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Contract

St James and Blessed Dominic Schools Catering

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F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0425a5

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

St James and Blessed Dominic Schools Catering

Great Strand, Colindale

London

NW9 5PE

Contact

Glenn Campbell

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKI71 - Barnet

National registration number

URN 101364

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/cohesionconsulting.aspx/Home>

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

St James and Blessed Dominic Schools Catering

Reference number

CCL_025

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

St James Catholic Secondary School and Blessed Dominic Catholic Primary School share the same site in Grand Strand, Barnet. Both schools are in the Diocese of Westminster. St

James was founded by the Dominican sisters in 1934. It is an Ofsted rated Good Secondary with a successful Sixth Form and a roll of over 1,250 students and 19% FSM eligibility. There is well equipped kitchen that services both Secondary and Primary Phases – an internal corridor is used to access the Primary serving area. There are two busy external pods on site. Blessed Dominic was founded in 1971 and has over 450 primary students and has 18% FSM Eligibility, noting free school meal funding for all KS23 students is in place until July 2024. Both schools are registered with Healthy Schools London and Blessed Dominic has a Gold award. The incumbent caterer is Impact Food Group and both catering teams are well-regarded by the school. Given the unique nature of the operation both schools are being tendered as one L

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: £1,860,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI71 - Barnet

Main site or place of performance

St James Catholic High School, Great Strand, Colindale, London, NW9 5PE and Blessed Dominic Catholic Primary School, Great Strand, Colindale, London, NW9 5PE

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

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

Restricted 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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CCL_025

Title

St James Catholic Secondary School

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 December 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Innovate IFG

Impact Food Group Ground Floor, North Wing, St. Andrews House, West Street

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- UKJ26 - East Surrey

Internet address

<https://impactfood.co.uk/contact/>

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,860,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,169,305

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Cabinet Office

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publicprocurementreview@cabinetoffice.gov.uk

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<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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