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Contract

Supply, Delivery, Installation and Maintenance of Water Coolers & Associated Consumables

Scotland Excel

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-036ab3

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Telephone

+44 1414888230

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM83 - Inverclyde, East Renfrewshire and Renfrewshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10383

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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply, Delivery, Installation and Maintenance of Water Coolers & Associated Consumables

Reference number

20-21

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 31141000 - Water coolers

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

the proposed framework agreement of, including but not limited to, the supply, delivery, installation, sanitisation and maintenance of water

coolers and associated consumables.

The framework agreement is anticipated to run for an initial 26 months with the option to extend for up to one further 12 month periods

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: £4,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Bottled Water Coolers and Associated Products (including installation)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15981000 - Mineral water
- 65111000 - Drinking-water distribution
- 15981200 - Sparkling mineral water
- 15981100 - Still mineral water
- 42968100 - Drinks dispensers
- 39221121 - Cups
- 39222120 - Disposable cups

- 39221120 - Cups and glasses
- 39173000 - Storage units
- 18925000 - Water-bottle holders and holsters
- 31141000 - Water coolers
- 41100000 - Natural water

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Throughout Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot is intended to set up an arrangement whereby the contracting authorities entitled to purchase under the proposed framework agreement can procure and/or lease bottled water coolers (approximately 11 and 19 litres) including the supply, delivery and installation of these coolers.

Associated products are also covered, including bottled water, cups and racks for storing bottled water

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 80

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

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.2.14) Additional information

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Plumbed-In Water Coolers (including installation)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 42912310 - Water filtration apparatus
- 42912330 - Water-purifying apparatus
- 42968100 - Drinks dispensers
- 42912300 - Machinery and apparatus for filtering or purifying water
- 51514110 - Installation services of machinery and apparatus for filtering or purifying water

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Throughout Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot is intended to set up an arrangement whereby the contracting authorities entitled to purchase under the proposed framework agreement can procure and/or lease plumbed in water coolers including the supply, delivery and installation of the coolers.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 80

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Sanitisation and Maintenance of Bottled and Plumbed-In Water Coolers

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50883000 - Repair and maintenance services of catering equipment
- 90900000 - Cleaning and sanitation services
- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services
- 50800000 - Miscellaneous repair and maintenance services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Throughout Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This lot is intended to set up an arrangement whereby the contracting authorities entitled to purchase under the proposed framework agreement can procure the sanitisation and maintenance of bottled and plumbed-in water coolers.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 80

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

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referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used

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 022-691163](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

2

Title

Plumbed-In Water Coolers (including installation)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 5

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Total Refreshment Solutions Ltd t/a Alba Water / Arumba Coffee

98/7 Eastfield Drive

Penicuik

EH26 8HJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM73 - East Lothian and Midlothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Excel Vending Limited

12-16 Langlands Avenue

East Kilbride

G75 0YG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM95 - South Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Eden Springs UK Ltd

3 Livingstone Boulevard, Hamilton International Technology Park, Blantyre

Glasgow

G72 0BP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

The contractor is an SME

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Waterlogic GB Ltd

Shaw House

Wolverhampton

WV10 9LE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Aquaid

Unit 7, Block 6, Fullwood Ind Estate, Burnbank road

Hamilton

ML39AZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

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: £1,680,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,680,000

Section V. Award of contract

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £640,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £640,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

Bottled Water Coolers and Associated Products (including installation)

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V.2) Award of contract

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Zip Heaters (UK) Ltd

14-15 Bertie Ward Way, Rash's Green, Dereham , Norfolk

Norfolk

NR19 1TE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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: £1,680,000

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Scotland Excel is a central purchasing body and is procuring this framework on behalf of the following contracting authorities (and

successor bodies):

- The 32 local authorities in Scotland listed at <http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk/home/Aboutus/Ourmembers/Local-authorities.aspx>;

- Advanced Procurement for Universities and Colleges (APUC Ltd) and their member organisations across the higher and further education

sector in Scotland and their associated and affiliated bodies;

- NHS Scotland entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards,

Special Health Boards and the Authority or other NHS Organisation established pursuant to the NHS (Scotland) Act 1978), any integrated

Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

- Scotland Excel associate members listed at <http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk/home/Aboutus/Ourmembers/Associate-members.aspx>;

- any Integration Authority, or other body, established pursuant to the Public Bodies (Joint Working)(Scotland) Act 2014

The above is subject to each contracting authority entering into and maintaining a relevant membership agreement or other access

agreement with Scotland Excel. Rebates apply to this framework. For further details, please see the Special Conditions of Contract.

(SC Ref:707617)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Court of Session

Edinburgh

EH1 1RQ

Telephone

+44 314443300

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

An economic operator that suffers, or risks suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts

(Scotland) Regulations 2015 (SSI2015/446)(as amended) may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session