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Contract

## **ID 4769963 - NIPS - Supply and Delivery of Control and Restraint Equipment and Accessories**

The Northern Ireland Prison Service

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-023206

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03bd7a

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

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

The Northern Ireland Prison Service

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

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

Main address

<https://www.justice-ni.gov.uk/topics/prisons>

Buyer's address

<https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/topics/procurement>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

ID 4769963 - NIPS - Supply and Delivery of Control and Restraint Equipment and Accessories

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

- 18143000 - Protective gear

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

Supplies

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

The Northern Ireland Prison Service wish to establish a contract(s) for the supply and delivery of a range of Control and Restraint equipment and accessories. Please refer to the specification for full details of the requirement.

### **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: £400,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 1 – Public Order Shields

Lot No

1

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 35100000 - Emergency and security equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

The Northern Ireland Prison Service wish to establish a contract(s) for the supply and delivery of a range of Control and Restraint equipment and accessories. Please refer to the specification for full details of the requirement.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Supply Chain / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 80

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

The contract is for an initial period of 5 years followed by 5 optional extension periods of 12 months each.

### **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**

Lot 2 - Public Order Protection

Lot No

2

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 35100000 - Emergency and security equipment

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### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 3 - Public Order Helmet

Lot No

3

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 35100000 - Emergency and security equipment

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- UKN - Northern Ireland

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## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 4 – Flame Retardant Clothing

Lot No

4

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 35100000 - Emergency and security equipment

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#### **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**

Lot 5 – Batons

Lot No

5

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories

- 35100000 - Emergency and security equipment

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## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 6 – Accessories

Lot No

6

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

- 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing
- 18444110 - Helmets
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
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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 000-010235](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 – Public Order Shields

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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

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

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Country

United Kingdom

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Internet address

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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: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Lot 2 - Public Order Protection

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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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: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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

### **Contract No**

3

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Lot 3 - Public Order Helmet

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

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Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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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: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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

### **Contract No**

4

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Lot 4 – Flame Retardant Clothing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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

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No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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

### **Contract No**

5

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

Lot 5 – Batons

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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

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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: £75,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £75,000

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

### **Contract No**

6

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Lot 6 – Accessories

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 August 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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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: £25,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £25,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Please note that information relating to contractors engaged by the Northern Ireland Department of Justice, and associated bodies, is not published in any publicly accessible forum or publication. This is to protect such contractors, whose security and safety could be threatened by dissident terrorist organisations still active in Northern Ireland if their details became known. This is consistent with Regulation 50(6)(a). Since this is a demand-led requirement, neither CPD nor Northern Ireland Prison Service can provide any guarantee as to the level of business under this contract. The estimated contract values are broad estimates only, include additional quantum for unforeseen demand and to future proof for additional potential users. The estimates are not deemed to be a condition of contract nor a guarantee of minimum demand or uptake. No compensation will be payable to a contractor should the actual demand be less than that stated. Contract monitoring: the successful Contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored. Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a Contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve.

If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a notice of written warning and notice of unsatisfactory performance, and this contract may be terminated. The issue of a notice of written warning and notice of unsatisfactory performance will result in the Contractor being excluded from all procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of up to 3 years from the date of issue of the notice.

## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in

Country

United Kingdom

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD complied with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended) and incorporated a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of contract was communicated to tenderers. That notification provided full information on the award decision. This provided time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract was entered into.