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The Libraries Consortium

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Library distribution and courier services

London Borough of Lewisham

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Procurement identifiers (OCIDs): ocds-h6vhtk-02d5d0, ocds-h6vhtk-02d5d1

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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Buyer's address

http://www.lewisham.gov.uk

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

The Libraries Consortium

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 64120000 - Courier services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 October 2021

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64000000 - Postal and telecommunications services

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

7 October 2021

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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