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#### Contract

# Tender for a Biological Atomic Force Microscopy (bioAFM)

Swansea University

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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**NUTS** code

UKL18 - Swansea

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Main address

www.swansea.ac.uk

Buyer's address

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

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Tender for a Biological Atomic Force Microscopy (bioAFM)

Reference number

SU55(21)

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38510000 - Microscopes

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The purchase will include instrumentation to hybrid with the Zeiss 510 confocal capacity currently on site and will include provision to image and force characterise the interactions between target compounds and their intended drug delivery moieties/target cells, using all available AFM data channels (specifically height and mechanical z scale information).

#### 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: £270,000

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKL18 - Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Swansea University Medical School

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

The Cluster for Epigenomics and Antibody drug conjugate (ADC) Therapeutics (CEAT) is a GBP 2.6m project, led by the Reproductive Biology and Gynaecological Oncology (RBGO) group at Swansea University Medical School and is aimed at developing new therapeutics for the treatment of ovarian cancer.

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical & Software Requirements / Weighting: 50

Quality criterion - Name: Aftersales Support & Warranty / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Lead Time / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### 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

**CEAT** project

# 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: <u>2020/S 229-565617</u>

### Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

SU55(21)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### V.2) Award of contract

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

25 February 2021

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

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Country

France

**NUTS** code

• FR101 - Paris

The contractor is an SME

No

## V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £270,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

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# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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