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Contract

NCD546 - Extreme Platform Network Hardware and Software

New College Durham

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05eee7

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NCD546 - Extreme Platform Network Hardware and Software

Reference number

NCD546

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 32400000 - Networks

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply of Network parts awarded via a Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation (YPO) Framework.

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: £61,083.84

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 32400000 - Networks

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of Network parts awarded via a Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation (YPO) Framework.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

The Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation Framework was a closed framework so non registered suppliers could not participate. New PRC23 regulations offer exemption for education establishments from advertising below threshold procurements.

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

31 October 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

Aspire Technology Solutions Ltd

Pipewell Quay

Gateshead

NE8 2BJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

13742499

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £61,063.64

Total value of the contract/lot: £61,063.64

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Contract Awarded via a Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation Framework.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

New College Durham

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Country

United Kingdom