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Contract

Childsmilie

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as NHS National Services Scotland) (NSS)

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NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

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Main address

<http://www.nss.nhs.scot/browse/procurement-and-logistics>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA11883

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object**II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

Childsmilie

Reference number

NP59424

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33711710 - Toothbrushes

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This contract framework is for the provision of dental products for the NHSScotland Childsmile programme. The products included within

the programme includes Dental Packs; Toothbrushes; Toothpaste & Drinking cups with associated information leaflets.

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: £3,820,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33711710 - Toothbrushes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The provision of dental products for the NHS Scotland Childsmile national programme.

Products required include Toothbrushes;

Toothpaste; Dental Packs; Drinking cups and associated information leaflets.

The budget for this Scottish Government funded programme.

Indicative annual volumes are outlined below; (subject to change and can be clarified post award)

Dental Packs: Age 0 to 3 years - 69,950 each(s)

Dental Packs: Age 3 to 6 (Age 3 years) - 119,600 each(s)

Dental Packs: Age 3 to 6 (Age 4 years) - 119,600 each(s)

Dental Packs: Age 3 to 6 (Age 5 years) - 59,950 each(s)

Free Flow Feeding/Drinking Cups - 59,950 each(s)

Toothbrushes (Loose): Nursery (banded in 10s) - 713,650 each(s)

Toothbrushes (Loose): Primary (banded in 10s) - 179,250 each(s)

Toothpaste (Loose): SLS 100ml - 177,850 each(s)

Toothpaste (Loose): SLS Free 50ml - 5,000 each(s)

Dental Packs (Dental Practice): Age 0 to 3 - 179,400 each(s)

Toothbrushes (Loose): Dental Practice Age 0 to 3 - 50,800 each(s)

Toothbrushes (Loose): Dental Practice Age 3 to 6 - 119,400 each(s)

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Functional Characteristics / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 60

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

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NP57925

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: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AMS Sanderson Ltd

The Old Vicarage, Lincoln

Tuxford

NG220HP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF15 - North Nottinghamshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Wrights Healthgroup

Kingsway West

Dundee

DD23QD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,820,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The Common Services Agency (more commonly known as National Services Scotland) ('the Authority') acting through its division National Procurement, is undertaking this procurement of (add description here...) ('Products') on behalf of all entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority or other NHS Organisation established pursuant to the NHS (Scotland) Act 1978), any integrated Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014 (collectively hereafter referred to as 'Participating Authorities'), where applicable and Scottish

Hospices.

The estimated values referred to in Section II.1.5 and 11.2.6 covers the 36 months contract duration and the 24 month extension period of the framework agreement.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

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edinburgh@scotcourts.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Economic operators should approach the contracting authority in the first instance.

However, the only formal remedy is to apply to the courts:

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.

The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority after the Framework Agreement has been entered into will not affect the Framework Agreement unless grounds for the imposition of special penalties under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 can be established. Otherwise the remedies that may be awarded by the courts where the Framework Agreement has been entered into are limited to the award of damages.

