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Contract

## **FS616030 - 4 National Reference Laboratory for Food Contaminants**

The Food Standards Agency

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0288ff

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

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

The Food Standards Agency

Foss House, Peasholme Green

York

YO1 7PR

#### **Email**

[fsa.procurement@food.gov.uk](mailto:fsa.procurement@food.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.food.gov.uk](http://www.food.gov.uk)

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

#### **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

FS616030 - 4 National Reference Laboratory for Food Contaminants

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

This is a multiple lot tender. Tenders are invited to bid for all lots, several lots or one lot; please provide details of any applicable discount for multiple awards within the Financial Template.

The appointed laboratory will carry out the provision of services for the UK National Reference Laboratory for Food Contaminants for the following areas in food:

- Lot 1 - NRL for Mycotoxins and Plant Toxins in Feed and Food
- Lot 2 - NRL for Metals and Nitrogenous Compounds in Feed and Food
- Lot 3 - NRL for Processing Contaminants
- Lot 4 - NRL for Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Feed and Food
- \*Lot 5 - NRL for Materials and Articles in Contact with Food

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £1,337,428.50

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

### **II.2.1) Title**

NRL for Mycotoxins and Plant Toxins in Feed and Food

Lot No

1

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

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 1 - NRL for Mycotoxins and Plant Toxins in Feed and Food

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

NRL for Metals and Nitrogenous Compounds in Feed and Food

Lot No

2

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

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 2 - NRL for Metals and Nitrogenous Compounds in Feed and Food

### **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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

NRL for Processing Contaminants

Lot No

3

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

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 3 - NRL for Processing Contaminants

**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

**II.2) Description**

**II.2.1) Title**

NRL for Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Feed and Food

Lot No

4

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

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 4 - NRL for Halogenated Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in Feed and Food

**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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

NRL for Materials and Articles in Contact with Food

Lot No

5

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

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 5 - NRL for Materials and Articles in Contact with Food

### **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**

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**

Notice number: [2021/S 000-000427](#)



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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

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

17 June 2021

#### **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**

Fera Science Ltd

York

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,337,428.50

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Food Standards Agency

York

Country

United Kingdom

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

Food Standards Agency

York

Country

United Kingdom

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

Food Standards Agency

York

Country

United Kingdom