

United Kingdom-Croydon: Financial and insurance services
OJ S 15/2019 22/01/2019
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: The Board of the Pension Protection Fund

Postal address: Renaissance, 12 Dingwall Road

Town: Croydon

NUTS code: UKI62 Croydon

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Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://www.ppf.co.uk>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://www.ppf.co.uk/doing-business-us>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5. Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Insolvency Risk Services

II.1.2. Main CPV code

66000000 Financial and insurance services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Provide insolvency risk scores for all relevant entities in the PPF universe and related services.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 3 500 000,00 GBP

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

NUTS code: UKI62 Croydon

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The provision of Insolvency risk services. services include: the review, development and operation of a model for calculating insolvency risk scores for companies who sponsor UK based defined benefit occupational pension schemes; application programming interface and linked customer service elements including an online portal.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical/Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

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

II.2.14. Additional information

The contract will run for an initial term up to 31.3.2024 and may be extended depending on the ongoing need and contract performance up to a maximum period of 3 years in aggregate, a total contract term of 8 years.

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 Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- No tenders or no suitable tenders/requests to participate in response to open procedure

Explanation:

An open procedure returned no suitable tenders. The requirement is specialised in its nature and there are few capable economic operators in the market (PIN [2018/S 094-213435](#)). The open procedure (CN [2018/S 147-336642](#)) resulted in 2 bids from 2 capable economic operators. Neither tenders fully met the published requirements but both appeared potentially capable of meeting the requirements with some material changes. The open procedure does not allow negotiation and material refinement of solutions, accordingly the PPF stopped the open procedure and invited both capable bidders to participate in a negotiated procedure without prior publication.

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

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

Notice number in the OJ S: [2018/S 147-336642](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a 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

24/12/2018

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Dun & Bradstreet Ltd

Town: Marlow

NUTS code: UKJ1 Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

Country: United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 3 500 000,00 GBP

Total value of the contract/lot: 3 500 000,00 GBP

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

The contract will run for an initial term up to 31.3.2024 and may be extended depending on the ongoing need and contract performance up to a maximum period of 3 years in aggregate, a total contract term of 8 years. Note that the estimated contract values are based on extensions for the full term permissible under the contract.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The Board of the Pension Protection Fund

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

17/01/2019

