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Contract

## **SUPPLY OF TEMPORARY FOREST ROAD BRIDGES COMPONENTS AND SPARE AND REPLACEMENT PARTS**

Forestry and Land Scotland

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Forestry and Land Scotland

1 Highlander Way, Inverness Retail Park

Inverness

IV2 7GB

#### **Email**

[procurement@forestryandland.gov.scot](mailto:procurement@forestryandland.gov.scot)

#### **Telephone**

+44 3000676000

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://forestryandland.gov.scot>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30371](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30371)

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

SUPPLY OF TEMPORARY FOREST ROAD BRIDGES COMPONENTS AND SPARE AND REPLACEMENT PARTS

Reference number

C0182

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 44212120 - Structures of bridges

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Forestry and Land Scotland (FLS) own a number of temporary bridges used to access forest blocks where permanent bridge construction is not suitable or justified. Sites may have restricted access which makes the use of cranes for bridge construction difficult or impossible therefore FLS' stock of temporary bridges consists of modular bridging systems. Modular bridging systems consist of a number of 'bays' measuring approximately 3m each. Any number of bays can be joined together to create the span of bridge you require. Modular bridges are a versatile solution, allowing for the construction of temporary bridges to any required span and load requirements and is therefore suited to a wide range of applications such as harvesting operations, emergency bridge replacement, construction access or other works

#### **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: £2,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 44212100 - Bridge
- 44212110 - Bridge sections

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Contract covers the whole of Scotland.

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

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Specification was required / Weighting: 0

Price - Weighting: 100

### **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

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## **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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

The bulk of FLS stock consists of modular bridging bays from 2 manufacturers: Mabey and Matiere. FLS have purchased a total of 133 bays - 71 Mabey and 62 Matiere.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

C0182

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

26 May 2021

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Acrow Global Limited (trading as Mabey Bridge)

Unit 9 Lydney Harbour Estate, Harbour Road

Lydney

GL15 4EJ

Telephone

+44 1291623801

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK13 - Gloucestershire

The contractor is an SME

No

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

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

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

(SC Ref:658433)

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Inverness Justice Centre

Longman Road

Inverness

IV1 1AH

Country

United Kingdom