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Awarded contract

## **BSP-20-013 Uniforms, Protective Clothing and Protective Equipment**

Education Authority NI  
Middletown Centre for Autism  
Libraries NI  
Armagh Observatory  
Armagh Planetarium

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

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

Education Authority NI  
  
Ballee Centre, Ballee Road West  
  
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**NUTS code**

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Buyer's address

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**I.1) Name and addresses**

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BT60 4HZ

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**Country**

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

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Buyer's address

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**NUTS code**

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**I.1) Name and addresses**

Armagh Planetarium

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**Country**

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

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Body governed by public law

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

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

BSP-20-013 Uniforms, Protective Clothing and Protective Equipment

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

- 18110000 - Occupational clothing

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

Supplies

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

The EA invites tenders for the provision of Uniforms, Protective Clothing and Protective Equipment. Lots 1, 2, 3 and 6 will run from 1st June 2021 for a 2 year Initial Contract Period on an as and when required basis, with the option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods. Lots 4 and 5 will join part of this Framework from 1st September 2021 for an initial contract period of 21 months with an option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods. The administering procurement office for this tender, on behalf of EA, will be the Business Services and Products Procurement Category, based in Ballymena.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,150,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Protective Clothing

Lot No

1

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: AC1 Methodology / Weighting: 16

Quality criterion - Name: AC2 Quality Assurance / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: AC3 Contingency / Weighting: 8

Quality criterion - Name: AC4 Social Considerations Requirement / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: AC5 Cost / Weighting: 60

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods

## **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - School Crossing Patrol

Lot No

2

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18410000 - Special clothing
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NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Description of options

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## **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Miscellaneous Items, Equipment and Gloves

Lot No

3

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Equipment. Lots 1, 2, 3 and 6 will run from 1st June 2021 for a 2 year Initial Contract Period on an as and when required basis, with the option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods. Lots 4 and 5 will join part of this Framework from 1st September 2021 for an initial contract period of 21 months with an option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods. The administering procurement office for this tender, on behalf of EA, will be the Business Services and Products Procurement Category, based in Ballymena.

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Cost criterion - Name: AC5 Cost / Weighting: 60

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Description of options

Option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - Catering Accessories

Lot No

4

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5 - Catering Uniforms

Lot No

5

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Quality criterion - Name: AC3 Contingency / Weighting: 8

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Cost criterion - Name: AC5 Cost / Weighting: 60

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods

## **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 6 Specialist Protective Clothing and Equipment

Lot No

6

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories
- 18113000 - Industrial clothing
- 18222000 - Corporate clothing
- 18420000 - Clothing accessories
- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories

- 18410000 - Special clothing
- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Quality criterion - Name: AC3 Contingency / Weighting: 8

Quality criterion - Name: AC4 Social Considerations Requirement / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend for 2 further 12 month periods

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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

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

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

Notice number: [2021/S 000-004466](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 - Protective Clothing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 10

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 9

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 10

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

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

PJD Safety Supplies

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £560,000

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

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Lot 2 - School Crossing Patrol

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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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Westport

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Country

Ireland

NUTS code

- IE - Ireland

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £150,000

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

### **Contract No**

3

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Lot 3 - Miscellaneous Items, Equipment and Gloves

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 9

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 9

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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GREENWICH

LONDON

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Country

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NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £85,000

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

### **Contract No**

4

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Lot 4 - Catering Accessories

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 9

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 9

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

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

Mi Hub Limited formally MWUK

3 LONG ACRE

DERBY

DE74 2UD

Email

[tenders@alexandra.co.uk](mailto:tenders@alexandra.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £70,000

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

### **Contract No**

5

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

Lot 5 - Catering Uniforms

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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

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

Mi Hub Limited formally MWUK

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £240,000

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

### **Contract No**

6

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Lot 6 Specialist Protective Clothing and Equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

9 August 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 7

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: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

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

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

HEALTHY BEAN LTD

501 COCHRANE LODGE, 501 COCHRANE LODGE 5 WEST PARKSIDE, NORTH  
GREENWICH

LONDON

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[info@healthybean.org](mailto:info@healthybean.org)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £45,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This framework is let by the Northern Ireland Education Authority (“EA”) and is open to the EA, including NI educational bodies as follows. and at some point during the life of the Framework these bodies may wish to utilise the agreement and should have access, at any point,. with the permission of EA. This agreement is not intended to replace any current agreements that participating or non-participating. institutions may already have in place.. . <https://www.education-ni.gov.uk/services/schools-plus>. Primary and Post Primary schools. under the control of the EA, Catholic Maintained Schools, Independent Schools in NI, Irish Medium Schools in NI, both Controlled and,. Voluntary Grammar Schools, Nursery School for NI (both controlled and Catholic Maintained), school meals kitchens on-site at all of. these schools, and Controlled Youth Centres. . .

<https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/contacts/further-education-fe-colleges>. Further Education. Colleges in NI . . <https://www.nicie.org/parents/school-finder/>. Grant Controlled Integrated Education Schools in NI. . <https://www.isc.co.uk/>. schools/northern-ireland/. Independent School in NI. . Libraries NI: <https://www.librariesni.org.uk/Libraries/>. . EA Teachers' and Educational. Centres. Council for the Curriculum, Examination and Assessment NI (CCEA) . Armagh Observatory and Planetarium. Middletown Centre. for Autism. Controlled Schools Support Council (CSSC). Northern Ireland Council for Integrated Education (NICIE).

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

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

The UK does not have any such review bodies with responsibilities for appeal/mediation procedures

Ballymena

Country

United Kingdom

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Education Authority incorporated a standstill period at the point. information on the award of the contract was communicated to tenderers. That notification provided full information on the award. decision. The standstill period, which was for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provided time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge. the award decision before any contracts were entered into. . UK does not currently have any such bodies with responsibilities for appeal/. mediation. procedures.