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Award PHW-STA-2324-067 Maintenance of Seegene Starlet and Nimbus Platforms

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

http://nwssp.nhs.wales/ourservices/procurement-services/

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0221

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

PHW-STA-2324-067 Maintenance of Seegene Starlet and Nimbus Platforms

Reference number

PHW-STA-2324-067

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 50412000 - Repair and maintenance services of testing apparatus

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Maintenance of Seegene Starlet and Nimbus Platforms.

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: £654,601.05

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Maintenance of Seegene Starlet and Nimbus Platforms

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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Public Health Wales utilise the Starlet and Nimbus platforms across the laboratory network as the main medium throughput platforms for Covid-19 testing.

It has been confirmed by the manufacturer the analysers have a 7-year life expectancy therefore planned preventative maintenance is required for the remainder of the lifespan. NWSSP Procurement Services cannot identify a Framework Agreement that can be used to award this contract.

For the reasons outlined above and to ensure continuity of the analyser maintenance, PHW have no option but to enter in to an agreement without any formal underpinning Framework Agreement for a 36 month period.

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

Contract No

PHW-STA-2324-067

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

15 January 2025

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

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Mast House, Derby Road

Bootle

L201EA

Telephone

+44 7827991096

Country

United Kingdom

 $\mathsf{NUTS}\,\mathsf{code}$

• UKD7 - Merseyside

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £654,601.05

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(WA Ref:147365)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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