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Award

CEFAS26-04 Thermofisher Equipment Servicing Agreement

CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENT, FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE SCIENCE

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Scope

Reference

CEFAS26-04

Description

3 year servicing agreement for Thermofisher laboratory equipment based in our Lowestoft and Weymouth labs.

Contract 1. CEFAS26-04 Thermofisher Equipment Servicing

Agreement

Supplier

- Thermofisher Scientific

Contract value

- £248,610.82 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

24 February 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2029
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50532000 - Repair and maintenance services of electrical machinery, apparatus and associated equipment
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Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
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Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - technical reasons

Technical reasons- the supplier is the Original Equipment Manufacturer, having the OEM service the equipment ensures availability of parts and engineers and ability to meet our critical SLAs. The instruments are vital for Cefas to perform its legal duties for other Government bodies.

Supplier

Thermofisher Scientific

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCBV-2973-LQVY

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Region: UKH23 - Hertfordshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENT, FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE SCIENCE

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPGW-5299-JGTN

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Region: UKH14 - Suffolk

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government