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## **Development of a Nuclear Industry Learning Pathway for Human Factors**

OFFICE FOR NUCLEAR REGULATION

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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**Region code**

UKD73 - Sefton

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.onr.gov.uk](http://www.onr.gov.uk)

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Nuclear Regulation

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Development of a Nuclear Industry Learning Pathway for Human Factors

Reference number

ONR/T897

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 98113100 - Nuclear safety services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Design a Human Factors Learning Pathway for the nuclear industry and a strategy and programme for its implementation.

There are two main objectives:

1 Using subject matter experts, and in consultation with the nuclear industry, use the information in a gap analysis previously undertaken to design a learning pathway for developing human factors competence in the nuclear industry. This must be capable of receiving CIEHF and academic accreditation.

2 Using subject matter experts, and in consultation with the nuclear industry develop a strategy and programme for the development and implementation of the learning pathway over financial years 23/24 and 24/25.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £300,000 taken into consideration

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Negotiated procedure without publication of a contract notice or call for competition to secure access to the professional body within the UK for human factors.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 90

Price - Weighting: 10

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The anticipated duration of the contract is 36 months, but with an option to extend for a further 12 months (i.e 3+1) if agreeable to both parties.

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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:

ONR asserts its belief that CIEHF are the only economic operator that are capable to support ONR for this requirement. CIEHF have specific experience in developing human factor learning pathways and subject matter expertise in the development of courses that gain accreditation by academic institutions. This puts them in a unique position to develop a suitable learning pathway for the nuclear industry.

ONR has no knowledge of any other suitable provider who holds the ability to satisfy its full set of requirements and consequently asserts that all general grounds have been satisfied.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

### **Contract No**

ONR897

### **Title**

Development of a Nuclear Industry Learning Pathway for Human Factors

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

24 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/concessionaire**

Chartered Institute for Ergonomics and Human Factors (CIEHF)

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Henley-in-Arden

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £300,000 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

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