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#### Contract

# **Ultra Extreme Environmental Chamber**

University Of Edinburgh

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.ed.ac.uk

Buyer's address

 $\frac{https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0010}{7}$ 

# 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

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Ultra Extreme Environmental Chamber

Reference number

NCA31001

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 37415000 - Athletics equipment

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

Provision of an Ultra Extreme Environmental Chamber for research and teaching of applied science, benefiting students and athletes. The technology is patent protected.

#### 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: £350,000

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

The University of Edinburgh

Paterson's Land

City

Edinburgh

Post Code

EH8 8AQ

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

Provision of an Ultra Extreme Environmental Chamber for research and teaching of applied science, benefiting students and athletes. The technology is patent protected.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

#### 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

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:
  - o absence of competition for technical reasons

## Explanation:

Sporting Edge hold a crucial patent that maintains their position as the market leader in the manufacture and installation of this type of product: The patent (GB2513371) was awarded to Sporting Edge in 2015 for the development of the Cloud 9 Altitude Generator, due to its innovative and unique design. The plenum design is patented by Sporting Edge, due to its superior laminar flow through the chamber.

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

NCA31001

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### V.2) Award of contract

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

21 December 2022

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

Sporting Edge (UK) Ltd

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Basingstoke

RG24 8NG

Telephone

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Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UKJ37 - North Hampshire

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £350,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:718416)

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Edinburgh Sheriff Court

Sheriff Court House, 27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

**United Kingdom**