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Contract

Ongoing Business Case Consultancy

North Wales Economic Ambition Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02abc2

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

North Wales Economic Ambition Board

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www.northwaleseab.co.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0361

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Ongoing Business Case Consultancy

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The NWEAB seeks to appoint a long-term partner to support the Portfolio Management Office with a number of business cases over the next 5 years, with the project business cases expected to be delivered over the next 12-36 months.

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: £450,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The NWEAB seeks to appoint a long-term partner to support the Portfolio Management Office with a number of business cases over the next 5 years, with the project business cases expected to be delivered over the next 12-36 months.

Work Packages

The exact level of support required will vary depending on the project; however, the type of support expected will broadly fall into 3 categories.

1. Annual Updates of existing Portfolio and Programme Business Cases

- Updating economic cases based on latest project information;
- Reviewing updated content from other cases created by the Portfolio Management Office;
- The Annual update of the Portfolio and Programme Business Case(s) will need to be carried out during the Summer months ready for submission to Governments during September. The 2021 update will need to be completed immediately following the appointment during July/August 2021.

2. Review/critique of business cases submitted by partners to the Portfolio Management Office

- Review of project business cases submitted and production of recommendations for Portfolio Management Office to consider.
- Training/upskilling of Portfolio Management Office to undertake own reviews.

3. Support the Portfolio Management Office to develop project business cases

- Provide advice and guidance to the Portfolio Management Office on the development of the business cases;
- Facilitating workshops as per the Better Business Case guidance;
- Development of economic, commercial and financial cases;
- Review and critique of other cases developed by the Portfolio Management Office.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

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

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: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

Ongoing Business Case Consultancy

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 September 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Hatch Associates Limited

20 St Andrew Street, Holborn

London

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Telephone

+44 7961306791

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £450,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £450,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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