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Awarded contract

SMART Technology Adoption for Digital Innovation Acceleration Support for Businesses

Welsh Government

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Welsh Government

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UKL - Wales

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Main address

<http://gov.wales>

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0007

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

SMART Technology Adoption for Digital Innovation Acceleration Support for Businesses

Reference number

C300/2020/2021

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79415000 - Production management consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Welsh Government is seeking to engage with quality providers to deliver a service that will support businesses across Wales to embrace digital and automation technologies, employing an Industry 4.0 approach to create a more resilient manufacturing base, and so a more resilient Wales.

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: £309,900

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71323000 - Engineering-design services for industrial process and production
- 72220000 - Systems and technical consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Client is seeking to engage with quality providers to deliver a service that will support businesses across Wales to embrace digital and automation technologies, employing an Industry 4.0 approach to create a more resilient manufacturing base, and so a more resilient Wales.

The support will focus on three key areas:

Digital Simulation – including digital twinning, and Augmented Reality (AR)/Virtual Reality (VR) technologies.

Automation – including robotics, mass customisation

Digital systems – including Artificial Intelligence (AI), Big Data, Internet of Things (IoT).

The successful providers must have substantial industry experience applicable to the Manufacturing sector in order to provide an expert consultancy service to businesses across Wales.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Demonstrate Skills and expertise to deliver high quality digital technology technical reports within timescale and on a pan-Wales geographical basis / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Ability to demonstrate a sound Business Support Process / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Ability to demonstrate Relationships and networks to promote the objectives of the service / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Demonstrate value added Marketing activities / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 20

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2021/S 000-010954](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

C300/2020/2021

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 September 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

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

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL14 - South West Wales

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £309,900

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

E-TENDER INFORMATION:

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

- The first person from your Organisation to use the Platform will be required to register on behalf of the Organisation.
- Registration involves accepting a User Agreement, and providing basic information about your Organisation and about the User performing the Registration.
- The User who performs the Registration becomes the Super User for the Organisation.
- On registering on the Platform the Super User will select a Username and will receive a password.
- The Password will be sent by e-mail to the email address that was specified in the User Details section of the Registration page.
- In order to log-in to the Platform please enter your Username and Password.
- Note: If you forget your Password then visit the homepage and click “Forgot your password?”
- Registration should only be performed once for each Organisation.
- If you think that someone in your Organisation may have already registered on this Platform then you must not register again.
- Please contact the person who Registered (i.e. the Super User) in order to arrange access to the Platform.
- Contact the Helpdesk immediately if you are unable to contact the Super User (for example if they have left your Organisation).
- Note: If your Organisation is already registered on the Platform then you must not make any additional registration. Please contact the Helpdesk to gain access to the Platform.
- Tenders must be uploaded to the BravoSolution portal by 2pm

HOW TO FIND THE ITT:

- Once logged in you must click on 'ITT's Open to all Suppliers'
- The etender references for this contract are: Project_46840 and
ITT_86624
- Click on the title to access summary details of the contract. If you are still interested in submitting a tender, click the 'Express an Interest button'. This will move the ITT from the 'Open to all Suppliers' area to the 'My ITT's' on the home page.
- You will then see the full details of the ITT in the qualification and technical envelopes along with any relevant documents in the 'Attachments' area.
- Should you have any questions on the ITT, please use the 'Messages' area to contact the buyer directly – Please do not contact the named person at the top of this notice.

NOTE: The authority is using eTenderwales to carry out this procurement process. To obtain further information record your interest on Sell2Wales at

http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search_switch.aspx?ID=109699

(WA Ref:109699)

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

as described in the tender documents

The buyer considers that this contract is suitable for consortia bidding.

(WA Ref:114614)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

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