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Planning

Serials, Periodicals, and Associated Services (Print and Digital)

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0366df

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

<https://www.supc.ac.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/86623>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

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

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=52147&B=SUPC

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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Serials, Periodicals, and Associated Services (Print and Digital)

Reference number

LIB4054 SU

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 22200000 - Newspapers, journals, periodicals and magazines

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The agreement scope remains similar to the current agreement and will cover the supply of serials by subscriptions agents in print and/or electronic formats. This includes current, backissue and backsets of periodicals; newspapers and annuals (annual conference proceedings, reports, yearbooks, etc); the journals, memoirs, proceedings, transactions and other similar publications of societies; numbered monographic series; standing orders; and databases. Also included are associated services relating to consolidation or usage analysis.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £250,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 22200000 - Newspapers, journals, periodicals and magazines

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Various locations around the UK

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

3 February 2023

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Current timelines estimate that the tender will be published 3rd February 2023 with a deadline of 13th March 2023. This timeline is subject to change.

It is expected that there will be no Lot structure to this agreement but that may change.