

**United Kingdom-London: Educational software package**  
**OJ S 197/2015 10/10/2015**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Directive 2004/18/EC**

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Ark Schools  
Postal address: 65 Kingsway  
Town: London  
Postal code: WC2B 6TD  
Country: United Kingdom  
For the attention of: Sunesh Patel, Joshua Perry  
E-mail: [procurement@arkschools.com](mailto:procurement@arkschools.com)

**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.arkonline.org>  
Electronic access to information: <http://it.arkschools.net/mis-framework/>

**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: A list can be found in section VI.2)  
Postal address: See additional information  
Town: See additional information  
Country: United Kingdom

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description**

**II.1.1. Title**

Ark Management Information Systems Framework.

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

Services  
Service category No 7: Computer and related services  
NUTS code UK United Kingdom

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Ark is a Multi Academy Trust with a growing portfolio of schools (currently 31 in London, Birmingham, Hastings and Portsmouth). The purpose of this tender is to invite appropriate

vendors to tender for the provision of a Management Information System (MIS) solution for Ark and, potentially, other Multi-Academy Trusts.

Ark is seeking to establish a Framework Agreement with a mix of providers that can deliver a MIS able to store a wide range of education data (student, attendance, assessment, behaviour etc.). The MIS needs to integrate with other commercially available products as well as in-house systems and meet the statutory requirements set by the Department for Education.

**II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

48190000 Educational software package, 48612000 Database-management system, 48000000 Software package and information systems, 48810000 Information systems

**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**

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**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

1. Quality. Weighting 50
2. Price. Weighting 50

**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**

**Notice on a buyer profile**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 73-129422](#) of 15.4.2015

**Contract notice**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 86-155974](#) of 5.5.2015

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**Section V: Award of contract**

**V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

5.8.2015

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 10

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 10

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Advanced Business Software and Solutions Limited (Facility)  
Postal address: Advanced Business Solutions, Munro House, Portsmouth Road, Surrey  
Town: Cobham  
Postal code: KT11 1TF  
Country: United Kingdom

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

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

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Official name: Bromcom Computers Plc  
Postal address: Prospect House, 19-21 Homesdale Road  
Town: Bromley  
Postal code: BR2 9LY  
Country: United Kingdom

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Official name: Histon House Ltd

Postal address: DeMontfort House, 7E Enterprise Way, Vale Park, Worcester

Town: Evesham

Postal code: WR11 1GS

Country: United Kingdom

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**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**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**

Ark Schools is seeking to award a Framework Agreement primarily for the use for Ark but that may also be taken up by other Multi Academy Trusts during the life of the Framework Agreement. Ark makes no commitment regarding potential business within the Framework Agreement. It is anticipated that the main contracting authorities within the broader contract will be other Multi Academy Trusts. A List of Multi Academy Trusts can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/academy-sponsor-contact-list>

The schools in these Multi Academy Trusts can be found in the following lists of (a) all academies, (b) all free schools, and (c) all schools in England.

(a) All Academies (current and planned): <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/open-academies-and-academy-projects-in-development>

(b) All Free Schools (current and planned): <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/free-schools-open-schools-and-successful-applications>

(c) All schools in England: <http://www.education.gov.uk/edubase/> (searchable)

The procurement pack can be found at <http://it.arkschools.net/mis-framework/>. All submissions must be submitted via email to the contact stated in section I.1).

**VI.3. Procedures for review****VI.3.1. Review body****VI.3.2. Review procedure****VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained****VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

7.10.2015