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Planning

## **NMIS Power Electronics Advanced Packaging Semiconductor Facility, dedicated die bonding, wire bonding, and encapsulation equipment.**

University of Strathclyde

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03f66f

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**NUTS code**

UKM82 - Glasgow City

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Main address

<http://www.strath.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00113](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00113)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

NMIS Power Electronics Advanced Packaging Semiconductor Facility, dedicated die bonding, wire bonding, and encapsulation equipment.

Reference number

UOS-29683-2023

### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 31712330 - Semiconductors

### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

### **II.1.4) Short description**

NMIS is in the process of expanding its manufacturing capability into the semiconductor advanced packaging area with specific focus on power electronic semiconductors. To support this expansion, NMIS intends to procure equipment that is flexible to support a wide variety of power electronic semiconductor designs and packaging requirements. The initial focus will be procuring equipment to support die bonding, wire bonding and encapsulation and associated ancillaries required.

### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,900,000

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 31710000 - Electronic equipment

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

NMIS is in the process of expanding its manufacturing capability into the semiconductor advanced packaging area with specific focus on power electronic semiconductors. To support this expansion, NMIS intends to procure equipment that is able to support a wide variety of power electronic semiconductor designs and packaging requirements.

The concept design for the facility includes provision of equipment that is sufficiently flexible to support a wide variety of power electronic semiconductor designs and packaging requirements. The items procured will enable NMIS to set up a research facility for developing and scaling-up advanced packaging capabilities for power electronic semiconductors. The overall facility will have capability to prepare, dice/cut, bond, interconnect, package and test semiconductor products that are part of the power electronics sector. These stages will be carried out across dedicated research and development cells.

The initial focus will be procuring equipment as a 3 cell solution as Cell 6, Cell 7 and Cell 8 of a production line to support die bonding, wire bonding and encapsulation and associated ancillaries required. The University is seeking a supplier to supply, deliver and commission all of the equipment to provide the following overall capability:

#### Cell 6: Die Attach

- Automatic die bonding
- Vacuum oven curing
- Plasma cleaning

#### Cell 7: Interconnection

- Multi-head wire bonding
- Ultrasonic bonding

#### Cell 8: Encapsulation

- Overmoulding
- Dam and fill encapsulation
- Oven curing

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

2 October 2023

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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