

UK-Didcot: internet services
OJ S 86/2012 04/05/2012
Contract award notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: The JNT Association
Postal address: Lumen House, Library Avenue
Town: Didcot
Postal code: OX11 0SG
Country: United Kingdom
For the attention of: Procurement Co-ordinator
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Internet address(es):
Address of the buyer profile: www.ja.net

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Other: National education and research network provider

I.3. Main activity

Education

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

High bandwidth global internet transit service.

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

Services
Service category No 5: Telecommunications services
NUTS code

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)

Internet services. Internet service providers ISP. Radio, television, communication, telecommunication and related equipment. To extend the reach of facilities provided to its users, JANET (UK) has established access from Janet to the global Internet. JANET(UK) has implemented this by a fourfold approach:

1. Peering with commercial Internet service providers (ISP) in the UK;
2. Establishing interconnectivity to networks operated by similar academic and research

organisations in other European countries and around the world via GÉANT;

3. Procuring transit in London through two ISPs to the global Internet; and

4. Procuring transit in Manchester through one ISP to the global Internet.

It is one of the suppliers for the third part of the provision which JANET (UK) is seeking to replace through this procurement.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

72400000 Internet services, 72411000 Internet service providers ISP, 32000000 Radio, television, communication, telecommunication and related equipment

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

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 the criteria stated in the ITT. Weighting 100

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

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2012/S 2-003067](#) of 5.1.2012

Section V: Award of contract

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

27.4.2012

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Level 3 Communications Limited

Postal address: 100 Lemman Street

Town: London
Postal code: E1 8EU
Country: United Kingdom

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:
Value: 198 000 GBP
excluding VAT

V.5. Information about subcontracting

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

This is a contract award notice and not a new opportunity. GO Reference: GO-201252-PRO-3896273.

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: JANET (UK)
Postal address: Lumen House
Town: Didcot
Postal code: OX11 0SG
Country: United Kingdom
Telephone: +44 1235822220

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: JANET (UK) 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) 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

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VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

2.5.2012