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Opportunity

NMS - Variable Pressure Field Emission Gun Scanning Electron Microscope with Analytical Detectors & Specimen Coater

National Museums Scotland

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.nms.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00423

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Recreation, culture and religion

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NMS - Variable Pressure Field Emission Gun Scanning Electron Microscope with Analytical Detectors & Specimen Coater

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This tender seeks to procure a Variable Pressure Field-Emission Gun Scanning Electron Microscope (VP FEG-SEM) and a range of analytical detectors (CL, EDX, WDS, EBDSD) and specimen coater (C/Pt) to enable high-resolution imaging and analysis which can be used in concert at the National Museums Collection Centre in Edinburgh to study a wide range of collections.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

This tender is divided into 4 Lots. Tenderers may tender for either Lot 1 or Lot 2 or Lot 3 or Lot 4 or any combination of Lot 1, 2, 3 and 4, or ALL of the Lots.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

VARIABLE PRESSURE FIELD-EMISSION GUN SEM (VP FEG-SEM)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

National Museum Collection Centre

242 West Granton Road, Edinburgh

EH5 1JA, Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Please see attached tender documentation for full details.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Duration in months

12

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: No

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 see the tender documents uploaded to this notice for full details.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

A) TRANSFER OF EXISTING EDX SYSTEM & SOFTWARE UPGRADE; OR B) A NEW EDX SYSTEM; AS WELL AS A WAVELENGTH DISPERSIVE X-RAY SPECTROMETER AND ELECTRON BACKSCATTER DIFFRACTION MICROANALYSIS SYSTEM

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

National Museums Collection Centre

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EH5 1JA, Scotland

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II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

SPECIMEN COATER (C/Pt)

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

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Options: No

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II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

RGB/COLOUR CATHODOLUMINESCENCE DETECTOR (CL)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

National Museums Collection Centre

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II.2.14) Additional information

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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

Relevant selection criteria is included in the SPD Scotland Module.

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Relevant selection criteria is included in the SPD Scotland Module.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Relevant selection criteria is included in the SPD Scotland Module.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Relevant selection criteria is included in the SPD Scotland Module.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Relevant selection criteria is included in the SPD Scotland Module.

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

11 February 2022

Local time

5:00pm

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

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

11 February 2022

Local time

5:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

Please see tender documents attached to this notice for full details.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Edinburgh Sheriff Court

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom