April 2028. There is also an option to extend the contract by a further 12 months at the sole discretion of the council.

#### **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: £1,918,120

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 85121200 - Medical specialist services

- 85150000 - Medical imaging services

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

NUTS codes

- UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **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: [2025/S 000-000563](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Title**

Digital Autopsy Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

27 March 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Advanced Visualisation Technologies Limited T/A Digital Autopsy UK

30 Watery Street

Sheffield

S3 7ES

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

National registration number

14330765

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: £1,480,000

Lowest offer: £1,918,120 / Highest offer: £2,256,544 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

City of Doncaster Council

Civic Office, Waterdale

Doncaster

DN1 3BU

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Council will incorporate a minimum of 10 calendar day stand still period at the point when the information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI20105/102) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales, Northern Ireland).

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

City of Doncaster Council

Civic Office, Waterdale

Doncaster

DN1 3BU

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United Kingdom