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Tender

### **Hire of Aircraft and Pilots**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs

Buyer's address

https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome

### I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

### I.5) Main activity

Environment

## **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Hire of Aircraft and Pilots

Reference number

C17135

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 60424100 - Hire of aircraft with crew

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The primary tasks of the required survey aircraft are terrestrial mapping to be carried out between 1,500 and 10,000 feet throughout the UK

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £6,105,100

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

• 60424100 - Hire of aircraft with crew

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

The primary tasks of the required survey aircraft are terrestrial mapping to be carried out between 1,500 and 10,000 feet throughout the UK

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

Start date

8 October 2023

End date

7 October 2028

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial contract term shall be 3-years with the potential for  $2 \times 12$ -month extension periods (3+1+1).

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### 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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### 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: No

### IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

9 June 2023

Local time

12:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

#### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 7 October 2023

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

3 May 2023

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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