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Contract

ID 5751682 - TEO - AV Services for NI Public Inquiries

The Executive Office

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04e585

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Executive Office

Stormont Estate

BELFAST

BT43TT

Email

SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKN0 - Northern Ireland

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.executiveoffice-ni.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/topics/procurement>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

ID 5751682 - TEO - AV Services for NI Public Inquiries

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 51300000 - Installation services of communications equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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audio visual and web streaming fully managed services to support

multiple concurrent inquiries. The requirement is as follows:

- Provision of AV solution for Public Inquires which will include the provision and support of all hardware, Audio-visual/web streaming services and support for the oral hearings, including the distribution and display of evidence;
- Electronic presentation of evidence at the oral hearings.

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determined by each inquiry): 1st Floor Bradford Court, 1 Bradford Court, Galwally, Belfast, BT8 6RB. 3rd Floor Corn Exchange, 31

Gordon Street, Belfast, BT1 2LG. The contract will be for an initial period of 5 years, with two options to extend by up to 12 months each.

Please refer to ID 5751682 - Specification for further detail on the requirements

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 32210000 - Broadcasting equipment
- 32232000 - Video-conferencing equipment
- 32320000 - Television and audio-visual equipment
- 32333000 - Video recording or reproducing apparatus
- 32340000 - Microphones and loudspeakers
- 32350000 - Parts of sound and video equipment
- 50300000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to personal computers, office equipment, telecommunications and audio-visual equipment
- 51310000 - Installation services of radio, television, sound and video equipment
- 92370000 - Sound technician

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: as per contract documents / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Following the initial contract period, there are 2 options to extend for up to 1 year each.

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

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Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Following the issue of Standstill Letters, legal proceedings were commenced against The Executive Office, challenging the outcome of the competition. Having considered the detail of the challenge, the Department has decided to exercise its discretion not to award any contract on foot of the Procurement Exercise.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any such bodies with responsibility for appeal/ mediation procedures

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom