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Contract

## **School / College Transport - SEND Spalding Tulip Academy - Taxi - BPB000136**

Lincolnshire County Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-031f31

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

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

Lincolnshire County Council

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKF3 - Lincolnshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

School / College Transport - SEND Spalding Tulip Academy - Taxi - BPB000136

Reference number

DN780319

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

- 60120000 - Taxi services

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

Services

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy Spalding

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £2,084,300

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2257 - Boston to Spalding

Lot No

1

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2261 - Frithville to Spalding

Lot No

2

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2265 - Donington to Spalding

Lot No

3

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

- 600000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2267 - Crowland to Spalding

Lot No

4

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2271 - Holbeach to Spalding

Lot No

5

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

**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) Description**

**II.2.1) Title**

SN-2272 - Sutton Bridge to Spalding

Lot No

6

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

#### **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) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2287 - Deeping St James to Spalding

Lot No

7

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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



Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

#### **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) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2289 - Pinchbeck to Spalding

Lot No

8

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

- 600000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

#### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2627 - Old Leake to Spalding

Lot No

9

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

- 600000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

SN-2671 - Gedney Drove End to Spalding

Lot No

10

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

- 600000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

**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) Description**

**II.2.1) Title**

SN-2291 - Boston to Spalding

Lot No

11

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

- 600000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

Transport to/from Tulip Academy

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

Cost criterion - Name: Lowest Cost / Weighting: 100

#### **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

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

#### **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: [2022/S 000-006296](#)

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

### **Contract No**

SN-2257

### **Lot No**

1

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

1st Choice Royal Taxis

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £284,050

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

### **Contract No**

SN-2261

### **Lot No**

2

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 5

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

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

1st Choice Royal Taxis

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £284,050

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

### **Contract No**

SN-2265

### **Lot No**

3

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 6

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

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

Smart Cabs

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £215,650

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

#### **Contract No**

SN-2267

#### **Lot No**

4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 6

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

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

Smart Cabs

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME



Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £228,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

SN-2271

**Lot No**

5

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

10 July 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 17

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

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

Smart Cabs

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £145,350

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

SN-2272

**Lot No**

6

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

10 July 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 19

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

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

Smart Cabs

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £172,900

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

### **Contract No**

SN-2287

### **Lot No**

7

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 25

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

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

Spalding Taxis

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £104,500

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

#### **Contract No**

SN-2289

#### **Lot No**

8

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 18

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

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

Smart Cabs

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £148,200

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

#### **Contract No**

SN-2627

#### **Lot No**

9

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 16

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

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

Spalding Taxis

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £156,750

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

#### **Contract No**

SN-2671

#### **Lot No**

10

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 18

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

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

Spalding Taxis

Spalding

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £140,600

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

#### **Contract No**

SN-2291

#### **Lot No**

11

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

10 July 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 10

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

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

Peterborough Chauffuers Ltd

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £204,250

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom