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Award

Maintenance Support for Heart and Lung By-Pass and ATS Machines

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

http://nwssp.nhs.wales/ourservices/procurement-services/

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0221

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Maintenance Support for Heart and Lung By-Pass and ATS Machines

Reference number

CAV-STA-(20/21) 238

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 50400000 - Repair and maintenance services of medical and precision equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership on behalf of Cardiff and Vale University Local Health Board wish to inform the market that they intend to award a contract for Maintenance Support for Heart and Lung By-Pass and ATS Machines.

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: £340,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 50400000 - Repair and maintenance services of medical and precision equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Main site or place of performance

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership, on behalf of Cardiff and Vale University Local Health Board wish to inform the market that they intend to award a contract for Maintenance Support for Heart and Lung By-Pass and ATS Machines for two years with the option to extend for a further one year period.

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

• The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

The Health Board currently own a fleet of Heart and Lung and ATS equipment which are now over 6 to 7 years old. The Health Board requires specialist maintenance support for this equipment to ensure the equipment is operating at peak efficiency as the Heart and Lung devices for example pumps and oxygenates the blood during open heart surgery. Therefore, specialist support is required to ensure and protect patient safety and Livanova are the only company that can provide this specialist maintenance support and repair requirement.

The contract will be for two years with an option to extend for a further one year in anticipation of a replacement programme of this equipment after 10 years of life expectancy.

In addition, there are a small number of consumables which currently sit on an All Wales contract which expires at the end of 2021 and are the only compatible products available for this equipment. The Health Board, therefore, reserves the right to include these consumables if required at any point of the contract and an estimated value has been included in the overall contract total which may never be fully utilised.

Based on the specialist maintenance support required, the Health Board is applying a 10 day standstill period prior to awarding this contract.

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/concession

Contract No

CAV-STA-(20/21) 238

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

19 March 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

LivaNova UK Ltd

1370 Montpellier Court, Gloucester Business Park

Gloucester

GL34AH

Telephone

+44 01452638500

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKK1 - Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £340,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

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Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership on behalf of Cardiff and Vale University Local Health Board will allow a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period between notifying the market of the award decision and awarding the contract.