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Contract

National Framework Agreement for Tail End Management

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-034423

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0485ea

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

Liverpool Road

Chester

CH2 1UL

Email

info@coch-cps.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.coch.nhs.uk

Buyer's address

www.coch-cps.co.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

National Framework Agreement for Tail End Management

Reference number

F/039/TEM/24/SB

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79418000 - Procurement consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The desired service specification is for the establishment of a national framework agreement to provide client authorities with a fully managed service for the purchasing and management of their tail end purchase order spend including medical, non-medical and ad hoc supplies and services. It should include the end to end supply chain management of the authority's tail end spend and at a high level include: audit of tail spend; savings delivery; purchase; supplier management; stock management; delivery and reporting.

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: £15,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33100000 - Medical equipments
- 33190000 - Miscellaneous medical devices and products
- 63121100 - Storage services
- 66140000 - Portfolio management services
- 75122000 - Administrative healthcare services
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 79418000 - Procurement consultancy services
- 79994000 - Contract administration services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

The Supplier will provide Tail End Management services.

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REASON FOR NOTICE

This is an intention to award notice to conclude a framework agreement using the competitive process.

LIFETIME VALUE OF AGREEMENT

£15,000,000

RELEVANT AUTHORITIES ABLE TO USE THE AGREEMENT

For use by all UK public sector bodies (and any future successors to these organisations).

COMMENCEMENT DATE

9th November 2024.

DURATION OF AGREEMENT

The framework will run for a term of 2 years with options to extend for up to a further 2 years in annual increments.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Value / Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The framework will run for a term of 2 years with options to extend for up to a further 2 years in annual increments.

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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

Notice number: [2024/S 000-023759](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 October 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

The Business Supplies Group Ltd

107 Longmead Road, Emerald Park East

Emersons Green

BS16 7FG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK11 - Bristol, City of

National registration number

13624537

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: £15,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 October 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Tegex Ltd

Unit 2 Green Lane, Southgate Ind Est

Heywood

OL10 1ND

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

National registration number

08630100

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: £15,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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Contract No

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 October 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Bates Office Services Ltd

Unit A1-A4 Knights Park Industrial Estate

Rochester

ME2 2LS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

National registration number

3352929

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: £15,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is an intention to award notice to conclude a framework agreement using the competitive process

The Framework is due to commence on 9th November 2024.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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