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Award

Gateshead College: Education Subcontract Services for Music & Performing Arts Students

Gateshead College

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-020155

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-035563

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Gateshead College

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Country

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.gateshead.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.gateshead.ac.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Gateshead College: Education Subcontract Services for Music & Performing Arts Students

Reference number

CA10863 -

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80200000 - Secondary education services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Gateshead College are seeking a partner organisation with an excellent reputation, local World-class facilities and experience of supporting students in the practical element of their chosen course in Music & Performing Arts.

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: £85,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

Main site or place of performance

Gateshead

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Gateshead College are seeking a local partner with their own world-class facilities, to support students studying courses in Music and Performing Arts.

The partner organisation will have appropriately qualified and experienced staff to support learners with the practical element of their studies. The partner organization will deliver a wide variety of instrumental sessions, as well supporting student performances. The partner organization must have facilities within walking distance of Gateshead College's Baltic Campus, and have the flexibility to meet the demands of a busy curriculum timetable.

The partner organisation will assume joint responsibility for student success, support student recruitment events, and support College performances & live events, as well as ensuring all aspects of the learner experience are 'Outstanding'.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

60 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 2x12 month(s)

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

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

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

Explanation:

The Remedies Directive provides for the publication of a "Voluntary Ex-Ante Transparency Notice" (VEAT) where a Contracting Authority deems that a contract does not require prior publication of a contract notice in the Find a Tender Service (FTS).

Gateshead College are issuing this award to the company who they believe are the only company selling something that they need to procure.

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/concession

Contract No

CA10863

Title

Gateshead College: Education Subcontract Services for Music & Performing Arts Students

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 July 2022

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

North Music Trust (Sage Gateshead)

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Gateshead

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Telephone

+44 1914434588

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

www.sagegateshead.com

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Section II.3) – dates refer to the initial contract period and do not include the options of any extensions.

Section IV.3.5) – any dates shown are an estimate.

In the first instance, candidates should register with www.multiquote.com and express an interest in the contract, full details of the contract will be available.

The Contracting Authority shall not be under any obligation to accept any tender. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to cancel the entire or parts of the tender, without such an action conferring any right to compensation on the Tenderers.

The Contracting Authority has no liability to settle any cost incurred by the tenderer as a result of the tendering procedure.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Tenet Education Services

Procurement House, 23 Leslie Hough Way

Salford

M6 4AJ

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point that information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. If an appeal regarding the award of contract has not been successfully resolved then the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by breach of the rules to take action in the High Court. Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months).

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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