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## **Collection of Full Text Databases - Arts Premium**

University of Plymouth

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-032372

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

University of Plymouth

Drake Circus

Plymouth, Devon

PL4 8AA

#### **Contact**

Procurement Department

#### **Email**

[procurement@plymouth.ac.uk](mailto:procurement@plymouth.ac.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

1128013

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/about-us/university-structure/service-areas/procurement>

**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**

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Reference number

LIB/PRO/AP/JF/03/22

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 48610000 - Database systems

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

The Arts Premium package is a collection of full text databases featuring hundreds of titles covering Art, Architecture, Design, History, Philosophy, Music, Literature, Theatre

and Cultural Studies.

#### **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: £57,305.61

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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#### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

Explanation:

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#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

17 March 2022

#### **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**

ProQuest

Michigan

Country

United States

NUTS code

- US - United States

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: £57,305.61

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

University of Plymouth

Plymouth

Country

United Kingdom