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Contract

## **Supply, Servicing and Maintenance of Uninterruptable Power Supply Units**

University of Lincoln

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03fb2c

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

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

University of Lincoln

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**Region code**

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Supply, Servicing and Maintenance of Uninterruptable Power Supply Units

Reference number

398

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 31154000 - Uninterruptible power supplies

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

The University of Lincoln were looking for a Supplier that: would provide UPS equipment; would conduct physical checks/inspections; and would make recommendations to

improve the University's UPS provision. All of the University's UPS's and battery equipment would also be subject to the physical maintenance assessment checks (annual service visits), by the supplier, which shall be conducted every 12 months. The purpose of the maintenance visit are to check and assess the condition of existing equipment, and highlight any actions required to keep the equipment in a fully functioning state, without introducing any risk to the University.

#### **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: £1,400,000

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

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

- 31174000 - Power supply transformers
- 31682510 - Emergency power systems
- 51112000 - Installation services of electricity distribution and control equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire
- UKF30 - Lincolnshire

Main site or place of performance

Lincolnshire, Lincolnshire

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

The University were looking for a Supplier that would provide the University with UPS equipment, conduct physical checks/inspections and make recommendations to improve the University's UPS provision. All of the University's UPS's and battery equipment would be subject to the physical maintenance assessment checks (annual service visits), which would be conducted every 12 months and not exceeding. The purpose of the maintenance visit are to check and assess the condition of existing equipment, and highlight any actions required to keep the equipment in a fully functioning state, without introducing any risk to the University. The University has invested heavily in its IT power

infrastructure over the last 10 years, installing fully managed UPS and PDU solutions, bypass switches and by monitoring IT spaces with network-based monitoring appliances. The campuses include over 30 buildings, with over 95% including IT infrastructure. Currently the University has over 100 UPS (uninterruptible power supply) installations, over 140 PDUs (power distribution unit) and circa 25 environmental and security monitoring appliances. The University is committed to providing UPS cover for a minimum of one hour in most of its buildings, to guarantee continual IT provision for most power supply incidents. This contract will cover the supply, the maintenance, the servicing, installation, upgrading, consulting and remote support for all of the University's UPS requirements, including, but not limited to: UPS devices, batteries, battery packs/shelf, peripherals/consumables, racks, bypass panels, transfer switches, surveillance monitoring equipment, device and surveillance pack licences, annual software support etc.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 40

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend the contract for up-to two periods of 12 months each. The maximum contract length is 72 months.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-026606](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

398

### **Title**

Supply, Servicing and Maintenance of Uninterruptable Power Supply Units

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

9 January 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 9

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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National registration number

SC145129

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,400,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,400,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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

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