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Contract

## **UPS Systems for Advanced Mass Spectrometers**

University of Warwick

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UKG33 - Coventry

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://warwick.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

[www.in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick](http://www.in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick)

**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**

UPS Systems for Advanced Mass Spectrometers

Reference number

SM-05-23-CHEM-AEF-UPSFORMASSPEC-LS

#### **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 Warwick has a requirement to purchase uninterrupted power supply systems for 10 advanced mass spectrometers. The University of Warwick seeks to run an open competition. In order to express interest in this opportunity please go to the University of Warwick In-Tend supplier portal (<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick>). The University of Warwick is not a contracting authority for the purposes of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended) and its procurement activities are not subject to the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or the obligations under the European Public Procurement Directives, including the European Remedies Directive. Advertisement of any contract in the Official Journal of the European Union or Contracts Finder is at the sole discretion of the University and is undertaken on a voluntary basis with no implied obligation to comply with the procurement legislation.

#### **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: £96,000

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

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

- 31154000 - Uninterruptible power supplies
- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG33 - Coventry

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

The performances of mass spectrometers are heavily dependent on lab environment, including the stability of the temperature control, vacuum, and power supply. Mass spectrometers are normally equipped with rough pump and molecular turbo pumps to achieve high vacuum conditions, the ionisation, ion transfer and detection of ions (sensitivity) are directly controlled by multiple high voltage power supply units, mass accuracy and resolution of mass spectrometer are also directly affected by temperature control. Any unexpected power outage, sometimes even only last for a split of second, can potentially cause severe damage to the vacuum system. The stability of power supply to advanced mass spectrometers are also essential to achieve expected performance on these instruments. Therefore, uninterrupted power supply systems are critical for the current and future success to our advanced mass spectrometry facility, which in turn will determine our research outcome.

**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

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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 000-014340](#)

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

### **Contract No**

SM-05-23-CHEM-AEF-UPSFORMASSPEC-LS

### **Title**

UPS Systems for Advanced Mass Spectrometers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

21 September 2023

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

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

Focus Power Solutions

14 Teanhurst Road

Stoke-On-Trent

ST10 4LR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG23 - Stoke-on-Trent

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: £96,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £85,888.3

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

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