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Contract

ACE 496a ITT Artsmark Specialist Training Provider

The Arts Council of England

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Arts Council of England

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.artscouncil.org.uk/supplying-arts-council>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Arts Council England is the national development agency for creativity and culture

Section II: Object**II.1) Scope of the procurement****II.1.1) Title**

ACE 496a ITT Artsmark Specialist Training Provider

Reference number

ACE 496a ITT

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80510000 - Specialist training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

A national training provider is required to deliver training and support sessions that will facilitate schools across England to achieve an Artsmark Award. Services will include: Advocacy for Artsmark Award and active recruitment of schools to register; Delivery of Development training sessions for schools; Delivery of training and support sessions for writing key Artsmark documents; Provide advice and support for schools through the Artsmark journey; Sign-posting school to cultural partners, LCEP, other schools to encourage partnership and peer support; Resource development; Reporting and 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: £696,300

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Artsmark journey; Sign-posting school to cultural partners, LCEP, other schools to encourage partnership and peer support; Resource development; Reporting and monitoring

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Project Management / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Expertise & Capacity of Teams / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Understanding the brief / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Risk Management / Weighting: 7.5

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 35

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

II.2.14) Additional information

This is a procurement under Section 7 Social and Other Specific Services ("Light Touch Regime") of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015

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: [2023/S 000-007302](#)

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

31 May 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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National registration number

RC000715

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £750,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £696,300

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

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London

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United Kingdom