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Planning

Vacuum Pumping Challenges - RFI

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

<http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/72814>

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=36443&B=UK

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Fusion Research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Vacuum Pumping Challenges - RFI

Reference number

T/RB015/21

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 42122450 - Vacuum pumps

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The purpose of this RFI is to start the engagement with vacuum manufacturers and suppliers to understand the state-of-the-art of vacuum pumps and research activities that would facilitate UKAEA's vacuum design activities for the STEP programme.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 42152000 - Parts of nuclear reactors
- 73200000 - Research and development consultancy services
- 73220000 - Development consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 April 2021

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes