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Contract

## **IRLA - Antibodies and Sera (and other matrices)**

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-018101

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0292a6

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

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

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Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/86623>

**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**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

IRLA - Antibodies and Sera (and other matrices)

Reference number

LAB4042 SU

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

- 33651500 - Immune sera and immunoglobulins

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

Supplies

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

The supply of antibodies and sera (and other human and animal matrices).

Only members of [www.apuc-scot.ac.uk](http://www.apuc-scot.ac.uk) , [www.hepcw.ac.uk](http://www.hepcw.ac.uk) , [www.lupc.ac.uk](http://www.lupc.ac.uk) , [www.neupc.ac.uk](http://www.neupc.ac.uk), [www.nwupc.ac.uk](http://www.nwupc.ac.uk) , [www.supc.ac.uk](http://www.supc.ac.uk) will have access to the agreement.

#### **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: £32,100,000

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

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

Antibodies

Lot No

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

- 33650000 - General anti-infectives for systemic use, vaccines, antineoplastic and immunodulating agents
- 33651000 - General anti-infectives for systemic use and vaccines
- 33651510 - Antisera
- 33651520 - Immunoglobulins

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Various locations across the UK.

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

Precise product specifications and quantities are unknown to SUPC. These will be agreed with customers when they call-off the agreement.

Historical information has shown on average a £10M per year spend with Antibodies suppliers.

However, this is only an estimation and the value of purchases made under each Framework will depend on Institutions taking up the Frameworks and on suppliers promoting and adhering to the terms of their contracts

### **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: Yes

Identification of the project

Various projects funded by EU in research institutions in the UK

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

It is anticipated that some of the future call-off contracts under this framework will be part or fully funded from external streams, including European Union (EU) funding (ERDF/ESF) and potentially other research bodies. All funding accessed under this framework will be considered compliant for the purposes of external funding by the named participants.

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

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

Sera and other matrices

Lot No

2

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

- 33651500 - Immune sera and immunoglobulins

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Various locations across the UK

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

Precise product specifications and quantities are unknown to SUPC. These will be agreed with customers calling-off the agreement.

Expenditure across sera suppliers was estimated at less than 2 500 000 GBP for sera, tissue and other blood products. However, this is only an estimation and the value of purchases made under each Framework will depend on Institutions taking up the Frameworks and on suppliers promoting and adhering to the terms of their contracts.

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

Price

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

SUPC will award this Framework Agreement on the basis of 30 months, with 1 option to extend by up to an additional 6 months.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

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#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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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: [2021/S 000-002879](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Antibodies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 July 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 19

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 13

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 19

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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NUTS code

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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The contractor is an SME

No

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME



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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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The contractor is an SME

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National registration number

40043201900026

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Sera and other matrices

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

1 July 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £7,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £7,100,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The entire tender process will be conducted electronically and suppliers will need to register their interest online at: <https://uk.eu-spply.com/login.asp?B=SUPC>

All documents will be issued and will need to be returned online.

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An electronic auction will not be used for the award of the framework agreement.  
Institutions may choose to use an electronic auction if undertaking a further competition under the Framework Agreement.

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

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

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