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#### Contract

# Purchase of x-ray irradiator

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

### I.1) Name and addresses

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

10 South Colonnade

London

E14 4PU

Contact

**Commercial Operations** 

Email

procurement.notices@ukhsa.gov.uk

#### Country

United Kingdom

### **Region code**

UKI42 - Tower Hamlets

### 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

Purchase of x-ray irradiator

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

### II.1.4) Short description

UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) has awarded a contract to RPS Service Ltd. for the provision of a X-ray irradiator for its Virology and Pathogenesis group at Porton.

#### 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: £182,000

# **II.2) Description**

### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK1 - Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

Main site or place of performance

Porton

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) has awarded a contract to RPS Service Ltd. for the provision of a X-ray irradiator for its Virology and Pathogenesis group at Porton.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

### 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

# **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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - · absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

An RFI was published via Contracts Finder and the Find a Tender service, describing the scope of requirements. This allowed us to assess the market to determine whether there were any other potential suppliers that could offer not only the equipment with the specified technical requirements, but also the delivery, installation, commissioning, after-sales services (including maintenance, repair, warranty, troubleshooting, support, decommissioning and disposal). Only one response was received, which did not meet our requirements. Given this, we have gone ahead with awarding the contract to RPS Service Ltd.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

# Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

13 January 2025

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

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

**RPS SERVICE LTD** 

Unit 1A, 100 Royston Road

Byfleet

KT14 7NY

Telephone

+44 7721569137

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKI - London

National registration number

09100057

Internet address

www.rpsservice.co.uk

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: £182,000

Lowest offer: £182,000 / Highest offer: £182,000 taken into consideration

# Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.4) Procedures for review

### VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

39 Victoria Street

London

SW1H 0EU

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health-and-social-care

### VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

High Court

39 Victoria Street

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## VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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London

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Internet address

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