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Contract

## **YPO - 001254 Primary and Secondary Science**

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

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

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**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**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

YPO - 001254 Primary and Secondary Science

Reference number

001254

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 37000000 - Musical instruments, sport goods, games, toys, handicraft, art materials and accessories

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

Supplies

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

YPO are looking for Providers to be appointed onto a Framework Agreement for the supply of

Primary and Secondary Science Equipment for use primarily in the education market. This

Framework is designed to meet the needs of YPO by establishing an agreement for Providers to deliver stock into YPO's distribution centre in Wakefield, West Yorkshire. For a small number of lines, they are also looking to establish an agreement for Providers to deliver to YPO customers on a direct basis whereby the end customer places the order with YPO and YPO places the order with the Provider, but the Provider delivers direct to the end customer.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £3,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Spring Balances

Lot No

1

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 1 is for the provision of Spring Balances to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Magnets

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 31630000 - Magnets
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 2 is for the provision of Magnets to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - General Magnifiers

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 3 is for the provision of General Magnifiers to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - Acrylic Magnifiers

Lot No

4

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 4 is for the provision of Acrylic Magnifiers to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5 - Bug Viewers

Lot No

5

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 5 is for the provision of Bug Viewers to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 6 - Mirrors

Lot No

6

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 38622000 - Mirrors
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 6 is for the provision of Mirrors to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 7 - Lenses

Lot No

7

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 7 is for the provision of Lenses to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 8 - Safety Spectacles

Lot No

8

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 8 is for the provision of Safety Spectacles to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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**II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 9 - Metal Weights

Lot No

9

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment
- 42958000 - Weights for weighing machines

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 9 is for the provision of Metal Weights to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on

satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 10 - Sand timers

Lot No

10

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 10 is for the provision of Sand timers to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 11 - Scales and Balances

Lot No

11

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 11 is for the provision of Scales and Balances to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in

Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 12 - Volume and Measurement

Lot No

12

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 38300000 - Measuring instruments
- 39162000 - Educational equipment
- 42923000 - Weighing machinery and scales

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 12 is for the provision of Volume and Measurement to be delivered into YPO's warehouse

in Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

## Lot 13 - Biological Models

Lot No

13

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 13 is for the provision of Biological Models to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in Wakefield and directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 14 - Bunsen Burners

Lot No

14

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 14 is for the provision of Bunsen Burners to be delivered directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March

2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 15 - Wire Gauze

Lot No

15

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 15 is for the provision of Wire Gauze to be delivered directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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**II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

**II.2) Description****II.2.1) Title**

Lot 16 - Laboratory equipment

Lot No

16

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 33793000 - Laboratory glassware
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 16 is for the provision of Laboratory equipment to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in

Wakefield and directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 17 - Borosilicate Beakers

Lot No

17

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 17 is for the provision of Borosilicate Beakers to be delivered directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 18 - Polypropylene Beakers

Lot No

18

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 38300000 - Measuring instruments
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UKE45 - Wakefield

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

Lot 18 is for the provision of Polypropylene Beakers to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in

Wakefield

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 19 - Syringes and Pipettes

Lot No

19

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 33141310 - Syringes
- 38437000 - Laboratory pipettes and accessories
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 19 is for the provision of Syringes and Pipettes to be delivered into YPO's warehouse in

Wakefield and directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

**II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

**II.2) Description****II.2.1) Title**

Lot 20 - Chromatography and Filter paper

Lot No

20

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 15994200 - Filter paper
- 39162000 - Educational equipment

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 20 is for the provision of Chromatography and Filter paper to be delivered directly to the end user

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value/Sustainability / Weighting: 10%

Price - Weighting: 60%

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Framework Agreement will cover the period from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2027 with two options to extend for an additional 12 months. The first decision to extend the contract period will be taken by the end of December 2026 and will be dependent on satisfactory completion of all aspects of the contract to date, the current market conditions for this category and YPO's contracting structures. The maximum contract period will therefore be 4 years, from from 11th March 2025 to 10th March 2029 (subject to an annual review, incorporating price negotiations and KPI performance).

### **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**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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: [2024/S 000-025038](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 - Spring Balances

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Lot 2 - Magnets

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Commotion Limited

Tonbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Learning Resources Limited

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Lot 3 - General Magnifiers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Eduk8 Worldwide

Newcastle Upon Tyne

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

001254

**Lot No**

4

**Title**

Lot 4 - Acrylic Magnifiers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 February 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

Lot 5 - Bug Viewers

A contract/lot is awarded: No

### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Lot 6 - Mirrors

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Eduk8 Worldwide

Newcastle Upon Tyne

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

7

### **Title**

Lot 7 - Lenses

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

8

### **Title**

Lot 8 - Safety Spectacles

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

9

### **Title**

Lot 9 - Metal Weights

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

001254

**Lot No**

10

**Title**

Lot 10 - Sand timers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 February 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

11

### **Title**

Lot 11 - Scales and Balances

A contract/lot is awarded: No

### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

12

### **Title**

Lot 12 - Volume and Measurement

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

001254

**Lot No**

13

**Title**

Lot 13 - Biological Models

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 February 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Commotion Ltd

Tonbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

14

### **Title**

Lot 14 - Bunsen Burners

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

15

### **Title**

Lot 15 - Wire Gauze

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

001254

**Lot No**

16

**Title**

Lot 16 - Laboratory equipment

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 February 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Texet Sales Limited

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Smith Scientific Ltd

Edenbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

VITTA Group

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

17

### **Title**

Lot 17 - Borosilicate Beakers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Smith Scientific Ltd

Edenbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Curie Scientific Ltd

Perranporth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK30 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

18

### **Title**

Lot 18 - Polypropylene Beakers

A contract/lot is awarded: No

### **V.1) Information on non-award**

The contract/lot is not awarded

No tenders or requests to participate were received or all were rejected

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

### **Contract No**

001254

### **Lot No**

19

### **Title**

Lot 19 - Syringes and Pipettes

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 February 2025

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

Number of tenders received: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Texet Sales Ltd

Stretford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD33 - Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Smith Scientific Ltd

Edenbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

001254

**Lot No**

20

**Title**

Lot 20 - Chromatography and Filter paper

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

28 February 2025

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Smith Scientific Ltd

Edenbridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

YPO are purchasing on the behalf of other contracting authorities. Please see the below link for

details: <https://www.ypo.co.uk/about/customers/permissible-users> .

YPO will incorporate a standstill period at the point of notification of the award of the contract is

provided to all bidders. The standstill period will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, and provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is

entered into. The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been

harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England,

Wales and Northern Ireland).”

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

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

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom