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Contract

Exotic antivenoms for NHS for emergency use

Public Health England

F03: Contract award notice Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-012378 Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b7cc Published 2 June 2021, 10:45pm

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Exotic antivenoms for NHS for emergency use

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 33000000 - Medical equipments, pharmaceuticals and personal care products

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Public Health England (PHE) is responsible for the provision of public health stocks of exotic antivenoms for NHS emergency use in the UK. The antivenoms are used in the event of someone being bitten or stung by an exotic venomous animal.

This requirement is to source 24 different highly specialist exotic antivenoms from national and international Suppliers.

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: £309,173.57

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This purchase will entail obtaining 24 different highly specialist exotic antivenoms from national and international Suppliers. There are 11 different suppliers, each of whom supplies a very small volume of antivenoms. PHE will communicate with suppliers and place orders following an exchange of e-mails with the supplier to confirm price per dose, shelf life and delivery timescales.

The UK hub sites based across the country are required to hold specified minimum volume on likely treatment dosage. This will allows delivery to be made within 5 hours (best endeavours) from when the request is received to any hospital location within the UK.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Cost criterion - Name: None / Weighting: None

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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

As there are 11 different suppliers for this purchase, each of whom supplies a very small volume of antivenoms, Public Health England will communicate with suppliers and place orders following an exchange of e-mails with the supplier to confirm price per dose, shelf life and delivery timescales. The UK hub sites based across the country are required to hold specified minimum volume on likely treatment dosage. This allows delivery to be made within 5 hours (best endeavours) from when the request is received to any hospital location within the UK.

As there are very limited suppliers in the Aativenom market we are using Reg 32(2)(b)(ii) to award the contract to 11 Suppliers, based mainly internationally. The total contract value specified per supplier cannot be confirmed, as this is dependent on different expiry date of stocks held across various sites across UK. Additionally, the selection of each antivenom will be based on the opinion of the Advisory Group.

Note that under "Section V: Award of contract" no tenders were received; however, for the purpose of populating the field "11" has been entered as the contract is being awarded to 11 suppliers. A value needed to be entered as the field was mandatory.

Also under the same section "Total value of the contract/lot" is appearing as £309173.57, however, the total value to be awarded during the contract term may be low as this is dependent upon factors mentioned above. A value needed to be entered as the field was mandatory.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

South African Vaccine Producers (SAVP)

2131 Sandringham

Country

South Africa

NUTS code

• ZA - South Africa

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Instituto Clodomiro Picado Universidad de Costa Rica

San Jose

Country

Costa Rica

NUTS code

CR - Costa Rica

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

MicroPharm Ltd

Carmarthenshire

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

National Antivenom and Vaccine Production Centre

Riyadh

Country

Saudi Arabia

NUTS code

• SA - Saudi Arabia

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Razi Vaccine & Serum Research Institute

Kraj

Country

Iran

NUTS code

• IR - Iran

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Haffkine BioPharmaceutical Corp Ltd

Mumbai

Country

India

NUTS code

• IN - India

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Queen Saovabha Memorial Institute

Bangkok

Country

Thailand

NUTS code

• TH - Thailand

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Centers for Disease Control

Taipei City

Country

Taiwan

NUTS code

• TW - Taiwan

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

- Seqirus
- Victoria
- Country

Australia

NUTS code

• AU - Australia

The contractor is an SME

No

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Instituto Butantan

Av. Vital

Country

Brazil

NUTS code

• BR - Brazil

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

25 May 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

- Serb-labo
- Av. Louise
- Country

Belgium

NUTS code

• BE1 - Brussels Region

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Health England

London

Country

United Kingdom