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Contract

Soil Moisture mapping of Welsh Tips

The Coal Authority

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Coal Authority

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKF15 - North Nottinghamshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/the-coal-authority>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Soil Moisture mapping of Welsh Tips

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 90711000 - Environmental impact assessment other than for construction

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Groundsat study to provide soil moisture maps and analysis of the tips and immediately adjacent area, including catchment / watershed areas impacting, and influencing the tips. This data will assist in the evaluation of landslide susceptibility of the tips and help inform prioritisation of the sites, in terms of the location of pro-active interventions and / or more focussed monitoring.

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: £227,438

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

It has been identified that developments in Goundsat technology may be able to support with the monitoring of tip stability and prediction of slips and other hazards which have the potential to impact on public safety, and through this provide further stability reassurance.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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:

Due to the urgency of this requirement, an advertisement has not been achievable.

Central Alliance are the provider of this type of service and has specific patented technology to deliver this service.

The risk being managed by this project is significant and this work needs to take place at specific times of the year - Phase one needs to be during minimal rainfall, which is beginning, of September 2021 and Phase two during heavy rainfall (February 2022).

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 September 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Central Alliance Pre Construction Services Limited

Cheshire

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £227,438

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Coal Authority

Mansfield

Country

United Kingdom