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Contract

Research Assurance External Audit Services

University of Bristol

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-032280

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02e63a

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Bristol

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Telephone

+44 01179289000

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKK11 - Bristol, City of

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.bristol.ac.uk

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

Research Assurance External Audit Services

Reference number

SC-2101-026-PC 1719

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79212100 - Financial auditing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The provision of an audit certification services for projects the University undertakes which are externally funded by grants.

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: £450,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79212000 Auditing services
- 79212100 Financial auditing services
- 79212300 Statutory audit services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK11 - Bristol, City of

Main site or place of performance

Bristol

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

An audit service provider for external audit services for externally funded research projects.

This will result in a fully signed audit report as per the Funders requirements.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Aspects / Weighting: 65%

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 35%

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

Open procedure

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

Notice number: <u>2021/S 000-024267</u>

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

SC-2101-026-PC 1719

Title

Research Assurance External Audit Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 December 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

CG Lee Limited T/A LEES Chartered Certified Accountants and Registered Auditors

Ingram House, Meridian Way

Norwich

NR7 0TA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

National registration number

04715326

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £450,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Strand

London

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Bidders have the right to appeal as set out in the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

Proceedings under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 are time limited and any such proceedings must be brought in the High Court of England and Wales.