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Award

2978/SSA/SW Maintenance of Refuge System

UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

2978/SSA/SW Maintenance of Refuge System

Reference number

2978/SSA/SW

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79711000 - Alarm-monitoring services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Maintenance of Alerter refuge system, which can only be carried out by the Alerter Group.

In line with regulations 32 (2) (b) (ii) and 32 (5) (b) the University have direct awarded this contract to the Alerter group.

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: £330,880

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Maintenance of the Alerter refuge alarms. In line with regulations 32b(ii) and 32 (5) (b) the University have direct awarded this contract to the Alerter group.

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:

The refuge system currently in use required statutory maintenance and for security can only be maintained by the manufacturer, the Alerter Group.

This is in line with Regulation 32 (2) (b) (ii) which states that contracting authorities may award public contract without prior publication when competition is absent for technical reasons.

In addition, this is also in line with 32 (5) (b) which states that extension of an existing contract is permitted where a change of supplier would result in incompatibility or disproportionate technical difficulties in operation and maintenance.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

24 June 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

The Alerter Group

Derby

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £330,880

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The University of Sheffield

Sheffield

Country

United Kingdom