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## **Hyper Converged Infrastructure (HCI) data storage solution**

Accent Housing Ltd

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-026662

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03fb4e

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

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

Accent Housing Ltd

Charlestown House, Acorn Park Industrial Estate, Charlestown

Shipleigh

BD17 7SW

#### **Email**

[noreply@AccentGroup.org](mailto:noreply@AccentGroup.org)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.accentgroup.org/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.accentgroup.org/>

### **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/>

### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

### **I.5) Main activity**

Housing and community amenities

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Hyper Converged Infrastructure (HCI) data storage solution

Reference number

DN688629

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

Services

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

Accent Housing Limited (Accent) are seeking suitably qualified Operators/Suppliers to provide Accent with the correct solution including new hardware, software and the appropriate implementation services (demonstrating a high level of expertise in the product set) to allow Accent to replace our primary data centre infrastructure with a Hyper Converged Infrastructure ((HCI) or Storage Area Network solution for that primary data centre infrastructure.

You can access the information free of charge via the Proactis portal:

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ITT Information

DATE OF ISSUE OF ITT: 08th September 2023

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TIME; ON OR BEFORE: 10:00hrs

Contract Duration: 60 Months\*

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 30210000 - Data-processing machines (hardware)

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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

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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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

9 October 2023

Local time

10:00am

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom