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# Contract PHS2324021 Ward Watcher

Public Health Scotland

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## Section I: Contracting authority

## I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

#### NUTS code

UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://publichealthscotland.scot/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA3044 1

## 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

PHS2324021 Ward Watcher

Reference number

PHS2324021

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Scottish Intensive Care Society Audit Group (SICSAG) uses a system called Ward Watcher to collect clinical, activity and bed data about all patients who are treated in ICU or HDU or in some hospitals these units provide a combined service. Data is collated and entered onto the system by clinical staff on daily basis in order to provide real-time data on activity and level of care provided.

#### 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: £826,696

## II.2) Description

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

• 48000000 - Software package and information systems

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: quality / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: cost / Weighting: 50

#### 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

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:

Ward Watcher is a legacy system from Health Scotland which has been developed in consultation with other NHSS Boards over many years

#### 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

#### **Contract No**

PHS2324021

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### V.2) Award of contract

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

28 March 2024

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

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

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

Mela Solutions Ltd 54 Hedgerley Lane, Gerrards Cross Buckinghamshire SL9 8SY Telephone +44 1753480460 Country United Kingdom NUTS code • UK - United Kingdom The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £826,696

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:764651)

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Sheriff Court House

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

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edinburgh@scotcourts.gov.uk

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+44 1312252525

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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

## VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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