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Contract

## **UKRI-3669 PIP-II High Power Couplers**

UK Research & Innovation

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044bad

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKK14 - Swindon

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.ukri.org>

**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**

Other activity

Research and innovation

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

UKRI-3669 PIP-II High Power Couplers

Reference number

PIP-II High Power Couplers

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 31643100 - Linear accelerators

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

This procurement covers the manufacturing, treatment, testing and documentation of 20 high- power couplers for 650 MHz cryomodules for the high-? section of the proton LINAC for the Proton Improvement Plan II (PIP-II)

#### **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: 1,904,900 USD

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD61 - Warrington

Main site or place of performance

Warrington

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

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#### **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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons
- Additional deliveries by the original supplier

Explanation:

On the grounds of disproportionate technical complexity should another supplier be selected. In summary, our overall customer on this project, is procuring identical design of couplers from CPI already, and in doing so has already made or funded suitable qualification tests and tooling. Should another supplier be selected by STFC, it is estimated that much of this development and qualification work would have to be repeated by STFC, equivalent to +10% of the estimated contract value and at an extra 12+ months (extra 100%) on the delivery schedule for first batches of parts.

#### 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

### Contract No

UKRI-3669

### Title

PIP-II High Power Couplers

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

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

22 February 2024

**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**

Communications and Power Industries LLC

150 Sohier Rd, Beverly,

Massachusetts

01915,

Country

United States

NUTS code

- US - United States

National registration number

N/A

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 1,904,900 USD

Total value of the contract/lot: 1,904,900 USD

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

Procurement Contract Transparency Data: Redacted contract documents will be made available within the next 30 days on the UKRI website at: <https://www.ukri.org/about-us/procurement-contract-transparency-data/>

To view this notice, please click here:

<https://ukri.delta-esourcing.com/delta/viewNotice.html?noticeId=851076766>

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### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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

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