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## **Human Tissue Authority(HTA) Licence**

BELFAST HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE TRUST

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041d38

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

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

BELFAST HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE TRUST

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Norma Moore

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKN06 - Belfast

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.belfasttrust.hscni.net>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Human Tissue Authority(HTA) Licence

Reference number

DAC

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Procurement of Human Tissue Authority(HTA) Licence

### **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: £100,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

Belfast Health & Social Care Trust - Laboratories

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

Procurement of Human Tissue Authority(HTA) Licence

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

Price

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

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

No other alternative or substitute exists for this procurement as the Human Tissue Authority are the non-departmental body of the Department of Health and Social Care responsible for regulation of organisations that remove, store and use human tissue for research, medical treatment, post-mortem examination, education and training, and display in public. They also give approval for organ and bone marrow donations from living people. HTA are the sole authority who can monitor, inspect, and regulate organisations and it is a statutory requirement for the Stem Cell Bank to renew this licence on an annual basis.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

### **Contract No**

DAC

### **Title**

Human Tissue Authority (HTA) Licence

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 November 2023

**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**

Human Tissue Authority

Redman Place (2nd Floor) Stratford

London

E20 1JQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £100,000

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £100,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Belfast Health and Social Care Trust

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