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Contract

## **Frozen Foods**

Procurement and Logistics Service  
Belfast Health and Social Care Trust  
Northern Health and Social Care Trust  
Southern Health and Social Care Trust  
South Eastern Health and Social Care Trust  
Western Health and Social Care Trust  
Business Services Organisation  
DOH - Strategic Planning and Performance Group

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03a4d9

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

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**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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

Frozen Foods

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 15331170 - Frozen vegetables

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

## Supplies

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

Frozen Foods

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £36,859,679.85

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Ice Cream and Ice Lollies

Lot No

1

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

- 15331100 - Fresh or frozen vegetables
- 15251000 - Frozen crustaceans
- 15221000 - Frozen fish
- 15229000 - Frozen fish products
- 15311200 - Diced, sliced and other frozen potatoes
- 15220000 - Frozen fish, fish fillets and other fish meat
- 15311000 - Frozen potatoes
- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products
- 15800000 - Miscellaneous food products
- 15894000 - Processed food products

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



NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Frozen Foods

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension for up to a maximum of an additional 24 months

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The award criteria was the criteria stated in the specifications, in the CfT or to negotiate or in the descriptive documents. The estimated values as per the contract notice 2023/S 000-035438 excluding VAT was a range between 1 130 073.00 GBP - 1 695 110.00 GBP. The total value includes the options of extending for any period up to and including 24 months

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

General Frozen Foods

Lot No

2

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

- 15331100 - Fresh or frozen vegetables
- 15251000 - Frozen crustaceans
- 15221000 - Frozen fish
- 15229000 - Frozen fish products
- 15311200 - Diced, sliced and other frozen potatoes
- 15220000 - Frozen fish, fish fillets and other fish meat
- 15311000 - Frozen potatoes
- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products
- 15800000 - Miscellaneous food products
- 15894000 - Processed food products

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Frozen Foods

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension for up to a maximum of an additional 24 months

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Frozen Foods for Patients with Dysphagia

Lot No

3

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

- 15331100 - Fresh or frozen vegetables
- 15251000 - Frozen crustaceans
- 15221000 - Frozen fish
- 15229000 - Frozen fish products
- 15311200 - Diced, sliced and other frozen potatoes
- 15220000 - Frozen fish, fish fillets and other fish meat
- 15311000 - Frozen potatoes
- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products
- 15800000 - Miscellaneous food products
- 15894000 - Processed food products

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Frozen Foods

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension for up to a maximum of an additional 24 months

## **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2.14) Additional information**

The award criteria was the criteria stated in the specifications, in the CfT or to negotiate or in the descriptive documents. The estimated values as per the contract notice 2023/S 000-035438 excluding VAT was a range between 5 267 603.00 GBP - 7 901 405.00 GBP. The total value includes the options of extending for any period up to and including 24 months

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Frozen Ready Prepared, Entrée, Mains, Sides and Desserts

Lot No

4

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

- 15331100 - Fresh or frozen vegetables
- 15251000 - Frozen crustaceans
- 15221000 - Frozen fish
- 15229000 - Frozen fish products
- 15311200 - Diced, sliced and other frozen potatoes

- 15220000 - Frozen fish, fish fillets and other fish meat
- 15311000 - Frozen potatoes
- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products
- 15800000 - Miscellaneous food products
- 15894000 - Processed food products

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Frozen Foods

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension for up to a maximum of an additional 24 months

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The award criteria was the criteria stated in the specifications, in the CfT or to negotiate or in the descriptive documents. The estimated values as per the contract notice 2023/S 000-035438 excluding VAT was a range between 7 643 423.00 GBP - 11 465 135.00 GBP. The total value includes the options of extending for any period up to and including 24 months

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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: [2023/S 000-035438](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Ice Cream and Ice Lollies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

27 February 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

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

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,695,110

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,421,456.35



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

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

General Frozen Foods

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

23 April 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

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

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £25,677,009

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,887,506.65

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

### **Contract No**

3

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Frozen Foods for Patients with Dysphagia

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

21 February 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

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

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £7,901,405

Total value of the contract/lot: £7,922,187

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

### **Contract No**

4

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Frozen Ready Prepared, Entrée, Mains, Sides and Desserts

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

21 February 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

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

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £11,465,135

Total value of the contract/lot: £11,628,529.85

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

In section I.2, it is stated that this procurement is a joint procedure and contract award is by a Central Purchasing Body. This contract.. is not a joint contract, it is a Central Purchasing Body Contract operated by BSO PaLS on behalf of the participants listed in section I.1... Compliance with all elements of the specifications and all requirements as listed in the tender documentation has been demonstrated... The estimated value as per the contract notice 2023/S 000-035438 excluding VAT was a range between 30 659 106.00 GBP - 46 728 659.00 GBP. The total includes the options of extending for any period up to and including 24 months..

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

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

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