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## Managed Service Solution for Pathology Blood Science

Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04eb27

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### Section I: Contracting authority/entity

#### I.1) Name and addresses

Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust

Queens Hospitals, Rom Valley Way

Romford

RM7 0AG

#### Contact

Daniel Montague

#### Email

[daniel.montague@nhs.net](mailto:daniel.montague@nhs.net)

#### Country

United Kingdom

#### Region code

UKI52 - Barking & Dagenham and Havering

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.bhrhospitals.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.bhrhospitals.nhs.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Health

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Managed Service Solution for Pathology Blood Science

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85111800 - Pathology services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Managed Service Solution for Pathology Blood Sciences

**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: £7,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85111800 - Pathology services
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### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKI52 - Barking & Dagenham and Havering

Main site or place of performance

Barking

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

The Contracting Authority is not awarding a new contract. This VEAT notice is in respect of a proposed modification to the Contract. The Trust is taking up the option provided in the original contract for the provision of additional Serology and Allergen services. This VEAT notice is in respect of a proposed modification to extend the existing Managed Service Solutions for Pathology Blood Sciences contract to include additional Serology and Allergen services. The contract modification for these services will be for a period of 4 years from April 2025. See section VI.3 for further details.

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

Price

### **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

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:

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#### 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: [2013/S 192-331506](#)

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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

3 August 2017

#### 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

SYSMEX UK LIMITED

Sysmex House, Garamonde Drive, Wymbush

Wymbush

MK8 8DF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

National registration number

02598523

Internet address

<http://www.sysmex.co.uk>

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot/concession: £7,000,000

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#### **V.2.5) Information about subcontracting**

The contract/lot/concession is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Proportion: 90 %

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

The Contracting Authority considers that the modification is permitted under each of Regulation 72(1)(a). Under the contract, the services specification references the optional pathology test services including the appropriate equipment and consumables which are available to be called off by the Contracting Authority to facilitate its healthcare and related services. This specifically includes Serology and Allergens. In addition, the charges schedule permits the Contracting Authority to add such optional test services to the scope of the Service Provider's solution deployed under the contract. It is clear that the contract's intention was to future proof the contract to the extent possible, and Serology and Allergens test services was envisaged at the time of the contract. The Contracting Authority considers that the original contract permitted this modification and envisaged these services at the time of the contract. In addition, this modification would not alter the overall nature of the contract. Therefore, the Contracting Authority's intention to modify the contract is justified on the basis of Regulation 72(1)(a).  
In addition, the overall cost for including the Serology and Allergens services in the contract will not exceed 50% of the value of the original contract.

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

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

High Court

Strand,

London,

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.theroyalcourtsofjustice.com>

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust

Queens Hospitals, Rom Valley Way

Romford

RM7 0AG

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.bhrhospitals.nhs.uk>

**VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust

Queens Hospitals, Rom Valley Way

Romford

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