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Contract

## **DfI Roads and Rivers - Provision of Marine Mechanical Maintenance Services for Strangford Lough Ferry Service**

Department for Infrastructure  
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F03: Contract award notice

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

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

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#### **Region code**

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**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

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

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

DfI Roads and Rivers - Provision of Marine Mechanical Maintenance Services for Strangford Lough Ferry Service

Reference number

CfT:4436401

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

- 50240000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to marine and other equipment

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

Services

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

Strangford Lough Ferry Service requires a Contractor to provide access to marine mechanical maintenance specialists who will carry out inspections, maintenance and repairs of the mechanical systems to ensure that their vessels comply with MCA regulations and retain Passenger Certificates.

#### **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: £324,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 50240000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to marine and other equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Key Individual Experience / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Contract Management / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 70

### **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: [2022/S 000-034445](#)

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

### **Contract No**

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### **Title**

PROVISION OF MARINE MECHANICAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR  
STRANGFORD LOUGH FERRY SERVICE

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

12 June 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £324,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £324,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

The total contract value in V.2.4 does not include annual inflationary increases. The Open procedure was discontinued as no suitable bids were received. As permitted by Reg 32(2)(a) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 the Contracting Authority moved to the negotiated procedure without prior publication. All Economic Operators that passed the Selection Stage of the Open procedure were invited to take part in the negotiated procedure which resulted in the contract being awarded. Contract Monitoring. The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored. Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in DfI for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance and the contract may be terminated. The issue of a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance will result in the contractor being excluded from all procurement competition being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of twelve months from the date of issue of the certificate.

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

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

Hight Court, Royal Courts of Justice

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Country

United Kingdom