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Contract

Supply of Education Services

Kent County Council (T/A Procurement Services)

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-039075

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04723b

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Kent County Council (T/A Procurement Services)

1 Abbey Wood Road

West Malling

ME19 4YT

Email

csgprocurement@cs ltd.org.uk

Telephone

+44 8081685808

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.commercialservices.org.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.commercialservices.org.uk/>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of Education Services

Reference number

Y25001

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This Framework Agreement is open to all public sector organisations, Services may include

but not be limited to the list below

- Advisory Services
- Clerking Services
- Education Consultancy
- Equality and Inclusion
- Financial Management
- General Information, Guidance and Support
- Governance Consultancy Services
- Governor Services
- Professional Development

- Pupil Skills and Development
- Recruitment Services
- Safeguarding Support and Advice
- School Improvement
- Skills and Employability Support
- Training

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £500,000,000 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 75121000 - Administrative educational services
- 80200000 - Secondary education services
- 80100000 - Primary education services
- 80210000 - Technical and vocational secondary education services
- 80300000 - Higher education services
- 80310000 - Youth education services
- 80400000 - Adult and other education services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Delivering the Framework Agreement / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Delivering the Service and Account Management / Weighting: 45

Quality criterion - Name: Standards, Regulations and Policies / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 0

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

II.2.14) Additional information

This is a Framework agreement is fully accessible to the all Public Sector Bodies as

identified in the Public Contract Regulations. Further information is contained within the ITT and/or available on

request

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2024/S 000-019332](#)

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 February 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 15

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 13

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 15

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Capita Business Services Limited

65 Gresham Street

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

02299747

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Place Group Limited

The Regent, Chapel Street, Penzance

Cornwall

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

04395705

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Juniper Education Services Limited

Boundary House, 4 County Place, Chelmsford

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

12004688

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Edseco Limited Trading as The Education People

1 Abbey Wood Road, Kings Hill, West Malling

Kent

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

10970974

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £500,000,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Kent County Council (t/a Procurement Services)

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Commercial Services

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