

United Kingdom-East Kilbride: Foreign economic-aid-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: Procurement

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Internet address(es):General address of the contracting authority: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-international-development>**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

I.3. Main activity

General public services

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**Section II: Object of the contract**

II.1. Description**II.1.1. Title**

LIGADA Mozambique.

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

Services

Service category No 27: Other services

Main site or place of performance: United Kingdom.

NUTS code UK United Kingdom

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 Mozambique country office of the UK's Department for International Development (DFID) has launched a new gender programme, Ligada, with a 2-fold purpose: i. Economic empowerment of urban adolescent girls and young women (AG&W); and ii. Concrete improvements in policy, programming and budgets in relation to gender (including among donors, government of Mozambique and private sector). The programme aligns with DFID's central gender strategy, which aims to significantly improve and sustainably transform the lives of women and girls in developing contexts. As part of this strategy, DFID Mozambique is

committed to improving key socio-economic development outcomes for girls and women to create an enabling environment for making informed decisions and reducing obstacles to economic empowerment (such as early pregnancy, high levels of violence, access to health and education). Ligada (meaning 'connected') takes a multidimensional approach (at programme, policy and organisational levels) to improving the situation of women and girls in Mozambique, with a particular focus on urban female economic empowerment. The programme will test a new approach in Mozambique, similar to 1 being tested in DFID DRC, for the management of multiple components. It will establish a joint project office (a 'hub') which will house implementing partners and the Programme Team, including a member of DFID staff who will be 'embedded' in the team as Programme Manager. This approach is an attempt to overcome coordination and communication issues that have arisen in other similar programmes with multiple partners and interconnected components. Interested suppliers should make it clear in their proposals how they will contribute effectively to this innovation, and what learning they could bring from other similar experiences. The Ligada Business Case was approved in December 2014, and DFID Mozambique is now seeking a supplier through an open competitive process to partner with DFID in delivering the main components of the programme. This procurement is to secure capacity to deliver the programme's four work-streams: Innovate, Broker, Learn and Brand: — Innovate: identify, fund and monitor locally-led projects/innovations, especially for poorer women and girls in the informal economy, building local organisation capacity in the process — Broker: identify and build partnerships between stakeholders, especially private sector and other actors, and support technical assistance /activities to develop, and test sustainable solutions for recruitment and retention of women at work — Learn: strategically build and disseminate the evidence base on girls and women to ensure great impact of investment; — Brand: Design and roll out a brand platform addressing gender norms related to work in urban areas, targeted at communities, including men and.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.2. Total value of the contract/lot

II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot

Value: 12 500 000 GBP
excluding VAT

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

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

7053

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Lot title: LIGADA Mozambique

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

27.7.2015

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 7

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Oxford Policy Management

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 12 500 000 GBP

excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 12 500 000 GBP

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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

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: DFID Procurement

Postal address: Abercrombie House, Eaglesham Road

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Country: United Kingdom

Body responsible for mediation procedures

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Country: United Kingdom

VI.3.2. Review procedure

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

Official name: DFID

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VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

24.3.2017