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Contract

Data Platform Modernisation

Gentoo Group

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05e218

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Sunderland

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKC23 - Sunderland

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Housing Association

I.5) Main activity

Housing and community amenities

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Data Platform Modernisation

Reference number

KS10

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72320000 - Database services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Deployment of a Microsoft Fabric-based Data & AI Platform through Makutu

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £150 / Highest offer: £450 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72310000 - Data-processing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC23 - Sunderland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Deployment of a Microsoft Fabric-based Data & AI Platform for Gentoo Group. This includes configuration of Fabric environment, governance framework, data ingestion pipelines, and Power BI dashboards, enabling trusted reporting, automation, and readiness for advanced analytics.

This is a 2 year contract with 1 x 12 month extension available. Maximum contract value over full 3 years £450k - as this is based on time and materials and the need to use the service this is an estimate and £450k would be the maximum should we use all services provided as per schedule 2 of the CCS order form.

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

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

The appointment was made through CCS framework G Cloud 14 under Lot 3. This was a direct award

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

10 November 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Makutu

Makutu Dot IO Limited , Sadler Bridge Studios, , Bold Lane,

Derby

DE1 3NT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

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: £450,000

Lowest offer: £150,000 / Highest offer: £450,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Gentoo Group

Sunderland

Country

United Kingdom