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Contract

Matrix-Sprayer for MALDI Mass Spectrometry Imaging

University of Warwick

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038846

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

University of Warwick

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Coventry

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKG33 - Coventry

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://warwick.ac.uk/insite/>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Matrix-Sprayer for MALDI Mass Spectrometry Imaging

Reference number

CJ-11-22-RTP-MRC-MALDI-AB

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38433100 - Mass spectrometer

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The University of Warwick has a requirement to purchase a matrix-sprayer for preparation of samples prior to MALDI mass spectrometry imaging (MALDI-MSI). This instrument will be embedded in and operated by the Proteomics Research Technology Platform (RTP) core facility for the structural characterisation of peptides and proteins and other biological molecules. The Proteomics RTP supports research from the School of Life Sciences, Warwick Medical School, Department of Chemistry and many external academic and industrial partners. The core requirement of this purchase is a 'matrix-sprayer' instrument capable of automated sample processing, applying uniform and consistent matrix-coating for high resolution imaging and quantification of analytes. In order to express interest in this opportunity please go to the University of Warwick In-Tend supplier portal (<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofwarwick>). The University of Warwick is not a contracting authority for the purposes of the Pub

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: £87,540

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38433100 - Mass spectrometer
- 38433000 - Spectrometers
- 30232120 - Dot-matrix printers
- 30232110 - Laser printers
- 38636100 - Lasers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG33 - Coventry

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

If the Supplier wishes to offer more than one solution to the goods requirement, this should be contained within the response to Part 2 – Goods Requirement document, with the options clearly marked. All requested information should be detailed clearly for each option offered.

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CJ-11-22-RTP-MRC-MALDI-AB

Title

Matrix-Sprayer for MALDI Mass Spectrometry Imaging

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 February 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

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

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

Verulam Scientific Limited

4 Appley Court, Appley Wood Corner Haynes,

Bedfordshire

MK45 3QQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH2 - Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire

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: £87,540

Total value of the contract/lot: £87,540

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Legal Department

Coventry

Country

United Kingdom