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Contract

Training Services for the Engineering Industry

Forth Valley College

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-058682

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM76 - Falkirk

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Main address

<http://www.forthvalley.ac.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00451

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Training Services for the Engineering Industry

Reference number

ASC-2026-02

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80531200 - Technical training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Authority is seeking a Contractor for the provision of training courses for the engineering industry.

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: £202,172

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80531200 - Technical training services
- 80500000 - Training services
- 80510000 - Specialist training services
- 80531000 - Industrial and technical training services
- 80531100 - Industrial training services
- 80550000 - Safety training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Forth Valley College Falkirk campus and Contractor's location.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Forth Valley College, as an ECITB (Engineering Construction Industry Training Board) accredited training provider, requires to appoint an external training provider to deliver training courses for apprentices taking part in the APTUS Apprenticeship Programme, including a medical examination (drug and alcohol screening, fit to train, shoulder measurement), accommodation and meals.

Courses for other candidates not part of the APTUS programme may also be required.

The courses to be delivered are:

- BOSIET, CA-EBS, MIST including OGUUK Medical – to be delivered within premises organised by the Contractor.
- Task Based Risk Assessment, Manual Handling Awareness and Authorised Gas Tester Level 3 – to be delivered within Forth Valley College's Falkirk Campus.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Location / Weighting: 0

Quality criterion - Name: Training Delivery / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Key Personnel / Weighting: 14

Quality criterion - Name: Responsible Procurement – Wellbeing, Health & Safety / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Responsible Procurement – Community Benefits / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Responsible Procurement – Fair Work Practices / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Data Protection and Cyber Security Risks / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 50

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Contractor may be required to provide training services for additional groups outside of the ECITB APTUS programme.

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

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

Contract No

ASC-2026-02

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 November 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

RelyOn Glasgow

Change House, Cable Depot Rd

Glasgow

G81 1UF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £202,172

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:817077)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Camelon Sheriff Court

Main St, Camelon

Falkirk

FK1 4AR

Country

United Kingdom