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Contract

ID 3260557 DFE- InterTradelreland Cross-Border Supply Chain Assessment Tool and Development and Practical Support

InterTradeIreland

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

InterTradeIreland

Old Gasworks Business Park, Kilmorey St

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS 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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

ID 3260557 DFE- InterTradeIreland Cross-Border Supply Chain Assessment Tool and Development and Practical Support

Reference number

ID 3260557

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

In support of a broader supply chain programme development, InterTradeIreland requires a Contractor to develop and pilot a supply chain assessment and development tool, which aims to assess the resilience of individual SME supply chains. The contractor will be

required to recruit SMEs to the pilot, develop and deliver the assessment and development tool with the SMEs and develop bespoke action plans for each participant SME.

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: £189,450

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services
- 79410000 Business and management consultancy services
- 79411000 General management consultancy services
- 79411100 Business development consultancy services
- 79900000 Miscellaneous business and business-related services
- 72220000 Systems and technical consultancy services
- 72221000 Business analysis consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN Northern Ireland
- IE Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: AC1 Programme Delivery: Development of Supply Chain Assessment Tool / Weighting: 22.4

Quality criterion - Name: AC2 Programme Delivery: Recruitment Action Plan Delivery / Weighting: 22.4

Quality criterion - Name: AC3 Key Delivery Personnel Experience / Weighting: 12.6

Quality criterion - Name: AC4 Programme Director Experience / Weighting: 4.2

Quality criterion - Name: AC5 Implementation Plan / Weighting: 4.2

Quality criterion - Name: AC6 Contract Management; Programme Reporting, Monitoring Evaluation / Weighting: 4.2

Cost criterion - Name: AC7 Total Contract Price / Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The initial period of Contract will be for a period of up to 15 months. Funding has only been approved for the initial period. In the event that additional funding is secured the contract may be extended for a further period of up to 6 months and the daily rates from the initial period will be applied to any additional work required.

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: <u>2021/S 000-015749</u>

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

Title

Contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

13 October 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

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: 4 The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor WINNING MOVES LTD

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Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

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: £240,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £189,450

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Contract Monitoring. The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored in line with PGN 01/12. 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 Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance and the contract may be terminated. The issue of a Certificate 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 twelve months from the date of issue of the certificate.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any such bodies with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015 as amended.

Belfast

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.