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Contract

## **Annunciator system hardware replacement, support and maintenance**

The Corporate Officer of the House of Commons and the Corporate Officer of the House of Lords

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0434ac

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

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

The Corporate Officer of the House of Commons and the Corporate Officer of the House of Lords

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LONDON

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKI32 - Westminster

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.parliament.uk](http://www.parliament.uk)

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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

Annunciator system hardware replacement, support and maintenance

Reference number

PI1301667

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 50312610 - Maintenance of information technology equipment

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Replacement of annunciator system hardware (including end of life/discontinued components), reconfiguration of bespoke software to maintain interoperability with the new components and maintenance and support of the system for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for 2 further periods of 12 months each.

#### **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: £779,316.22

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKI32 - Westminster

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

Replacement of hardware including end of life/discontinued components. Reconfiguration of the bespoke software solution to maintain interoperability with the new components. Ongoing maintenance and support services.

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

Explanation:

The annunciator system is a bespoke system that was designed for the Contracting Authority. The Contractor owns the Intellectual Property Rights to the software used in the system and is the only supplier in the market with the technical knowledge to configure, test, and implement the required upgrades and support the system.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-002641](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

3 May 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Techex Ltd

Bracknell

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ11 - Berkshire

Companies House

01053218

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £779,316.22

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom