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Contract

Hartlepool College of Further Education - Provision of Welding Bays

Hartlepool College of Further Education

F03: Contract award notice Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-028007 Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03e4da Published 22 September 2023, 10:45am

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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+44 1376515970

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.hartlepoolfe.ac.uk/

Buyer's address

http://www.hartlepoolfe.ac.uk/

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Hartlepool College of Further Education - Provision of Welding Bays

Reference number

CA12675 -

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 42662000 - Welding equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Hartlepool College of Further Education require 43 welding booths that protect students from sparks, dangerous UV light and include soundproofing for noise reduction.

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: £183,195

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 44315100 - Welding accessories

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKC11 - Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees

Main site or place of performance

Hartlepool

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Hartlepool College of Further Education require 43 welding booths that protect students from sparks, dangerous UV light and include soundproofing for noise reduction.

The new plans for Fabrication and Welding allows for 43 welding bays, which is an increase on the current welding bay capacity by 50%, as well as the introduction of a clean bay to test on stainless steel and aluminium and 3 weld test bays.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 100.00%

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

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

• The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:

• absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

The Remedies Directive provides for the publication of a "Voluntary Ex-Ante Transparency Notice" (VEAT) where a Contracting Authority deems that a contract does not require prior publication of a contract notice in the Find a Tender Service (FTS).

Hartlepool College Of Further Education are issuing this award to the company who they believe are the only company selling something that they need

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CA12675

Title

Hartlepool College of Further Education - Provision of Welding Bays

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 September 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Weld Safe Products Ltd

Unit 6, Hawarden Ind Park, Manor Lane

HAWARDEN

CH53PZ

Email

mark@weld-safe.co.uk

Telephone

+44 1244531667

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

www.weld-safe.co.uk

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £366,390

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Section II.3) – dates refer to the initial contract period and do not include the options of any extensions.

Section IV.3.5) – any dates shown are an estimate.

In the first instance, candidates should register with <u>www.multiquote.com</u> and express an interest in the contract, full details of the contract will be available.

The Contracting Authority shall not be under any obligation to accept any tender. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to cancel the entire or parts of the tender, without such an action conferring any right to compensation on the Tenderers.

The Contracting Authority has no liability to settle any cost incurred by the tenderer as a result of the tendering procedure.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Tenet Education Services

Procurement House, 23 Leslie Hough Way

Salford

M6 4AJ

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point that information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. If an appeal regarding the award of contract has not been successfully resolved then the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by breach of the rules to take action in the High Court. Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months).

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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