

United Kingdom-Belfast: Maintenance and repair of information technology equipment
OJ S 114/2015 16/06/2015
Contract award notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Department for Employment and Learning
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Country: United Kingdom
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I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

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: yes

Official name: Belfast Metropolitan College
Postal address: Gerald Moag Campus, Millfield
Town: Belfast
Postal code: BT1 1HS
Country: United Kingdom
Official name: Northern Regional College
Postal address: 400 Shore Road
Town: Belfast
Postal code: BT37 9RS
Country: United Kingdom
Official name: Southern Regional College
Postal address: Patrick Street
Town: Newry
Postal code: BT35 8DN
Country: United Kingdom
Official name: North West Regional College
Postal address: Strand Road Campus
Town: Londonderry
Postal code: BT38 7AL
Country: United Kingdom
Official name: South Eastern Regional College
Postal address: Castle Park Road

Town: Bangor
Postal code: BT20 4TD
Country: United Kingdom
Official name: South West College
Postal address: 2 Mountjoy Road, Co. Tyrone
Town: Omagh
Postal code: BT79 7AH
Country: United Kingdom

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title

DAC — Northern Ireland Colleges Information (NICIS) — Support Services.

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

Services

Service category No 7: Computer and related services

Main site or place of performance: Northern Ireland.

NUTS code UKN Northern Ireland

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 current NICIS support contract will end on 27.5.2015 and this Award of contract will address the immediate needs of colleges through the continued provision of support for the existing software system. The procurement of these continued support services is viewed as an interim stage to enable colleges to assess the future needs of the sector with the aim of securing the appropriate IT services solution via the relevant means.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

50312600 Maintenance and repair of information technology equipment, 72100000 Hardware consultancy services, 50312300 Maintenance and repair of data network equipment, 50324100 System maintenance services, 72120000 Hardware disaster-recovery consultancy services, 72900000 Computer back-up and catalogue conversion services, 50312000 Maintenance and repair of computer 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

Value: 2 696 760 GBP
excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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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

Justification for the award of the contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union:

Directive 2004/18/EC

1) Justification for the choice of the negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice in the OJEU in accordance with Directive 2004/18/EC

The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:

technical

New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services and ordered in accordance with the strict conditions stated in the directive.

In accordance with Reg 32(2)(b)(iii) of the PCR's 2015 the contract can only be awarded to a particular economic operator due to exclusive rights that the contractor has in relation to the maintenance of the software currently employed by the FE Colleges sector in Northern Ireland.

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

P20714

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 99-180906](#) of 20.5.2015

Section V: Award of contract

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

V.2. Information about tenders

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: MHance Cloud Solutions Ltd

Postal address: 2nd Floor Beaux Lane House

Town: Dublin

Postal code: 2

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

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 2 696 760 GBP

excluding VAT

If annual or monthly value:

Number of months: 36

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

VI.2. Additional information

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 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

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

10.6.2015