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# **IELTS Automarking TENDER**

**IELTS Services UK Limited** 

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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**SW63JW** 

#### **Contact**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

**UK - United Kingdom** 

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil

# I.3) Communication

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

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Limited company

# I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

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

#### II.1.1) Title

**IELTS Automarking TENDER** 

Reference number

BC/02451

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The IELTS Partnership, through IELTS Services UK, plans to choose and implement an automarker that will open possibilities for product enhancement and development, such as more efficient assessment, improved practicality and better support for test takers and Receiving Organisations.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 Education and training services
- 72212190 Educational software development services
- 48190000 Educational software package

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

The IELTS Partnership, through IELTS Services UK, plans to choose and implement an automarker that will open possibilities for product enhancement and development, such as more efficient assessment, improved practicality and better support for test takers and Receiving Organisations.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

**Duration in months** 

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract is for 3 years with an option to extend for a further 4 years in 2 year periods

#### II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 6

Maximum number: 12

#### 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

#### II.2.14) Additional information

IELTS Services UK Limited does not come under public procurement regulations. Suppliers who submitted an NDA (under project BC/02399) previously for this opportunity should not submit a second NDA. If a supplier has not submitted an NDA (under project BC/02399), please submit a NDA at the time of submitting the Selection Questionnaire.

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

#### III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

# **Section IV. Procedure**

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

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

Date

14 July 2022

Local time

10:00am

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

English

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

#### VI.3) Additional information

If you are interested in expressing an interest and/or bidding for this project, please go to <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/britishcouncil</a>. You may then have to register your company before you can express an interest for this project and get access the documents.

#### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

Royal Court of Justice, Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom**