

United Kingdom-Belfast: Business and management consultancy and related services
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Contract award notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Department for Regional Development Northern Ireland

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General address of the contracting authority: www.drdni.gov.uk

Address of the buyer profile: www.dfpni.gov.uk/cpd

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.3. Main activity

General public services

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title

DRD - Provision of Specialist Marine Consultancy Services.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Services

Service category No 11: Management consulting services [6] and related services

Main site or place of performance: Northern Ireland.

NUTS code UKN Northern Ireland

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)

II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The Department for Regional Development is responsible for the maintenance and development of the transport infrastructure and services that are vital for everyone in Northern Ireland: including our roads and footpaths, water and sewerage networks, and public transport services. This includes responsibility for two ferry services: one between Ballycastle and Rathlin Island and the other across Strangford Lough.

Purpose of the Project

The Department wishes to appoint a service provider to advise and provide project management support for two new ferries: one across Strangford Lough and one to Rathlin Island. This will include developing, the design specifications for the two vessels as well as overseeing the procurement, construction, testing and delivery of the two vessels.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services

II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

II.2. Total value of the contract/lot

II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot

Value: 570 000 GBP

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Open

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Price. Weighting 40
2. Quality. Weighting 60

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

P13094

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice on a buyer profile

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 186-321066](#) of 25.9.2013

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: P13094

Lot title: DRD - Provision of Specialist Marine Consultancy Services

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

18.12.2013

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Burness Corlett Three Quays (Southampton) Limited
Postal address: Beresford House, Town Quay
Town: Southampton
Postal code: SO14 2AQ
Country: United Kingdom
Internet address: www.bctq.com

V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the procurement:
Value: 570 000 GBP

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

VI.2. Additional information

The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored. Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance and the contract may be terminated. The issue of a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance will result in the contractor being excluded from all procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of twelve months from the date of issue of the certificate.

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: CPD will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision. The standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into. The Public Contracts Regulations 2006 (SI 2006 No 5)/ Utilities Contracts Regulations (SI 2005 No 6) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

31.12.2013

