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Award

Mobile Harbour Crane

Dover Harbour Board

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKJ44 - East Kent

Dover Harbour Board

DHB

Internet address(es)

Main address

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Buyer's address

www.portofdover.com

I.6) Main activity

Port-related activities

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Mobile Harbour Crane

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 42414110 - Harbour cranes

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply, test and commission of 1 (one) Mobile Harbour Cranes at the Port of Dover's Refrigerated Cargo Terminal for the discharge and loading of containers, bulks and

general cargo.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 42414100 - Cranes
- 42414110 - Harbour cranes
- 42414120 - Quayside cranes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply, test and commissioning of 1 (one) Mobile Harbour crane at the Port of Dover's Refrigerated Cargo Terminal for the discharge and loading of containers, bulks and general cargo.

Supply shall include all associated project services such as warranty, training, service and support.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Dover Harbour Board (DHB) is a Utility as defined in the Regulations, and through its wholly

owned subsidiary Port of Dover Cargo Ltd (PoDCL), it operates a Refrigerated Cargo

Terminal in the Western Docks at the Port of Dover. PoDCL handles weekly cargo of fresh fruit for the UK market as well as handling break bulk, steel, grain, aggregates and project

cargo that directly supports UK supply chains.

In 2021 DHB published a VEET notice to procure 2 (two) MHC to replace MHC's that had suffered significant and unforeseeable structural failures in 2020 which resulted in them having to be removed from service and returned to the manufacturer.

MHCs are highly specialized large complex assets. The Cargo operation requires a further third MHC to fulfil committed operations. This third crane needs to be aligned to the current, replacement, cranes for continuity of service, operation, usage and maintenance. Liebherr Great Britain Limited, who has one MHC available under manufacture which meets the specification requirements of DHB.

Procedures with a prior call for competition could not be complied with (even on the basis of

an accelerated procurement process) as Liebherr only have these one MHC currently available for purchase with delivery that meets DHBs requirements.

The contract has not been entered in to at the date of publication of this notice and it is not

intended to enter in to contract until 30 days after the publication date of this notice.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 May 2023

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom