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Contract

RM6262 Crown Hosting II

Crown Commercial Service

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03131c

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Crown Commercial Service

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/ccs

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

70220000 - Non-residential property renting or leasing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This single supplier framework relates to the rental of managed premises (data centre colocation facilities) and provision of associated products and services. Specifically, rental of highly secure premises across at least three locations separated by no less than 15km, suitable for HMG data at all security classifications and critical to the continued running of the nation. Associated products and services will include; data network connectivity onsite, between and from Crown Hosting Data Centres, on-site assistance to remote IT service personnel, ICT relocation services and procurement assistance.

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: £250,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 30200000 Computer equipment and supplies
- 31000000 Electrical machinery, apparatus, equipment and consumables; lighting
- 39000000 Furniture (incl. office furniture), furnishings, domestic appliances (excl. lighting) and cleaning products
- 42992000 Special-purpose electrical goods
- 44000000 Construction structures and materials; auxiliary products to construction (except electric apparatus)
- 50300000 Repair, maintenance and associated services related to personal computers, office equipment, telecommunications and audio-visual equipment
- 50600000 Repair and maintenance services of security and defence materials
- 50700000 Repair and maintenance services of building installations
- 51000000 Installation services (except software)
- 51600000 Installation services of computers and office equipment
- 64200000 Telecommunications services
- 65300000 Electricity distribution and related services
- 65400000 Other sources of energy supplies and distribution
- 65500000 Meter reading service
- 70000000 Real estate services
- 70332300 Industrial property services
- 72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 79700000 Investigation and security services

- 90900000 Cleaning and sanitation services
- 92222000 Closed circuit television services
- 98390000 Other services
- 98391000 Decommissioning services
- 98392000 Relocation services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The rental of managed premises (data centre colocation facilities) and provision of associated products and services. Specifically, rental of highly secure premises across at least three locations separated by no less than 15km, suitable for HMG data at all security classifications and critical to the continued running of the nation. Associated products and services will include; data network connectivity on-site, between and from Crown Hosting Data Centres, on-site assistance to remote IT service personnel, ICT relocation services and procurement assistance.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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

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:

A Voluntary Ex-Ante Transparency Notice (VEAT) was released on 3 February 2022 and a corrigendum, regarding a new date for the award, was issued on 21 September 2022. The purpose of the VEAT Notice was to inform the market of a proposed award of a framework agreement in accordance with Regulation 32(2)(b)(ii) of the PCR 2015, which permits a contract to be awarded without prior publication where competition is absent for technical reasons. CCS determined that a seven (7) year framework was justifiable to enable multiple customers to start and complete four (4) year full relocation programmes.

CCS received no enquires with regard to VEAT Notice and has now awarded the contract to Crown Hosting Data Centres Limited.

For further information on the VEAT Notice please find a link to the notice here: https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/026407-2022

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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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

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

RM6262

Title

Crown Hosting II

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 October 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Crown Hosting Data Centres Limited

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Corsham

SN13 9GB

Email

info@crownhostingdc.co.uk

Telephone

+44 3332070703

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

https://crownhostingdc.co.uk/

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £250,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Minister for the Cabinet Office acting through Crown Commercial Service

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