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## Award Retrofit Research

Construction Industry Training Board

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# Section I: Contracting authority/entity

## I.1) Name and addresses

Construction Industry Training Board

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Peterborough

PE2 8TY

#### Contact

Veronique Durand

Email

veronique.durand@citb.co.uk

#### Telephone

+44 7900227048

## Country

United Kingdom

### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

## Internet address(es)

Main address

www.citb.co.uk

Buyer's address

www.citb.co.uk

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

ALB

## I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

## II.1.1) Title

**Retrofit Research** 

Reference number

869498601

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 73110000 - Research services

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

## II.1.4) Short description

CITB are looking to Direct Award research to: - Assess current retrofit skills landscape. -Estimate the future market demand for retrofit. - Identify long term retrofit skills solutions.

## 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: £150,000

# II.2) Description

## II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

#### UNITED KINGDOM

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

CITB are looking to Direct Award research to: - Assess current retrofit skills landscape. -Estimate the future market demand for retrofit. - Identify long term retrofit skills solutions.

#### 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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

CITB are intending to Direct Award a research project for retrofit for 12 months to Nottingham Consultants Limited who have specific expertise and IP in retrofit research having established a new Centre for Sustainable Construction & Retrofit. The centre has been set up to enable the transition to net zero within the built environment sector with established expertise, stakeholder networks and existing research to support this project. In addition, Dr Marina Topouzi (University of Oxford) by way of a subcontractor, will participate in the research project and brings with her specialist expertise and IP having been a member of the technical committee that oversaw the development of the PAS 2030/2035/2038 standards that underpin much of the innovative training in this domain. This combined approach will provide CITB with the best possible research on which to base CITBs Repair, Maintenance and Improvement (RMI) Sector Skills Plan funding.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

# Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract/concession

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

13 June 2024

### 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

Nottingham Consultants Ltd

50 Shakespeare Street

Nottingham

NG1 4FQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

02359225

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £150,000

#### V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Proportion: 15 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Dr Marina Topouzi (University of Oxford) will bring specialist knowledge of innovative courses into the research

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Construction Industry Training Board

**Bircham Newton** 

King's Lynn

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Country

United Kingdom