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Contract

## **UKRI-2233 Supply of Nd Phosphate Laser Glass**

UK Research & Innovation

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0353fb

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

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

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#### **Telephone**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKK14 - Swindon

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.ukri.org](http://www.ukri.org)

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Research

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

UKRI-2233 Supply of Nd Phosphate Laser Glass

Reference number

UKRI-2233

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 14820000 - Glass

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) had a requirement to provide Nd Phosphate Laser Glass type LG-770 for a high power laser use and the associated cladding material.

### **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: 380,310 USD

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

Main site or place of performance

Oxfordshire

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

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) had a requirement to provide Nd Phosphate Laser Glass type LG-770 for a high power laser use and the associated cladding material.

### **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: No

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## **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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

This contract was awarded in accordance with regulation 32 (2) (b) (ii).

Nd:Phosphate Laser glass is a highly technical material which requires specialist handling and very specialist and detailed annealing. The glass required is controlled under a patent and manufactured only by Schott North America Inc.

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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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**

21 June 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Schott North America, Inc

400 York Avenue

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18642-2036

Email

[info@schott.com](mailto:info@schott.com)

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+1 5704577485

Country

United States

NUTS code

- US - United States

National registration number

N/A

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: 380,310 USD

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Procurement Contract Transparency Data: Redacted contract documents will be made available within the next 30 days on the UKRI website at: <https://www.ukri.org/about-us/procurement-contract-transparency-data/>

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

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

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

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