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Contract

UPS Systems for Advanced Mass Spectrometers

University of Warwick

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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UKG33 - Coventry

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Main address

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Buyer's address

www.in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

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

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

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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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

University of Warwick

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