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Award

Unit4 Cloud Migration to ERP System

Public Sector Partnership Services Ltd

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04a7e7

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

Region code

UKF30 - Lincolnshire

Companies House

07289357

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.pspsl.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.pspsl.co.uk/>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Local Authority Trading Company

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Unit4 Cloud Migration to ERP System

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72267000 - Software maintenance and repair services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

To undertake Cloud Migration from current on-premise solution to Unit4 Cloud and then subsequently enter into a 7-year contract, utilising their ERP system.

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: £2,056,927.50

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 48451000 - Enterprise resource planning software package

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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

Explanation:

We are undertaking a direct award via Embridge, as they are our current system provider. Unit4 have mandated that clients move from hosted solutions to their cloud-based solution. With this in mind, we have negotiated a 7-year contract for Unit4 ERP. This includes the facility for a HR & Payroll provision. With the timings provided to us by Unit 4, we have not had sufficient time to procure this via a tender process and there would be a substantial cost increase entering into this agreement via the G Cloud.

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

11 October 2024

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

Embridge Consulting (UK) Ltd

Kent Space Ebbsfleet Springhead Enterprise Park, Springhead Road

Northfleet

DA11 8HJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

Companies House

09600193

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £2,056,927.50

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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