

**United Kingdom-Belfast: IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
OJ S 38/2020 24/02/2020
Contract award notice
Services**

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Tourism NI

Postal address: Floor 10-12 Linum Chambers, Bedford Square, Bedford Street

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: BT2 7ES

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: SSDadmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

Internet address(es):

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

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

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I.2. Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

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

ID 2434961 — DfE TNI — Destination Management System

II.1.2.

Main CPV code

72000000 IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Tourism NI requires a supplier to deliver a Platform-as-a-service (PaaS) eTourism solution to support its tourism development, including consumer, travel trade and MICE (meetings, incentives, conferences and events) markets. A specification of requirements for this work includes: the delivery of a destination management system, including development of websites for Tourism NI consumer and MICE audiences and the potential roll out of the platform to up to 11 Local Councils and other key partners, the supply of the back-end database and software applications to deliver the functionality requested. Tenderers must note that there may be workload fluctuations at different time periods of the year. Tourism NI would like to have the option to roll out all of the functionality of the platform to up to 11 Local Councils and other industry partners.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 1 836 060,00 GBP

II.2. Description**II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

72212000 Programming services of application software, 48780000 System, storage and content management software package, 48783000 Content management software package, 72212780 System, storage and content management software development services, 72212783 Content management software development services, 77330000 Floral-display services, 48612000 Database-management system, 72212600 Database and operating software development services, 72212610 Database software development services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKN Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance: Belfast.

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II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Qualitative criteria / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: Quantitative criteria / Weighting: 60

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

Initial contract period: 2 years optional extension periods: + 1 year, +1 year, +1 year.

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

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: [2019/S 246-606158](#)

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

19/02/2020

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: New Mind Internet Consultancy Trading as Simpleview Europe Ltd

Postal address: Suite 1.02 South Harrington Building 182 Sefton Street

Town: Liverpool

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: L3 4BQ

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: saleseurope@simpleviewinc.com

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

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 1 836 060,00 GBP

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**Section VI: Complementary information**

VI.3. Additional information

In relation to V2.2) Information about tenders:

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- number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU member states: 0,
- number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU member states: 0,
- number of tenders received by electronic means: 2.

VI.4. Procedures for review**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal /mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015.

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VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

CPD comply with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 and have applied a 10-day standstill period. This notification provides full information on the award decision. The standstill period has provided time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into.

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

19/02/2020