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Contract

## **Extrusion Mixing Equipment**

UK Battery Industrialisation Centre

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041692

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

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

UK Battery Industrialisation Centre

Rowley Road, Baginton

Coventry

CV8 3AL

#### **Email**

[ProcurementTenders@ukbic.co.uk](mailto:ProcurementTenders@ukbic.co.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Main address

<https://www.ukbic.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.ukbic.co.uk/>

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

Other type

Compliance with grant funding agreement

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

Other activity

Research and Development

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Extrusion Mixing Equipment

Reference number

DN698289

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

- 42000000 - Industrial machinery

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

Supplies

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

Extrusion Mixing Equipment is required to allow UKBIC to produce Anode and Cathode slurries for use on its in-house Coating Processes. The Mixing equipment will be installed in a new internal Clean Room facility to UKBIC.

UKBIC currently have Mixing equipment in its Volume Industrialisation Line allowing for a segregated Mixing of Anode and Cathode material, however the size of the equipment is designed for Electrode Material at high levels of maturity and/or at mass production scale. UKBIC is looking to install smaller equipment to support customers at a lower maturity level and allow for a wider range of chemistries. A flexible and modular solution is required to enable UKBIC to be less restricted in its Process Equipment offering and for a more Research and Development focused approach to Mixing albeit on a scale larger than lab-based systems.

UKBIC will consider procurement of one or two Extrusion Mixing Plants wherein the technical content will be refined to differentiate between the areas. These will supplement two off intensive Mixing plants already existing within FIL.

#### **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: £1,925,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

### **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**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-032975](#)

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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**

5 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

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

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

Buhler UK Ltd

London

E16 2BF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,925,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom