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## **01879 Provision of Explosives and Narcotics Trace Detectors**

Scottish Prison Service

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-000081

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-028797

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **NUTS code**

UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.sps.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00384](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00384)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

National or federal Agency/Office

**I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

01879 Provision of Explosives and Narcotics Trace Detectors

Reference number

01879

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 35121000 - Security equipment

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The SPS requires the supply of desktop explosives and narcotics trace detectors with consumables.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 35121000 - Security equipment
- 38544000 - Drug detection apparatus

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

Edinburgh

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The SPS has commenced this procurement process in good faith and with the intention of awarding a contract. Following publication of the Contract Notice, an Invitation to Tender (ITT) including the European Single Procurement Document (ESPD) will be published by SPS and will be made available to bidders. Tender responses will then be evaluated by the SPS in accordance with the ITT.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 70

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Additional Goods may be required during the contract term. Consumables will be required during the contract term. The initial delivery of Goods requires to be made by no later than the 31st March 2021.

#### **II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues**

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

#### **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**

Please refer to the ITT.

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Bidders should be aware that they require to be UK Home Office licensed.

##### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria

Bidders will be required to have a minimum yearly turnover of GBP100K for the last 2 years.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Employers (Compulsory) Liability insurance GBP5m

Public and Product Liability insurance GBP1m

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria

The ITT documentation sets out the details of the requirements of the contract, but the successful licensed supplier shall:

- Be capable and have experience to supply approved and certified desktop explosives and narcotics trace detectors.
- Be able to provide planned preventative and reactive maintenance services.
- Provide consumables to operate the devices throughout the contract term.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Bidders should note that the following minimum standards will be evaluated as part of the award criteria:

ISO 9001: 2015

ISO 14001: 2015

An Approved Drug Testing Device under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 in Appendix A of the UK Home Office Circular No: 005/2017.

Compliant with ASTM E2500-07 (or equivalent);

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

4 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

4 February 2021

Local time

12:30pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Bidders should note that compliance in the following areas is likely to be evaluated as part of the award criteria:

Subcontractors

Response to Specification

Declaration of Non-involvement in Serious and Organised Crime

Previous Experience

The Goods

Delivery and Commissioning of the Goods

Maintenance and Support Service

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 37816. For more information see:

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343>

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Edinburgh Sherriff Court

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United Kingdom