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Contract

## **London South East Colleges Invitation to Tender for a Recruitment & Staffing Framework**

London South East Colleges

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-021049

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03ed95

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

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

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#### **NUTS code**

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#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

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Buyer's address

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

#### **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**

London South East Colleges Invitation to Tender for a Recruitment & Staffing Framework

Reference number

CA12721 - OFTS

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

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

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

Services

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

London South East Colleges Invitation to Tender for a Recruitment & Staffing Framework.  
30th October 2023 – 29th October 2026 (Optional 1x 12-month extension until 29th  
October 2027)

#### **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: £5,999,995

### **II.2) Description**

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

General Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

Lot No

1

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

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

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

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

London

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

Provision of General Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 55.00%

Cost criterion - Name: Contract Rates / Weighting: 45.00%

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

48 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 1x12 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

## **II.2) Description**

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

Specialist Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

Lot No

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

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

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

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

London

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

Provision of Specialist Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 55.00%

Cost criterion - Name: Contract Rates / Weighting: 45.00%

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

48 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 1x12 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

## **II.2) Description**

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

Business Support Staff

Lot No

3

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

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

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

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

London

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

Provision of Business Support Staff

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 55.00%

Cost criterion - Name: Contract Rates / Weighting: 45.00%

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

48 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 1x12 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

## **II.2) Description**

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

Leadership and Management Staff

Lot No

4

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

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

Main site or place of performance

London

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

Provision of Leadership and Management Staff

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 55.00%

Cost criterion - Name: Contract Rates / Weighting: 45.00%

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

48 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 1x12 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

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## **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**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-022935](#)

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

### **Contract No**

CA12721

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

General Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 17



The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

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The contractor is an SME

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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: £1,500,000

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

### **Contract No**

CA12721

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Specialist Teaching and Curriculum Management Staff

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

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The contractor is an SME

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No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

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

### **Contract No**

CA12721

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Business Support Staff

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 24

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

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

### **Contract No**

CA12721

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Leadership and Management Staff

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 20

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,499,995

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## **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](http://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**

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#### **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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