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Contract

## **Supply of Materials and Associated Services**

Procurement Assist Limited c/o Integrated Facilities Management Bolton Ltd (iFM Bolton)

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-028892

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03d3cb

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

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

Procurement Assist Limited c/o Integrated Facilities Management Bolton Ltd (iFM Bolton)

Royal Bolton Hospital, Minerva Road, Farnworth

Bolton

BL4 0JR

#### **Email**

[tenders@procurementassist.co.uk](mailto:tenders@procurementassist.co.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 3301281336

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.boltonft.nhs.uk/about-us/trust-profile/ifm-bolton/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.procurementassist.co.uk>

**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**

Health

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Supply of Materials and Associated Services

Reference number

PA FW MAT 01

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

- 44000000 - Construction structures and materials; auxiliary products to construction (except electric apparatus)

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

Supplies

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

Procurement Assist Limited invites to tender organisations wishing to participate in a 48 month national Framework Agreement for the Supply of Materials and Associated Services. The Framework Agreement shall operate as a supplies agreement, across the United Kingdom, including Wales, Scotland, England and Northern Ireland. The Framework Agreement will be accessible by all current and future Clients of Procurement Assist Limited. This Contract Award Notice is to notify the decision of Procurement Assist Limited to abandon this procurement process. Reasons are set out below.

#### **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: £1

### **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**

Procurement Assist Limited invited to tender organisations wishing to participate in a 48 month national Framework Agreement for the Supply of Materials and Associated Services. The Framework Agreement was to operate as a supplies agreement, across the United Kingdom, including Wales, Scotland, England and Northern Ireland. The Framework Agreement would have been accessible by all current and future Clients of Procurement Assist Limited. The Framework Agreement may have been used by all NHS Trusts, Social Housing Providers, Local Authorities, Blue Light Services, Education establishments and Charities, and all other contracting authorities that are located in the United Kingdom including those listed in Schedule 1 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015/102. The scope of the Framework Agreement was to supply materials to the public sector, through various delivery service models and provide associated services to maintain a sustainable supply chain. The procurement process was undertaken, and upon evaluation of submissions, on 8 August 2023 it was identified that separate evaluation criteria should have been applied across the Lots rather than one criteria applied across all Lots. After careful consideration Procurement Assist Limited made the decision to abandon the procurement process under Regulation 55 (1) (a) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (PCR2015) for the Supply of Materials and Associated Services Framework Agreement for which there has been a call for competition. All bidders were notified of this decision and this procurement process is now closed. Procurement Assist will assess the evaluation criterion methodology and seek to re-tender the framework agreement at a later date.

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

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

#### **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**

Restricted procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-019188](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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## **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**

8 August 2023

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

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

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

N/A

N/A

N/A

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

N/A

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: £1

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/delta/viewNotice.html?noticeId=812778477>

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

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

The High Court

Royal Court of Justice, London

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

The High Court

Royal Court of justice, London

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

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

The High Court

Royal Court of Justice, London

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom