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Contract

Supply and Delivery of Artificial Intestinal System

University of Strathclyde

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

Supply and Delivery of Artificial Intestinal System

Reference number

UOS-24484-2022

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 33184000 - Artificial parts of the body

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This Voluntary Ex-Ante Transparency (VEAT) notice relates the purchase an artificial

intestinal system, to support research and development activities within university of Strathclyde's Institute of Pharmacy and Biomedical science.

The contract has an estimated duration of 24 months inclusive of lead time and warranties.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 33184000 - Artificial parts of the body
- 33190000 - Miscellaneous medical devices and products

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

University of Strathclyde

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The University intends to award this contract under the conditions of regulation 33.b (iii) of the Public Contracts (Scotland) regulations.

The University of Strathclyde's Institute of Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences seek to purchase an artificial intestinal system, to support research and development activities within the department.

The University requires a single suitably qualified supplier to provide a solution that meets the above requirement and non-exhaustive capabilities listed below:

The required equipment provides insight into the release, solubility and availability of ingested products as an alternative to animal and human studies.

be integrated to connect the stomach and small intestine and be able to replicate the bulk luminal macroenvironment in both regions;

include a separate system that replicates the colon, this apparatus should provide the bulk luminal conditions within the colon as well as mixing patterns that represent those found in vivo;

be controlled with feedback sensors to ensure that the conditions are dynamically controlled;

mimic body temperature and the peristaltic motility within the gastro-intestinal tract;

be validated in comparison with in vivo studies in humans.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Contracting Authority reserves the right to request additional deliveries by the Successful Tenderer, either intended as partial replacement of supplies or installations or as extensions of existing supplies and installations.

The Contracting Authority may at its sole discretion exercise this option.

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:

Early market research and engagement undertaken by the University highlighted that the supplier the the University intends to award to manufactures the equipment to be procured for research environments such as the University's Pharmacy and Biomedical Science department. The department seek to purchase the aforementioned equipment as part of grant funding awarded by Engineering and Physical Science Council (EPSRC). The supplier the University intends to award to holds a variety of patents for the equipment to be purchased. By contracting with the supplier the University will be able to assure the funding source that the equipment will add specialist intellectual property to the University's research not readily available in the market.

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

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A contract/lot is awarded: No

V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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