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Contract

Legal Services Framework

Manchester Metropolitan University

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03486e

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Manchester Metropolitan University

All Saints Building, Oxford Road

Manchester

M15 6BH

Contact

Stacey Anderton

Email

s.anderton@mmu.ac.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD33 - Manchester

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/mmu.aspx/Home>

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

Legal Services Framework

Reference number

MMU891

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79100000 - Legal services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University wishes to procure a framework of appropriately experienced legal firms to support the University's Legal Team in all aspects of their work. The firms will provide a high quality, commercial legal service to the University. There will be up to three firms appointed in total.

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: £2,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79100000 - Legal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD33 - Manchester

Main site or place of performance

Manchester Metropolitan University

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Requirements / Weighting: 60%

Price - Weighting: 40%

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

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

MMU891

Lot No

1

Title

Legal Services Framework

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 November 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Addleshaw Goddards LLP

One St Peter's Square

Manchester

M2 3DE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

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: £2,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Mills & Reeve LLP

1 Circle Square Symphony Park

Manchester

M1 7FS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Pinsent Masons LLP

3 Hardman St

Manchester

M3 3AU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of Justice of England

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom