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Contract

Supply of Ezi-Strap Zip Ties, Tensioner, Ratchet cutter

Department of Health and Social Care

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-029131

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Department of Health and Social Care

39 Victoria Street

London

SW1H 0EU

Email

procurement.operations@dhsc.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKI32 - Westminster

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

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

Supply of Ezi-Strap Zip Ties, Tensioner, Ratchet cutter

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 42000000 - Industrial machinery

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply of goods between Ezi Dock and DHSC of High containment sealing system for clinical waste bags for operation of high throughput lab in Leamington Spa for Covid 19 testing.

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: £284,050

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of goods between Ezi Dock and DHSC of High containment sealing system for clinical waste bags for operation of high throughput lab in Leamington Spa for Covid 19 testing.

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

- Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting authority

Explanation:

Negotiated procedure without prior publication¹. The COVID-19 outbreak is a Public Health Emergency of International Concern as declared by the World Health Organisation on 30 January 2020. The WHO Director General characterised COVID-19 as a pandemic on 11 March 2020.² DHSC is satisfied the tests permitting use of the Negotiated procedure without prior publication (Regulation 32(2)(c)) are met: A: As far as is strictly necessary: This item is a critical component to the clinical waste disposal process at the lab, core to its operation in a safe manner. Without this item, the lab cannot be operational with the void in the sample testing waste disposal process. B: There are genuine reasons for extreme urgency: The Government announced its drive to hit Mass Test Targets of 3,000,000 tests per day by January 2021 and the potentially prolonged impacts of the COVID pandemic if it fails to do so. C: It is impossible to comply with the usual timescales in the PCR: Due to the urgency of the requirement to ensure lab operation within the desired timescales, time doesn't allow to comply with required process under the PCRs. This would not meet the required timescales and as such lab operation as intended would be compromised. D: The situation is not attributable to the contracting authority: This is a niche requirement which can only be achieved via the one supply source (Ezi-Dock) to meet the necessary containment capability to maintain safety and risk standards in these unprecedented times.

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

31 January 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Ezi-Dock Systems Ltd

Unit 4B, Park Court Park Lane Business Park Kirkby in Ashfield Nottingham

Ashfield

NG5 6RX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - UNITED KINGDOM

National registration number

04964554

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: £284,050

Total value of the contract/lot: £284,050

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/courts-tribunals>