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Contract

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscopes

University of Plymouth

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b340

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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<https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/about-us/university-structure/service-areas/procurement>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/97185>

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

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscopes

Reference number

LS/UoP/PEMC_Microscopes012/021

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Plymouth Materials Characterisation Network (PMCN) is a ~£1.7M project based within Plymouth Electron Microscopy Centre (PEMC) at the University of Plymouth, funded by the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF). The project started in March 2021 and will be running for 2.5 years. This project follows on from the hugely successful Plymouth Materials Characterisation Project (~£1.7M) and Plymouth Electron Microscopy Centre (~£1M) projects, also supported by ERDF in 2011 and 2017 respectively, which have brought more than £500M of investment and revenue into Devon and the surrounding areas alone. This new facility will incorporate three new instruments purchased using funds associated with our ERDF-funded project, Plymouth Materials Characterisation Network.

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: £604,993

II.2) Description**II.2.1) Title**

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscopes

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK41 - Plymouth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 - Benchtop Scanning Electron Microscope

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This new facility will incorporate three new instruments purchased using funds associated with our ERDF-funded project, Plymouth Materials Characterisation Network.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: Pass/Fail

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

See above

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscope - Versatile W-SEM with EDS and EBSD

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK41 - Plymouth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscope - Versatile W-SEM with EDS and EBSD

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: Pass/Fail

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

As above

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscope - Versatile FEG-SEM with EDS for Biological Applications

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38511100 - Scanning electron microscopes

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK41 - Plymouth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscope - Versatile FEG-SEM with EDS for Biological Applications

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: Pass/Fail

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

As above

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

Notice number: [2021/S 000-011214](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

Title

Purchase of Scanning Electron Microscopes

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

31 August 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

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

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £604,993

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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