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Award

HR and Payroll System

UNIVERSITY OF YORK

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

HR and Payroll System

Reference number

UY/PROC/298

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 48450000 - Time accounting or human resources software package

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

HR and Payroll System licence and support

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: £780,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKE21 - York

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

HR and Payment System licence and support renewal

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

The University of York (including its associated entities) intends to extend its current HR and Payroll System contract with its current provider for a 5 year period commencing 1st April 2022 without a call for competition. The University's reasons are: The cost of acquiring and implementing a new HR and Payroll system is considerable. The University has no current funding provision to replace the HR and Payroll System particularly in the context of a post-COVID environment and has more critical strategic IT priorities. In addition it does not have the resource and capacity to undertake the significant work required to carry out a migration to a new solution. However, the University believes that the current provider is unlikely to be able to extend the current "on-premise" arrangement at the end of the 5 year term and therefore at that point the University intends (in line with its strategic IT ambition) to move to a cloud/SaaS solution following a competitive tender process.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 December 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Zellis UK Limited

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKK11 - Bristol, City of

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £780,000

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

University of York

York

Country

United Kingdom