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Contract

RECRUITMENT OF FULLY-MANAGED ASSESSMENT SERVICE – CSC FRONT DOOR

Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041aca

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council

Town Hall

Barnsley, South Yorkshire

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Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

National registration number

N/A

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.barnsley.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/103835

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

RECRUITMENT OF FULLY-MANAGED ASSESSMENT SERVICE - CSC FRONT DOOR

Reference number

Waiver 2023-24 (054)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 98513100 - Agency staff services for households

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of a fully managed Assessment service.

This will consist of an experienced team manager and 5 social workers with the support of the in-house Eden Brown Service Delivery Team.

Service requirement required in a timely manner to stabilise and secure the workforce and practice to ensure the safety of children. The impact of the social workers and team manager arriving will ensure reduction of caseloads to a safe level to ensure safe practice.

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: £468,748

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 98513100 - Agency staff services for households

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

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

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

Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting authority

Explanation:

There are national and local challenges with regards to recruitment of experienced permanent social workers and experienced agency social workers.

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

Contract No

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Title

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 November 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

Eden Brown Synergy	
Leeds	
LS1 2QH	
Country	

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKE42 - Leeds

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £468,748

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

High Court of Justice

The Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand,

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

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

The High Court of Justice

The Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand,

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom