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Award

Supply of Control Systems

Sellafield Ltd

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-047348

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Sellafield Ltd

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Warrington

WA36GR

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/sellafield-ltd

Buyer's address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/sellafield-ltd

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Nuclear Decommissioning

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of Control Systems

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 48151000 - Computer control system

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This contract is for the design and provision of Control Systems on the Sellafield site, the majority of which provide remote control of programmable electronic devices used in our facilities. The Control Systems play an integral role, and are a key enabler, to Sellafield Ltd delivering its mission of 'High Hazard Risk Reduction' across our legacy projects

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: £77,500,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 48151000 - Computer control system

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD11 - West Cumbria

Main site or place of performance

Sellafield Ltd, Cumbria, CA20 1PG

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Sellafield Ltd competed the contract opportunity as set out in the Official Journal of the European Union ("OJEU") 2018/S 025-052793 and confirmed in OJEU 2019/S 030-066840

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

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

• The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Computer Control System 2019/S 030-066840 - Contract award notice 08/02/2019

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: 2019/S 030-066840

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 December 2018

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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Cottons Centre, Cottons Lane,

London

SE1 2QG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKI4 - Inner London - East

National registration number

01120437

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £77,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £77,500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Sellafield Ltd competed the Control Systems contract opportunity in 2018 pursuant to OJ 2018/S 025-052793. The contract value noted in the Contract Award Notice (reference 2019/S 030-066840) indicated a contract value of £49.5m ex VAT.

The original contract notice anticipated a contract spend of between £49.5m and £51.69m but specifically noted that this was an estimate only for the identified Control System packages. Sellafield Ltd has identified that the contract spend is likely to be greater than the value anticipated at contract award and has therefore obtained approval of additional sanction for the contract which is anticipated to result in a final contract value of £77,500,000. The contract remains in flight, with the uplifted sanction to be utilised across contract years 5 to 10.

The sanction uplift reflects variability in demand for Control Systems, the need for interoperability of the control systems, the long-term strategic nature of the arrangement and in-flight projects as well as the significant impacts of hyper-inflation. Consequently, the approved uplift in sanction for the contract value is considered to align with the provisions of Regulation 72 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015.

Additionally, Sellafield Ltd has identified Control System work packages which can be delivered on a standalone basis and anticipates publishing details of further contract opportunities and the associated competitions during Q4/2024.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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