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Contract

## **Provision of Minibuses to the British Embassy Tirana**

Foreign Commonwealth and Development Office

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-development-office>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Provision of Minibuses to the British Embassy Tirana

Reference number

CPG/10124/2023

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 34114400 - Minibuses

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

The provision of 22 minibuses to the British Embassy Tirana. The vehicles are to be donated to Albanian Prisons. The Albanian Prison requested 17+1 minibuses (matches the current minibus fleet in the General Directorate of Prisons) for transportation of the staff. 22 required minibuses should be delivered at once.

**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: 1,254,000 EUR

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- AL - Albania

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

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

### **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

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## **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:

Due to the fact that the vehicles need to be delivered at the same time and be of the same model, the time was of the essence and the vehicles needed to be manufactured and delivered prior to FY23/24 end. As extensive market research showed, Albania Motor was the only supplier in the market which could meet our technical and delivery requirements on time. Running formal tender would have put the delivery of the project to significant risk (due to the delivery, manufacturing, budgetary factors).

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

CPG/10124/2023

### **Title**

Provision of Minibuses to the British Embassy Tirana

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

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

25 October 2023

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Albania Motor Company shpk

Tirana

Country

Albania

NUTS code

- AL - Albania

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 1,254,000 EUR

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

FCDO Commercial

London

Country

United Kingdom