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Contract

## **ID 3793446 - DFI - Roads and Rivers - Winter Service GPS System**

Department for Infrastructure

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-033b3f

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Buyer's address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

**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 3793446 - DFI - Roads and Rivers - Winter Service GPS System

Reference number

ID 3793446

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

- 38112100 - Global navigation and positioning systems (GPS or equivalent)

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

Supplies

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

Procurement is for supply and installation and support and maintenance of a Winter Service GPS and Route Navigation system that will be used to track and monitor approximately 135 DfI Roads gritting vehicles throughout the whole of Northern Ireland. The Organisation is divided into 4 geographical areas, North, South, East and West. Each area contains a number of depots and vehicles are assigned to these depots. The Winter Service GPS and Route Navigation system will be an important element in delivering an effective and efficient winter service operation and providing the travelling public with a level of confidence during adverse winter weather conditions. The system will be required to provide vital Winter Service data as well as providing route navigation within the Winter Service fleet.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 72267100 - Maintenance of information technology software
- 34933000 - Navigation equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Qualitative Criteria / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 60

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

This contract will be potentially be due to be re-procured after initial contract period or following any extension period

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

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: 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**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-013473](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

A contract/lot is awarded: No

### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

The successful contractor's performance on this contract will be managed as per the specification and regularly monitored (see.. Procurement Guidance Note 01/12 — Contract. Management — Procedures and Principles). 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 unsatisfactory performance and this. contract may be terminated. A central register.. of such notices for supplies and services. contracts will be maintained and published on the CPD website. Any contractor in receipt of... a. notice of unsatisfactory performance will be required to declare this in future tender. submissions for a period of 3 years from the.. date of issue of the notice. It may also 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. The authority expressly.. reserves. the rights: (i) not to award any. contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice;.. (ii) to. make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the tendering. competition; (iii) to award (a) contract(s) in. respect of. any part(s) of the (services) covered. by this 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. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR2015 as amended

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

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

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD will comply with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended) and, where appropriate, will incorporate a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of contract is. communicated to tenderers. No award was made.