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Contract

GBN Legal Services - Co-investment Decision Advice

The Department for Energy Security and Net Zero

F20: Modification notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04b0b6

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79111000 - Legal advisory services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

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II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

This service is for an independent legal review of GBN Co-Development Investment (CDI) process, Please see the contract award notice for further info:

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/b8a0b0fe-69e5-48d8-b080-e93254ff605e>

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or

concession

Start date

22 July 2024

End date

31 December 2024

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 V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

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Title

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V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

22 July 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Slaughter & May

One Bunhill Row

London

EC1Y 8YY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £400,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

N/A

N/A

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 79111000 - Legal advisory services

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

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VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

Start date

22 July 2024

End date

31 December 2024

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£600,000

VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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One Bunhill Row

London

EC1Y 8YY

Country

United Kingdom

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

This variation is a 3-month and 16-day extension and a 50% value increase (£200,000) under Regulation 72 (1) (b) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015. To summarise:

- 3-month and 16-day time extension to the 31/12/24.
- 50% value increase (£200,000 excl. VAT).

The nature of this service is such that it is required between September and December 2024 to support the overall Co-Development Investment (CDI) process. This will serve as a 'bridging arrangement' until a new supplier is on-boarded in January 2024.

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for additional works, services or supplies by the original contractor/concessionaire.

Description of the economic or technical reasons and the inconvenience or duplication of cost preventing a change of contractor:

A procurement for a new legal advisor is underway and due to be onboarded in January 2025.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaptations and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £600,000