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Contract

Intranet Platform and Staff App

Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust

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Aylesford

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Contact

Procurement Team

Email

kmpt.procurement@nhs.net

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKJ44 - East Kent

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.kmpt.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.kmpt.nhs.uk>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object**II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

Intranet Platform and Staff App

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision and implementation of an Intranet Platform and Staff App Services solution, in

addition to associated hosting and support services.

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: £333,590

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48200000 - Networking, Internet and intranet software package
- 72212200 - Networking, Internet and intranet software development services
- 72421000 - Internet or intranet client application development services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ44 - East Kent

Main site or place of performance

Kent and Medway

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Kent and Medway NHS and Social Care Partnership Trust has awarded a contract for the provision and implementation of an Intranet Platform and Staff App Services solution, in addition to associated hosting and support services.

The current Intranet platform is over seven years old, and the Trust is therefore looking to secure a new, modern functioning intranet to transform how it communicates and engages with the work force. Required areas of improvement include:

- Improved technical features and capability;
- An improved search function;
- A central contact directory; and

- Compatibility with accessibility legislation and NHS Digital security requirements.

The contract commences on 2nd April 2024, and is awarded for an initial period of three (3) years until midnight of the 1st April 2027, with an option to extend for a further period or periods up to a maximum of two (2) years, subject to performance and the absolute discretion of the Trust. The duration of this Contract shall be no longer than five (5) years in total.

The Trust has procured this contract following the Open Procedure under the UK Public Contract Regulations 2015 and the Trust's Standing Financial Instructions. The Trust is awarding one Contract for the provision of all services detailed in the Specification. The Trust has utilised the NHS Standard Terms & Conditions for Services Contract.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 80

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 20

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

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

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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

28 March 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 13

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 12

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Super Smashing Limited (t/a Blink)

71 Fanshaw Street

London

N16LA

Telephone

+44 1158384189

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI42 - Tower Hamlets

National registration number

08817286

Internet address

www.joinblink.com

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: £350,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £333,590

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

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London

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