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Contract

Supply of Electrical Testing Services Y23003

Kent County Council (t/a KCS Procurement Services)

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

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Buyer's address

<http://www.commercialservices.org.uk>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of Electrical Testing Services Y23003

Reference number

DN641073

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71314100 - Electrical services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Framework Agreement will be split into 3 LOTs:

LOT 1 – Portable Appliance Testing (PAT)

A portable appliance is an item of electrical equipment which is connected to the power supply with a flex and a plug. This includes computers and their components. Testing engineers will inspect, test and certify all portable appliances, as covered by the Institute of Electrical Engineers (IEE) Code of Practice, and provide advice as to their condition and safety. A written report and test certificate will be provided as evidence that the portable appliances have had a combined inspection and electrical safety test.

LOT 2 – Fixed Installation Testing (FIT)

A fixed electrical installation includes all parts of a distribution system from the main incoming supply point through to wiring accessories such as sockets and light fittings. Engineers are looking to identify any potentially dangerous defects within the system that may lead to fire or injury. The benchmark for this inspection and test process is BS 7671 (The IEE Wiring Regulations) which provides guidance on how systems must be designed, installed and maintained. After an initial visual inspection, several electronic tests are carried out by injecting test voltages and current through the system to determine the integrity and functionality of cables, accessories and disconnection devices. This form of test and inspection is paramount to safety in the workplace. A written Periodic Inspection Report will be provided as evidence that the fixed installations have had a

combined inspection and electrical safety test. In addition to details and characteristics of the installation that has been tested the report will also provide the client with a list of any defects or deviations from the British Standard that may have been identified during testing.

LOT 3 – Electrical Testing of Street Lighting and Street Furniture

Each street lighting asset, illuminated signs/bollards and similar street furniture that requires electrical testing will have the following tests carried out and the results recorded in electronic format;

- Visual inspection to establish the condition of all electrical components, fixings, wiring and terminations, and integrity of the column door and surround;
- Verification of correct rating of protective device, continuity of protective conductors and earth bonding;
- Insulation resistance between live/earth and neutral/earth with assembly wiring disconnected;
- Earth fault loop impedance at District Network Operator supply cut-out;
- Capacitance Test shall be carried out and the results of measured values recorded against stated values.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Lowest offer: £0.1 / Highest offer: £10,000,000 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Portable Appliance Testing (PAT)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71314100 - Electrical services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

A portable appliance is an item of electrical equipment which is connected to the power supply with a flex and a plug. This includes computers and their components. Testing engineers will inspect, test and certify all your portable appliances, as covered by the Institute of Electrical Engineers (IEE) Code of Practice, and provide advice as to their condition and safety. A written report and test certificate will be provided as evidence that the portable appliances have had a combined inspection and electrical safety test.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Delivering the Framework Agreement / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Service and Account Management / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Accreditations and Industry Standards / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

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

Fixed Installation Testing (FIT)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71314100 - Electrical services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

A fixed electrical installation includes all parts of a distribution system from the main incoming supply point through to wiring accessories such as sockets and light fittings, and everything in between. The process of FIT involves a similar process to that of PAT in that a thorough visual inspection is carried out along with electronic tests. Engineers need to look at identifying any potentially dangerous defects within the system that may lead to fire or injury. The benchmark for this inspection and test process is BS 7671 (The IEE Wiring Regulations) which provides guidance on how systems must be designed, installed and maintained. After an initial visual inspection, several electronic tests will need to be carried out by injecting test voltages and current through the system to determine the integrity and functionality of cables, accessories and disconnection devices. This form of test and inspection is paramount to safety in the workplace. A written Periodic Inspection Report will need to be provided as evidence that the fixed installations have had a combined inspection and electrical safety test. In addition to details and characteristics of the installation that has been tested the report will also need to provide the client with a list of any defects or deviations from the British Standard that may have been identified during testing.

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Lot No

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II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71314100 - Electrical services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Each street lighting asset, illuminated signs/bollards and similar street furniture that requires electrical testing will need to have as a minimum the following tests carried out and the results recorded in electronic format;

- Visual inspection to establish the condition of all electrical components, fixings, wiring and terminations, and integrity of the column door and surround;
- Verification of correct rating of protective device, continuity of protective conductors and earth bonding;
- Insulation resistance between live/earth and neutral/earth with assembly wiring disconnected;
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- Capacitance Test shall be carried out and the results of measured values recorded

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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: [2022/S 000-031081](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

Y23003

Lot No

1

Title

Portable Appliance Testing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PFL ELECTRICAL LTD

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £0.1 / Highest offer: £3,500,000 taken into consideration

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

JR PAT TESTING LTD

Devon

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AJS LIMITED

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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OPENVIEW SECURITY SOLUTIONS LTD

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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The WIGGETT GROUP LTD

Brentwood

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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FIXATEX LTD

Hertfordshire

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

Y23003

Lot No

2

Title

Fixed Installation Testing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2023

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Number of tenders received: 11

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London

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

NIBLOCK BUILDING CONTRACTORS

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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RGE SERVICES LTD

Essex

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Contract No

Y23003

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Title

Electrical Testing of Street Lighting and Street Furniture

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

20 March 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 7

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: 7

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

RGE SERVICES LTD

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

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J MCCANN LTD

Nottingham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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Lowest offer: £0.1 / Highest offer: £3,000,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Commercial Services Kent Limited

1 Abbey Wood Road, Kings Hill

West Malling

ME19 4YT

Email

csgprocurement@csltd.org.uk

Country

United Kingdom