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Contract

Provision of SITs HEFS License

University of Bedfordshire

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05f3bb

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Luton

LU13JU

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United Kingdom

Region code

UKH21 - Luton

UK Register of Learning Providers (UKPRN number)

10007152

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.beds.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofbedfordshire.aspx/Home>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Higher Education

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of SITs HEFS License

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72212218 - License management software development services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of SITs HEFS License to the University of Bedfordshire

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: £1,052,655

II.2) Description

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)

Main site or place of performance

University of Bedfordshire

Luton

LU1 3JU

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Software Licensing services. Procured as a direct award via the APUC framework ITS1050 AP Student Information Management Systems and Associated Services

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Alignment with existing Contract / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

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

- Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting authority

Explanation:

Awarded via a direct award on the APUC framework ITS1050 AP Student Information Management Systems and Associated Services .

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

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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

25 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

Tribal Group Plc

Sheffield

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

04128850

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: £1,052,655

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,052,655

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Review Service (PPRS)

London

Country

United Kingdom