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Contract

# **HUMAN REMAINS AND EMERGENCY EXCAVATION 20121**

Historic Environment Scotland

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02994d

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

Historic Environment Scotland

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Edinburgh

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://historicensevironment.scot>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00164](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00164)

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

Other type

Non Departmental Government Body

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Conservation, Built Environment and Tourism

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

HUMAN REMAINS AND EMERGENCY EXCAVATION 20121

Reference number

HES/C/4083

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

- 71351914 - Archaeological services

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

Services

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

This contract is for rapid-reaction small-scale investigation and post-excavation work after unexpected discoveries of human remains or after Historic Environment Scotland (HES) has received reports of new or accelerated threats at known sites of human remains. The call off may also be used where an immediate and obvious threat to a vulnerable archaeological site of high significance has been identified, and there is no other tenable alternative. The contract requires reporting to a standard archive level for each call out.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £69,802 / Highest offer: £125,213 taken into consideration

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

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

- 71351914 - Archaeological services

### **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 Criterion / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

### **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: [2021/S 000-004572](#)

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

### **Contract No**

HES/C/4083

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

27 July 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

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

AOC Archaeology Group

Edgefield Industrial Estate, LOANHEAD,, Midlothian

Loanhead

EH20 9SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM73 - East Lothian and Midlothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £69,802 / Highest offer: £125,213 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Please refer to all the documents within this notice. It is important that you complete and return all the required documents and that the Single Procurement Document is completed online.

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

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

Edinburgh Sheriff Court & Justice of the Peace Court

Sheriff Clerks Office, 27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom