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Contract

Waterfront Apprenticeship Provision

Ministry of Defence

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04a4f1

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Ministry of Defence

Bristol

BS34 8JH

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Education

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

Waterfront Apprenticeship Provision

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80200000 - Secondary education services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

To allow the SDA to enrol up to 30 apprentice students to the ST1395 – Engineering and Manufacturing Support Technician Apprenticeship. The contract covers three cohorts (one cohort per year), with each cohort lasting three years.

The value of this contract is covered by the Government Apprenticeship Levy.

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: £2,430,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

The Apprenticeship will be conducted at the Colleges premises to align with the classroom based activities.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2024/S 000-031505](#)

IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

713310451

Title

Provision of L3 waterfront apprenticeship scheme

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 April 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Bridgwater and Taunton College

Bath Road

TA6 4PZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,430,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The total value of this contract is covered by the Apprenticeship Levy. The maximum Levy for this Apprenticeship standard is £27,000 per Apprentice.

This contract is based against a maximum of 30 students per cohort (three cohorts over three years), but the Authority is to clarify the exact number of students to enrol each year therefore the value could differ depending.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Ministry of Defence

Abbeywood

Bristol

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