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Tender

Supply of discrete nutrient analysers

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02e34c

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

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I.3) Communication

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

<http://defra.bravosolution.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<http://defra.bravosolution.co.uk>

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

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of discrete nutrient analysers

Reference number

32799

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The Environment Agency requires up to eight (8) discrete nutrient analysers for delivery over a four (4) year period starting from February 2022

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38434560 - Chemistry analyser

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Environment Agency's Monitoring Laboratories (formally National Laboratory Service or NLS) have responsibility for the provision of analytical analysis of water samples in accordance with the Agency's statutory responsibility for monitoring the environment.

Monitoring Laboratories uses discrete nutrient analyser equipment to analyse various environmental water samples (e.g. fresh water, surface water, waste water, ground water, saline water etc) with a range of high throughput analysis for nutrients such as ammonia and phosphates.

Monitoring Laboratories require a supplier for provision of discrete nutrient analysers for nutrient and related analysis. This is to facilitate asset replacement of up to eight (8) nutrient analyser instruments (the Equipment') over a four (4) year period.

In addition to the written tender responses, that must be submitted in Bravo, the Authority will issue samples for analysis to all organisations who submit a tender. Samples will only be issued by the Authority once the tender has closed for written submissions. All tenderers will be provided with a minimum of one (1) week to carry out the analysis of samples and send the analysis report. Analysis report to be returned by Tenderers by Thursday 18th November using the messaging function in Bravo.

All organisations who submit a tender will also be invited to carry out an online demonstration of their proposed Equipment. Dates will be confirmed after the closing date for written responses but are estimated to be between 25th November and 7th December 2021.

Please refer to the tender documents for details on the above.

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note that Defra procurement uses an E-tendering system for Procurement activities. This is currently provided by Bravo Solutions. To access appropriate tendering and contractual documents, please access the E-Tendering portal at <https://defra.bravosolution.co.uk>

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Please refer to tender documents

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Please refer to tender documents

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

Date

29 October 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

29 October 2021

Local time

12:01pm

Place

Sealed Parallel Opening of Tender Documents via Bravo e-Tendering System

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

Defra

London

Country

United Kingdom