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Contract

## **The Mercian Trust Queen Mary's Grammar School Artificial Pitch and Sporting Facilities**

The Mercian Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-017539

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04c1e2

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

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

The Mercian Trust

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Walsall

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKG3 - West Midlands

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.themerciantrust.org/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.themerciantrust.org/>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

The Mercian Trust Queen Mary's Grammar School Artificial Pitch and Sporting Facilities

Reference number

CA14973 -

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

- 45000000 - Construction work

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

Works

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

The Mercian Trust Queen Mary's Grammar School Artificial Pitch and Sporting Facilities, design and construction of new sports facilities as

part of the school's improvement programme.

#### **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: £1,156,644.66

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

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

- 71220000 - Architectural design services
- 45212225 - Sports hall construction work
- 45212200 - Construction work for sports facilities
- 45212220 - Multi-purpose sports facilities construction work

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

NUTS codes

- UKG38 - Walsall

Main site or place of performance

Walsall

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

The Mercian Trust Queen Mary's Grammar School Artificial Pitch and Sporting Facilities, design and construction of new sports facilities as

part of the school's improvement programme.

The documentation for this requirement has been drafted by Baily Garner LLP, the procurement process is being administered by Crescent Purchasing Consortium.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60.00%

Price - Weighting: 40.00%

### **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

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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: [2024/S 000-038931](#)

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

### **Contract No**

CA14973

### **Title**

The Mercian Trust Queen Mary's Grammar School Artificial Pitch and Sporting Facilities

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

29 April 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

Blakedown Sport & Play Limited

Unit 1, Foley Business Centre, Stourport Road

Kidderminster

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Country

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NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

<http://www.blakedown.co.uk/>

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,156,644.66

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Section II.3) – dates refer to the initial contract period and do not include the options of any extensions.

Section IV.3.5) – any dates shown are an estimate.

In the first instance, candidates should register with [www.multiquote.com](http://www.multiquote.com) and express an interest in the contract, full details of the contract will be available.

The Contracting Authority shall not be under any obligation to accept any tender. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to cancel the entire or parts of the tender, without such an action conferring any right to compensation on the Tenderers.

The Contracting Authority has no liability to settle any cost incurred by the tenderer as a result of the tendering procedure.

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

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

Tenet Education

Procurement House, Unit 23 Leslie Hough Way

Salford, Manchester

M6 6AJ

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#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point that information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. If an appeal regarding the award of contract has not been successfully resolved then the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by breach of the rules to take action in the High Court. Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months).