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Contract

# Clarivate Analytics Web of Science SHEDL 2024-2027

Jisc Services Limited

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Jisc Services Limited

4 Portwall Lane

Bristol

BS1 6NB

#### Contact

Tugce Topcuogullari Zobu

#### **Email**

procurement@jisc.ac.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

## National registration number

02881024

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.jisc.ac.uk

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/87175

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Clarivate Analytics Web of Science SHEDL 2024-2027

Reference number

Proc2597

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Jisc Services Limited has entered into a contract with Clarivate Analytics for the SHEDL agreement which covers a three year commitment to the following Clarivate Analytics resources: Web of Science Primary (WoS), Citation Connection and Journal and Highly Cited Data, plus ESCI backfile access. The contract will be for SHEDL Members, not for Jisc's own use.

#### 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: £1,189,757.97

## II.2) Description

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

#### • UK - United Kingdom

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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

- The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - o protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

#### Explanation:

The supplier is the rightsholder to the IP of the content and the sole supplier of this unique resource. Therefore, Jisc is clear that the arrangement falls within the protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights, contained within Regulation 32 (2) (b) (iii) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015, permitting Jisc to enter into the direct award.

#### 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 000-019201

# Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

1

#### **Title**

Clarivate Analytics Web of Science SHEDL 2024-2027

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract

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

1 November 2024

### 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

Clarivate Analytics (UK) Limited

FRIARS HOUSE, 160 BLACKFRIARS ROAD, LONDON, SE1 8EZ

London

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,189,757.97

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body
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Jisc Services Limited

4 Portwall Lane

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Country

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### VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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## VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Jisc Services Limited incorporated a standstill period at the point information on the award

of the contract was shared by means of a VEAT notice. This notification provided information on the award decision. The standstill period, which was for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provided time for suppliers to challenge the award decision before the contract was entered into. The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 article 91 provides for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

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

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