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Tender

UKRI-2379 EPAC Front End and Ti:Sapphire Main Amplifier Optocal Tables

UK Research & Innovation

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

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

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Swindon:-Optical-instruments./4KG2EFMX72>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Research

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UKRI-2379 EPAC Front End and Ti:Sapphire Main Amplifier Optocal Tables

Reference number

UKRI-2379

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38600000 - Optical instruments

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Proposals are sought by the Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) for the supply of

optical tables for laser systems being built for the EPAC Project located at the Rutherford Appleton

Laboratory (RAL). These optical tables will form the base of the laser system and will be operated at

room temperature in ambient atmospheric conditions in a clean room environment.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £240,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Ti:Sapphire Main Amplifier Optical Tables.

The initial purchase is for 1 Front End Optical Table and 1 Ti:S Main Amplifier Optical Table. UKRI wish to retain the option to buy an additional 2 optical tables for the Ti:Sapphire Main Amplifier at a later date and therefore different timescales for delivery will apply.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Table Joining Method / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Table Supports / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Underside Tapped Holes / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Lost Holes / Weighting: 4

Quality criterion - Name: Installation / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Management / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery Date / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery Schedule / Weighting: 6

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £240,000

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

Start date

4 November 2022

End date

31 March 2023

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

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Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

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

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

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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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

7 October 2022

Local time

11:00am

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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