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Contract

## **Farm Inspections Services**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-018163

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02988e

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

## **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://defra.bravosolution.co.uk>

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

National or federal Agency/Office

## **I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Farm Inspections Services

Reference number

ecm-61903

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

- 77500000 - Animal husbandry services

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

Services

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

Provision of Farm Inspection Services to supplement Authority Resources - Call off as

required

### **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: £2,515,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85200000 - Veterinary services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Specialist Farm Inspection services to support regulatory requirements

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

Price

### **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.1.6) Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

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

Notice number: [2021/S 000-004409](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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

### **Contract No**

ecm-61903

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

23 July 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

Hall Mark Meat Hygiene Limited and Meat and Livestock Commercial Services Limited  
(MLCSL

Stroud

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,044,701.55

### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Multiple self employed contractors to conduct individual inspections nationwide

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

Please note that Defra Group Commercial uses an E-tendering system for Procurement activities. This is currently provided by Bravo Solutions. To access appropriate tendering and contractual documents, please access the E-Tendering portal at <https://defra.bravosolution.co.uk>, ensuring that your registration includes “Defra”. If you have any problems with this system, please contact Bravo on their telephone helpline number 0800 368 4850 or by emailing them at [help@bravosolution.co.uk](mailto:help@bravosolution.co.uk).

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

DEFRA

London

Country

United Kingdom