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Contract

## **Tender for ready-to-fly UAV System with Integrated VNIR and SWIR Hyperspectral and Lidar Sensors**

Swansea University

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0297bb

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

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

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**NUTS code**

UKL18 - Swansea

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.swansea.ac.uk](http://www.swansea.ac.uk)

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0345](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0345)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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**

Tender for ready-to-fly UAV System with Integrated VNIR and SWIR Hyperspectral and Lidar Sensors

Reference number

SU65(21)

### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 35613000 - Unmanned aerial vehicles

### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

### **II.1.4) Short description**

The GEMEO (Global Environmental Modelling & Earth Observation) group is located at Swansea University's Department of Geography in the Faculty of Science and Engineering. Its research is focused on understanding how natural and man-made changes affect the biosphere using remote sensing data and environmental models. This current project will involve the detection and classification of coastal litter.

We require a ready-to-fly Unmanned-Aircraft Vehicle (UAV) system with fully-integrated co-aligned hyperspectral Visible and Near-Infrared (VNIR) and Short-Wave Infrared (SWIR) (400 – 2500nm) and lidar sensors, along with in-flight data capture and storage system.

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Lowest offer: £250,000 / Highest offer: £350,000 taken into consideration

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKL18 - Swansea

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

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Requirements / Weighting: 45

Quality criterion - Name: After Sales Support & Warranty / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Lead Time / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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: Yes

Identification of the project

Funding for this procurement has been secured from The Welsh Government, Circular Economy Capital Fund.

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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: [2020/S 242-600208](#)

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

### **Contract No**

SU65(21)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

2 March 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 2

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: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Analytik Ltd

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Cambridge

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL18 - Swansea

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: £260,000

Lowest offer: £250,000 / Highest offer: £350,000 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The timescales of this tender are very tight where payment must be completed before 31st March 2021. Since our normal payment terms are 30 days from date of invoice, the successful supplier may be asked to issue their invoice on receipt of Purchase Order, to allow the payment cycle to be completed to meet the end of March payment deadline.

This tender is being conducted electronically via ITT 84939 on etenderwales BravoSolution and only tenders submitted via the BravoSolution website by the tender deadline can be considered.

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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