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Contract

## **2330 - Framework for Atomic Force Microscope, Maintenance & After Sales**

CENTRE FOR PROCESS INNOVATION LIMITED

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

CENTRE FOR PROCESS INNOVATION LIMITED

Wilton

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TS104RF

#### **Contact**

CPI Procurement

#### **Email**

[e-tendering@uk-cpi.com](mailto:e-tendering@uk-cpi.com)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1740625716

**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKC12 - South Teesside

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.uk-cpi.com/>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Technology development

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

2330 - Framework for Atomic Force Microscope, Maintenance & After Sales

Reference number

2330

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

- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

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

Supplies

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

This tender is to establish a Single Supplier Framework for the provision of an Atomic Force Microscope.

CPI's National Printable Electronics Centre is currently expanding its metrological capabilities and seeking to acquire a new Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM) instrument. CPI as a Research and Technology Organisation supported by HVMC and part of Catapult requires a flexible tool that is capable of a wide range of analytical modes (topographical, electrical, work function etc.) as well as capable of scanning and fully addressing large samples (8"-diameter) of either rigid or flexible substrates.

This Framework is to cover spare parts, consumables, servicing, software upgrades and maintenance. Further purchases of equipment of a similar nature are covered under this framework should they be required by CPI during the framework duration.

#### **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: £2,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Specification / Weighting: 45

Quality criterion - Name: Equipment Lead Time / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: After Sales Support / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 30

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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: [2022/S 000-002934](#)

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

### **Contract No**

2330

### **Title**

Framework for Atomic Force Microscope, Maintenance & After Sales

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

17 June 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

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

Oxford Instruments Asylum Research Inc

Santa Barbara

Country

United States

NUTS code

- US - United States

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Glasgow Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

Sheriff Clerk's Office PO Box 231 Carlton Place

Glasgow

G5 9DA

Country

United Kingdom