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Contract

Additive Manufacturing Machine

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04d570

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

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United Kingdom

Region code

UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

National registration number

N/A

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/72814>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Fusion Research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Additive Manufacturing Machine

Reference number

T/RAF011/25

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 42990000 - Miscellaneous special-purpose machinery

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The supply of an Electron Beam Additive Manufacturing Machine.

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: £599,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 43700000 - Machinery for metallurgy and associated parts

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The UK Atomic Energy Authority has a requirement for the supply of an Electron Beam Additive Manufacturing Machine.

This is an urgent requirement for delivery in this financial year (if possible).

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (total - comprising Technical Solution, QA & Programme Mngt) / Weighting: 50%

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Solution / Weighting: 50%

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Programme Management / Weighting: 25%

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

Cost criterion - Name: Total of the Prices / Weighting: 40%

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

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

14549

Title

Additive Manufacturing Machine

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 March 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Freemelt AB

Fiskhamnsgatan 6A

414 51 Gothenburg

Country

Sweden

NUTS code

- SE232 - Västra Götalands län

National registration number

559097-0215

Internet address

www.freemelt.com

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £599,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

UK Atomic Energy Authority

Culham Science Centre

Abingdon

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Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

UK Atomic Energy Authority

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

VI.4.2)Body responsible for mediation procedures

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers.

This period allows unsuccessful tenderers to seek further debriefing from the authority before a contract is entered into applicants have 2 working days from the notification of the award decision to request. Additional debriefing and that information have to be provided within a minimum of 3 working days before the expiry of the standstill period. Such additional information should be sought from the contact named in this notice.

If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No. 102) 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).

Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months).

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

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