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Contract

# **UKRI-2875 Site Characterisation Interpretation Support**

**UK Research & Innovation** 

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

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**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKK14 - Swindon

# Internet address(es)

Main address

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# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Research

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

UKRI-2875 Site Characterisation Interpretation Support

Reference number

**UKRI-2875** 

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71351220 - Geological consultancy services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The contract was awarded following a negotiated procedure without prior publication, in accordance with regulation 32(2)(b)(ii) of the Public Contract Regulations. This requirement is for the provision of geological services to the British Geological Survey (BGS).

#### 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: £250,000

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKF14 - Nottingham

Main site or place of performance

Nottingham

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

The requirement the provision of geological services to the British Geological Survey (BGS), services including but not limited to seismic interpretation, geological interpretation, modelling.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 0

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

UKRI may extend this Contract for a period of up to 24 months

#### 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

The maximum value of the framework agreement is £250,000.

### Section IV. Procedure

### **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - o absence of competition for technical reasons

#### Explanation:

The contract requires significant knowledge and understanding of the project to provide a holistic approach. The supplier has intellectual property vested the project and a joint approach to this work has been developed with BGS.

#### IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

27 June 2023

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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: 1

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

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

WSP UK Ltd

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Country

### **United Kingdom**

**NUTS** code

• UKI - London

National registration number

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Internet address

#### www.wsp.com

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

Procurement Contract Transparency Data: Redacted contract documents will be made available within the next 30 days on the UKRI website at: <a href="https://www.ukri.org/about-us/procurement-contract-transparency-data">https://www.ukri.org/about-us/procurement-contract-transparency-data</a>

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### VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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