

United Kingdom-Belfast: Economic research services
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Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Department for Economy

Postal address: Adelaide House 39-49 Adelaide Street

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: BT2 8FD

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: Thomas.byrne@economy-ni.gov.uk

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

DfE Supplier Framework for Economic Research Projects

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79311400 Economic research services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

DfE Supplier Framework for Economic Research Projects.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 600 000,00 GBP

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79311400 Economic research services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKN0 Northern Ireland

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

DfE Supplier Framework for Economic Research Projects.

II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 40

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**Section IV: Procedure**

IV.1. Description**IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open procedure

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: yes

IV.2. Administrative information**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**

Contract No: 1

Title:

Contract

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

30/01/2018

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Queen's University Belfast

Postal address: University Road

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: BT7 1NN

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: t.edgar@qub.ac.uk

Telephone: +44 2890973119

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: National Institute of Economic and Social Research Incorporated the

Postal address: 2 Dean Trench Street

Town: London

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: SW1P 3HE

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: S.Stevens@niesr.ac.uk

Telephone: +44 2072227665

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Economic and Social Research Institute

Postal address: Whitaker Square, Sir John Rogerson's Quay

Town: Dublin

NUTS code: IE Éire / Ireland

Postal code: D02 K138

Country: Ireland

E-mail: liliana.demidio@esri.ie

Telephone: +44 018632000

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: SQW LTD

Postal address: First Floor 43 Chalton Street

Town: London

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: NW1 1JD

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: jduggett@sqw.co.uk

Telephone: +44 2073914100

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Oxford Economics Ltd
Postal address: Oxford Economic Forecasting
Town: Oxford
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
Postal code: OX1 1HB
Country: United Kingdom
E-mail: rhamilton@oxfordeconomics.com
Telephone: +44 1865268900
Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Cambridge Econometrics LTD
Postal address: Reuben House
Town: Cambridge
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
Postal code: CB1 2HT
Country: United Kingdom
E-mail: info@camecon.com
Telephone: +44 1223533100
Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Technopolis Limited
Postal address: 3 Pavillion Buildings
Town: Brighton
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
Postal code: BN1 1EE
Country: United Kingdom
E-mail: karen.henderson@technopolis-group.com
Telephone: +44 1273204320
Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: EKOS Consulting UK Limited
Postal address: 44137 Sauchiehall Street
Town: Glasgow
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom
Postal code: G2 3EW
Country: United Kingdom
E-mail: jeremy.hanks@ekosgen.co.uk
Telephone: +44 08451206244
Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>
The contractor is an SME: yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 1,00 GBP

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

Estimated Value: ranges from GBP 400k - GBP 600K. This range reflects the potential scale of the Framework and takes into account such changes to the scope/and or scale which may result from future requirements. In addition, neither CPD nor the Authority can provide any guarantee as to the level of business under this contract.. Contract Monitoring. 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 12 months from the date of issue of the certificate.”.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The UK does not have any such bodies with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures.

Town: N/A

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

31/01/2018