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Contract

Public Affairs Agency

Northern Trains Limited

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-033050

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0330f1

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Trains Limited

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKE21 - York

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.northernrailway.co.uk

I.6) Main activity

Railway services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Public Affairs Agency

Reference number

NTL/PT/0015

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79416200 - Public relations consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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requirements has been split into the following three areas: insight, strategy and tactical engagement.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79416200 - Public relations consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

N TL/PT/0015

Lot No

n/a

Title

Public Affairs Agency

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 November 2022

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

Field Consulting Ltd

38 ST MARTIN'S LANE

London

WC2N 4ER

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

8777648

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £153,600

Total value of the contract/lot: £153,600

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Northern Trains Limited

9 Rougier Street

York

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Country

United Kingdom

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

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YO1 6JT

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