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Contract

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon (Lot 1 - North Sea, Lot 2 - Irish Sea) RE-RELEASE

Cefas

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon (Lot 1 - North Sea, Lot 2 - Irish Sea) RE-RELEASE

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 63726800 - Research vessel services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

POSEIDON (Planning Offshore Wind Strategic Environmental Impact DecisiONs) is a Crown Estate-funded project (Offshore Wind Evidence & Change program (OWEC)) led by Natural England. The aim of the project is to provide tools to inform offshore wind planning, to minimise impacts on the natural environment through avoidance and early awareness of likely mitigation / compensation needs, allowing sustainable expansion of offshore wind. This will be achieved through the collection of strategic environmental baseline data and updated spatial models for key species (receptors), assemblages, and a suite of ecological metrics (diversity, functional traits). These will be used to identify regions that are most vulnerable to offshore wind impact and mapping of the

environmental risk to help guide future offshore wind development rounds and to feed into wider marine planning.

This procurement is sub-divided into 2 Lots as set out in the Specification of Requirements. Tenderers must make clear which Lot they are bidding for. Each Lot will be evaluated separately.

<https://defra.bravosolution.co.uk/go/854493290180FAC44266>

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: £673,318.40

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon

Lot No

Lot 1 - North Sea

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34513550 - Survey vessels

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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a suite of ecological metrics (diversity, functional traits). These will be used to identify regions that are most vulnerable to offshore wind impact and mapping of the environmental risk to help guide future offshore wind development rounds and to feed into wider marine planning.

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon

Lot No

Lot 2 - Irish Sea

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34513550 - Survey vessels

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CEFAS22-25

Lot No

Lot 1 - North Sea

Title

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 July 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Ocean Ecology

Unit 5, Severnside Park

Epney

GL2 7LM

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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: £440,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £440,944.40

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Value excluding VAT: £162,625

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Sample analysis

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CEFAS22-25

Lot No

Lot 2 - Irish Sea

Title

CEFAS22-25 OWEC Poseidon

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Briggs Marine Contractors Ltd

Seaforth House, Seaforth Place

Burntisland

KY3 9AX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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: £220,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £232,374

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Value excluding VAT: £137,073

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Sample analysis

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

London

Country

United Kingdom