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Contract

## **Coroners Removal Service on behalf of HM Coroner for East Sussex**

East Sussex County Council

F20: Modification notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-022789

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-048394

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

East Sussex County Council

County Hall, St. Annes Crescent

LEWES

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.eastsussex.gov.uk](http://www.eastsussex.gov.uk)

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Coroners Removal Service on behalf of HM Coroner for East Sussex

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

- 98370000 - Funeral and related services

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

Services

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:**

This notice is for an Extension of the contract only - the contract has already been awarded.

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

72

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract**

Notice number: [2020/S 192-465172](#)

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

### **Contract No**

ESCC - 031551

### **Title**

ESCC JC Provision of Services to Remove Bodies on Behalf of HM Coroner (Coroner Removals)

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

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:**

29 January 2021

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

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

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

C P J Field

Burgess Hill

RH15 8QY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Companies House

02998017

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)**

Total value of the procurement: £305,000

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.3) Additional information**

This notice is for the contract extension only.

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

UK Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom

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**Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession**

**VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications**

**VII.1.1) Main CPV code**

- 98370000 - Funeral and related services

**VII.1.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 98371200 - Undertaking services

**VII.1.3) Place of performance**

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Main site or place of performance

East Sussex

**VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:**

Coroner body removal service divided into Four Lots. This is for the extension only - the main contract has already been awarded.

**VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession**

Duration in months

72

**VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£305,000

**VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

C P J Field

Burgess Hill

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Companies House

02998017

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

**VII.2) Information about modifications**

**VII.2.1) Description of the modifications**

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

The modification is to increase the flat rate fee for the services, and to extend by an additional 12 months.

All contract values are estimated as this is a demand-led contract.

### **VII.2.2) Reasons for modification**

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

Due to the fluctuating economic climate we have been in since the contract was entered into, the contracting authority could not have foreseen the supplier asking for a price increase, at the point of the contract extension.

### **VII.2.3) Increase in price**

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £305,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £430,000