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#### Contract

### **External Audit Services**

London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-032431

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-043b22

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

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#### Contact

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

RC000330

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.lshtm.ac.uk

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/104519

## 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

**External Audit Services** 

Reference number

LSHTM-2023-10

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79212100 - Financial auditing services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

We are looking to appoint a supplier to provide External Audit Services in accordance with the Companies Act and relevant professional standards. We are seeking to put in place a new contract for four years, commencing in May 2024. As a higher education institution, we are required to carry out external audit of our financial statements for statutory compliance purposes. In addition to this we are also required to provide audited annual financial statements to our regulator, the Office for Students. The scope of service includes audit of the school's financial statements and the subsidiary company financial statements, together known as 'the Group'.

#### 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: £701,700

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Central London

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

We are looking to appoint a supplier to provide External Audit Services in accordance with the Companies Act and relevant professional standards. We are seeking to put in place a new contract for four years, commencing in May 2024. As a higher education institution, we are required to carry out external audit of our financial statements for statutory compliance purposes. In addition to this we are also required to provide audited annual financial statements to our regulator, the Office for Students. The scope of service includes audit of the school's financial statements and the subsidiary company financial statements, together known as 'the Group'. There are a total of four subsidiary companies, of which three require an audit. Three subsidiaries are wholly owned UK subsidiaries (Chariot Innovations Limited, LSHTM Developments Limited and Sustainable Climate Impact Fund Limited). The fourth subsidiary is a non-trading Ugandan entity which is consolidated but does not require separate financial statements.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70%

Price - Weighting: 30%

#### 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: 2024/S 000-005384

### Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

1

#### **Title**

**External Audit Services** 

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

8 August 2024

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

**BDO LLP** 

55 Baker St

London

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publicsectorsales@bdo.co.uk

Telephone

+44 02078933029

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

OC305127 (Company registration

Internet address

http://www.bdo.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: £701,700

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.4) Procedures for review

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The Royal Courts of Justice

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WC2A 2LL

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**United Kingdom** 

### VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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