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Contract

## **Stratford School Academy Agency**

Stratford School Academy Agency Staff

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

Stratford School Academy Agency Staff

Grosvenor Road Site

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#### **Contact**

Procurement team at Cohesion

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.cohesionconsulting.co.uk](http://www.cohesionconsulting.co.uk)

Buyer's address

<https://www.stratfordschoolacademy.com/>

**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**

Stratford School Academy Agency

Reference number

CCL\_048

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Stratford School Academy is a co-educational Secondary School in the London Borough of Forest Gate. It has up to 1500 students between the ages of 11 and 16 on roll and 165 teaching and support staff. The Academy is tendering their Agency Staff Supply services to create an Approved Supplier List (ASL) with up to three suppliers to deliver the very best teaching and administrative support staff for the Academy, on both short and longer term placements. The academy uses Agency Staff to cover five key roles throughout the academic year:• Admin staff• Teaching Assistants• Teachers• Cover Supervisors• Exam invigilatorsThe contract start date is the 1st of April 2025 and this will be for an initial three-year period. There is an option for both parties to extend the contract for a further two years subject to client satisfaction and client agreement on budgets and service levels. The Academy and CCL expect the successful Contractor to guarantee their proposed costs and deliver ex

#### **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: £2,500,000

### **II.2) Description**

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 79600000 - Recruitment services
- 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

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

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**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

**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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

Accelerated procedure

Justification:

The Academy is using a two stage restricted process under the light touch regime to achieve the 1st April contract start date. An accelerated process is essential.

#### **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 000-041084](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

CCL\_048

### **Title**

Stratford School Academy Agency Staff

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 October 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

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: 7

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

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

Reed Recruitment / Brook Street / Timeplan Education

London

E7 8JA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

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: £1,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

The Cabinet Office

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#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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