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UKRI-1871 MRC LMB Electrical Services

UK Research & Innovation

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.ukri.org/

Buyer's address

https://ukri.delta-esourcing.com/

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UKRI-1871 MRC LMB Electrical Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 50711000 - Repair and maintenance services of electrical building installations

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

MRC LMB Electrical Service Maintenance Contract

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: £235,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50116100 Electrical-system repair services
- 50532000 Repair and maintenance services of electrical machinery, apparatus and associated equipment
- 50532400 Repair and maintenance services of electrical distribution equipment
- 50711000 Repair and maintenance services of electrical building installations
- 71314100 Electrical services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Cambridgeshire CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

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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

13 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

Drax Limtied

Letchworth Garden City

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

12223843

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £235,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

UKRI

Swindon

Country

United Kingdom