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Contract

## **GSS24645 - Agriculture and food processing AI training and support**

UK Research and Innovation

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-040859

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04a502

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

UK Research and Innovation

Polaris House

SWINDON

SN21FF

#### **Email**

[CoreServices@uksbs.co.uk](mailto:CoreServices@uksbs.co.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKK14 - Swindon

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.uksbs.co.uk>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

GSS24645 - Agriculture and food processing AI training and support

Reference number

GSS24645

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80500000 - Training services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

\*\*\* Contract that has been awarded \*\*\*

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) has had a requirement for Agriculture and food processing AI training and support.

This has been awarded via Open Procedure (Above Threshold)

### **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: £241,705

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 80%

Price - Weighting: 20%

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

Options: No

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## **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: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-031533](#)

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## **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**

11 December 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 9

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Ricardo-AEA Limited

Shoreham Technical Centre, Old Shoreham Rd, Shoreham-By-Sea

West Sussex

BN43 5FG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

08229264

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £241,705

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

UK Shared Business Services Ltd

Swindon

SN2 1FF

Country

United Kingdom