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## **Student Portfolio Software (Pebblepad)**

University Of The West Of England

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

University Of The West Of England

Frenchay Campus,Coldharbour Lane

BRISTOL

BS161QY

#### **Email**

[purchasing@uwe.ac.uk](mailto:purchasing@uwe.ac.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKK11 - Bristol, City of

#### **Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.uwe.ac.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Student Portfolio Software (Pebblepad)

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 48900000 - Miscellaneous software package and computer systems

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

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**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: £414,744.14

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKK11 - Bristol, City of

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This is a 3 + 1 year contract extension related to a prior procurement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract/concession**

### **Contract No**

316519

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract/concession**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

21 July 2023

#### **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**

PebblePad Learning Limited

E-Innovation Centre, University of Wolverhampton

Telford

TF2 9FT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

Companies House

04922922

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £414,744.14

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

University of the West of England

Frenchay Campus, Coldharbour Lane

Bristol

BS16 1QY

Country

United Kingdom