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Tender

Provision of Fire Safety (RPL) Training

Scottish Fire and Rescue Service

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-016517

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-046b7f

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

http://firescotland.gov.uk

Buyer's address

 $\underline{https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1954}$ 3

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

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https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Public order and safety

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of Fire Safety (RPL) Training

Reference number

T3A-017-2425

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80550000 - Safety training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of Fire Safety (Recognition of Prior Learning) Training Services

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80550000 Safety training services
- 80500000 Training services
- 80510000 Specialist training services
- 80000000 Education and training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

SFRS National Training Centre, Cambuslang, G72 7NA

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Provision of Fire Safety (Recognition of Prior Learning) Training Services

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 40

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

19 August 2024

End date

18 August 2026

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Optional twelve (12) month extension, potentially taking contract completion date to 18/08/2027.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Minimum level(s) of standards required:

It is a requirement of this contract that bidders hold or can commit to obtain prior to the commence of any subsequently awarded contract, the types and levels of insurance indicated below;

Employers (Compulsory) Liability Insurance = 5,000,000.00 GBP each and every claim

Public Liability Insurance = 5,000,000.00 GBP each and every claim

Professional Liability Insurance = 2,000,000.00 GBP In Aggregate

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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

24 June 2024

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 21 October 2024

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

24 June 2024

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Please refer to section VI.4.3

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Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The Scottish Fire and Rescue Service (SFRS) must, by notice in writing as soon as possible after the decision has been made, inform all tenderers and candidates of its decision to award the contract, conclude the framework agreement or establish a dynamic purchasing system. The SFRS will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill at the point information on the contract award is communicated to tenderers. The SFRS is obliged to comply with the regulations and any eligible economic operator can bring an action in the Sherriff Court or the Court of Session where as a consequence of a breach by the SFRS, they suffer or risk suffering loss or damage. The bringing of court proceedings during the standstill period means that the SFRS must not enter into the contract, conclude the framework agreement or establish the dynamic purchasing system unless the proceedings are determined, discontinued or disposed of: or the court, by interim order, brings to an end the prohibition. The bringing of court proceedings after the standstill period has elapsed and the remedies that are available to the courts are detailed in the Regulations.