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Contract

UKAEA - RAI Co - Scaffold Pipe Size Reduction Prototype Station(s) - Design and Supply

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-017925

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03a7a7

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority

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Region code

UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

National registration number

N/A

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/72814>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Fusion Research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UKAEA - RAICo - Scaffold Pipe Size Reduction Prototype Station(s) - Design and Supply

Reference number

T-PJP022_24

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 43812000 - Sawing equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This Project aims to deliver a semi-automated robot cell that can demonstrate the size reduction of scaffold pipes, cutting them into specified lengths and then slitting down the length utilising cold cutting technologies to allow cleaning prior to packaging. It follows on from the Prior Information Notice published on Find a Tender Service (2023/S 000-005371).

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: £196,754

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38800000 - Industrial process control equipment and remote-control equipment
- 42000000 - Industrial machinery
- 42418500 - Mechanical handling equipment
- 42611000 - Special-purpose machine tools
- 42630000 - Metal-working machine tools
- 42900000 - Miscellaneous general and special-purpose machinery
- 42990000 - Miscellaneous special-purpose machinery

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD11 - West Cumbria

Main site or place of performance

RAICo 1, Whitehaven

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Previous Experience in Remotely Operated Machine Design. / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Engineering Strategy, Concept & Technical Methodology / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Project Planning, Reporting & Delivery / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 25

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: [2024/S 000-007113](#)

IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

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Title

UKAEA - RAICo - Scaffold Pipe Size Reduction Prototype Station(s) - Design and Supply

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 May 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

M5tec Ltd

Unit 7, Hurworth Road, Aycliffe Business Park, Newton Aycliffe, County Durham, DL5 6UD
County Durham, DL5 6UD

Newton Aycliffe

DL5 6UD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £196,754

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

UK Atomic Energy Authority

Culham Science Centre

Abingdon

OX14 3DB

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-atomic-energy-authority>

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

UK Atomic Energy Authority

Culham Science Centre

Abingdon

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Country

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

VI.4.2)Body responsible for mediation procedures

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers.

This period allows unsuccessful tenderers to seek further debriefing from the authority before a contract is entered into applicants have 2 working days from the notification of the award decision to request. Additional debriefing and that information have to be provided within a minimum of 3 working days before the expiry of the standstill period. Such additional information should be sought from the contact named in this notice.

If an appeal regarding the award of a contract has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 No. 102) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

Any such action must be brought promptly.

(generally within 3 months).

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

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