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Award

Beckman Coulter Cytoflex and Biomek maintenance and servicing

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through UK Health Security Agency

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through UK Health Security Agency

Nobel House, 17 Smith Square

London

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srm.scientific@phe.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKI32 - Westminster

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-health-security-agency>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-health-security-agency>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Beckman Coulter Cytoflex and Biomek maintenance and servicing

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50400000 - Repair and maintenance services of medical and precision equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This VEAT notice is to indicate that UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) intends to award a contract to Beckman Coulter for the servicing and maintenance of Cytoflex and Biomek instruments UKHSA wide.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £152,142

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) requires a maintenance contract for their fleet of Biomek and Cytotflex instruments. The cover must include (but not be limited to) all labour, spare parts and travel for corrective and preventative maintenance visits. The repairs must be carried out to the original equipment manufacturers standards. The cover must also include any relevant software updates and application support.

UKHSA believes that Beckman Coulter is the only supplier capable of providing this level of cover due to the fact they are the OEM and do not instruct any third party agents or providers to complete or carry out the service activities on these instruments. Therefore a decision has been made to enter into a 1 year agreement with them for this service.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Beckman Coulter are the OEM and they do not instruct any third party agents or providers to complete or carry out the service activities on these instruments. Due to the nature of the work carried out using these instruments it is imperative that they are maintained to the manufacturers standards.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

6 January 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

BECKMAN COULTER UNITED KINGDOM LIMITED

High Wycombe

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

www.beckmancoulter.com

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £152,142

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £152,142

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court and Court of Appeal of England and Wales

Strand

London

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