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Contract

Supply of Equipment Related to Establishing an Advanced Indoor Crop Facility

Aberystwyth University

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-028312

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-037415

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1009

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

University

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of Equipment Related to Establishing an Advanced Indoor Crop Facility

Reference number

itt_96577

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 03110000 - Crops, products of market gardening and horticulture

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Aberystwyth University wishes to procure various items related to establishing an advanced indoor crop production facility. The procurement contains the following Lots:

Lot 1 - Flood and Drain Rack Systems

Lot 2 - NFT Hydroponic Racks

Lot 3 - Nutrient Flow Facility

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: £308,401

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Flood and Drain Rack Systems

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 03110000 - Crops, products of market gardening and horticulture

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

Main site or place of performance

Aberystwyth University

Penglais Campus

Aberystwyth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberystwyth University (the 'University') wishes to procure ten portable and flexible flood and drain (ebb and flow) rack systems for research and teaching purposes . The procurement will be by a process of open tendering.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 85%

Price - Weighting: 15%

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2: NFT Hydroponic Racks (Four Tiers)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 03110000 - Crops, products of market gardening and horticulture

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

Main site or place of performance

Aberystwyth University

Penglais Campus

Aberystwyth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberystwyth University (the 'University') wishes to procure ten independent Nutrient Film Technique (NFT) hydroponic racks (four tiers). The procurement will be by a process of open tendering.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 85%

Price - Weighting: 15%

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3: Nutrient Flow Facility

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 03110000 - Crops, products of market gardening and horticulture

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

Main site or place of performance

Aberystwyth University

Penglais Campus

Aberystwyth

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberystwyth University (the 'University') wishes to procure a supplier to carry out refurbishment of its in situ Nutrient Flow Facility equipment at the Gogerddan Campus. The procurement will be by a process of open tendering.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 85%

Price - Weighting: 15%

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

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: [2022/S 022-123432](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

Lot 1 - Flood and Drain Rack Systems

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 September 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Hydrogarden Ltd

unit 2 Progress Way, Binley

Coventry

CV32NT

Telephone

+44 2476651500

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £92,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

2

Title

Lot 2: NFT Hydroponic Racks (Four Tiers)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 September 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £92,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

3

Title

Lot 3: Nutrient Flow Facility

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 September 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £124,401

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(WA Ref:125431)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

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