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## **Retrofit & Repair of Refuse Vehicles**

Dacorum Borough Council

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0457ea

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

Dacorum Borough Council

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKH23 - Hertfordshire

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.davcorum.gov.uk](http://www.davcorum.gov.uk)

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Retrofit & Repair of Refuse Vehicles

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

- 50110000 - Repair and maintenance services of motor vehicles and associated equipment

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

Services

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

The Council have a contract to retrofit and repair its fleet of refuse collection vehicles. The main contractor has sub-contracted this work to Cooper Group UK.

The main contractor has informed the Council that they are having problems delivering this contract and the Council understands

that the main contractor may be facing some financial difficulties. Accordingly, in order to protect the continuity of the retrofit works required the Council is intending to contract directly with the Cooper Group UK, the sub-contractor.

#### **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: £201,671

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Main site or place of performance

Cooper Group UK

Unit 3, Dale St

Bilston

Wolverhampton

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

Dacorum Borough Council are publishing this VEAT Notice to inform the market that we intend to enter in to a contract with Cooper Group Ltd in relation to the retrofit and repair of the Council's fleet of Refuse Vehicles.

The Council already have a contract in place with a main contractor for this and Coopers Group Ltd are delivering the service through sub-contract arrangements, however, the main contractor has informed the Council that they are having problems delivering this contract and the Council understands

that they may be facing some financial difficulties. Accordingly, in order to protect the continuity of the retrofit works required the Council is intending to contract directly with the Coopers Group Ltd, the sub-contractor.

This will allow:

- The urgent retrofit and repairs work to the vehicles to take place ensuring that the Council can continue to deliver its waste collections service.

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

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: 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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Dacorum Borough Council are publishing this VEAT Notice to inform the market that we intend to enter in to a contract with Cooper Group Ltd in relation to the retrofit and repair of the Council's fleet of Refuse Vehicles.

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that they may be facing some financial difficulties. Accordingly, in order to protect the continuity of the retrofit works required the Council is intending to contract directly with the Coopers Group Ltd, the sub-contractor.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

### **Title**

Retrofit & Repair of Refuse Vehicles

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

8 May 2024

#### **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**

Cooper Group UK

Wolverhampton

WV14 7JY

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Telephone

+44 1902403826

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Companies House

05987688

Internet address

[www.coopergroupuk.com](http://www.coopergroupuk.com)

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £201,671

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £201,671

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

· The contract award is being made as there is an urgent requirement to retrofit and repair the Refuse Vehicle fleet to ensure that the waste collection service can continue to operate.

Explanation:

This VEAT Notice is to inform the market of our intention to award this contract to Cooper Group UK

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

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

High Court of England and Wales

High Court of England and Wales

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom