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Tender

Digital Grain Passport

AHDB

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

AHDB

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Kenilworth

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Email

procurement@ahdb.org.uk

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.ahdb.org.uk

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://defra.bravosolution.co.uk/web/login.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Agriculture

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Digital Grain Passport

Reference number

2020-438

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72314000 - Data collection and collation services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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- Build on the earlier eGrain Passport pilot project and develop a fully operational system for all combinable crops and all supply chains across the UK
- Expand the scope to include other data as required and agreed with industry
- Pilot the system across the full range of supply chains found in the UK Cereals & Oilseeds sector
- Work with industry to drive system rollout across the UK.

The core requirement is to build a fully functioning digital data hub for the UK Cereals and Oilseeds sector allowing data to be shared both up and down supply chains, including replacing the current paper grain passports in England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. Beyond this the data hub must be flexible enough to capture additional data over

and above the core passport data, as required by industry and allow it to be accessed by others in the supply chain.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

1 March 2022

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 years +1+1

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

22 September 2021

Local time

3:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

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22 September 2021

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

AHDB

Kenilworth

Country

United Kingdom