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# DAERA NIEA - Supply and Delivery of a LCMS Time of Flight Mass Spectrometer

NORTHERN IRELAND ENVIROMENT AGENCY NIEA

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

NORTHERN IRELAND ENVIROMENT AGENCY NIEA

17 Antrim Road

Lisrburn

**BT28 3AL** 

#### **Email**

SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

# 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://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

DAERA NIEA - Supply and Delivery of a LCMS Time of Flight Mass Spectrometer

Reference number

ID3741083

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38433100 - Mass spectrometer

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

The NIEA Trace Organics Team require a Contractor for the Supply, Delivery, Installation, Warranty and Training of staff in the use of a High Resolution Time of Flight Liquid Chromatographic Mass Spectrometer, (UHPLC TOFMS), to perform analysis of WFD Annex 8/10 substances

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £200,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

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

- 38432200 Chromatographs
- 38432000 Analysis apparatus
- 38400000 Instruments for checking physical characteristics
- 38000000 Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Qulaity / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 30

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £200,000

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

Duration in months

12

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

This is a recurring requirement and may be retendered

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Contract is based on initial 1 year initial period that covers the warranty period and 4 further optional extensions periods to cover the warranty service and maintenance package

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

Date

17 December 2021

Local time

3:00pm

#### 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

Tender must be valid until: 17 March 2022

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

17 December 2021

Local time

3:30pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

# VI.3) Additional information

The successful Contractor's performance on this Contract will be managed as per the specification and regularly monitored (see...... Procurement Guidance Note 01/12 -Contract Management - Procedures and Principles). Contractors not delivering on contract...... requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory...... levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach... satisfactory..... levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this.. occurs. and their..... performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an.. act of grave. professional.... misconduct and they may be issued with a Notice of Unsatisfactory Performance and this Contract may.. be terminated.. A central.. register.... of such Notices for supplies and services contracts will be maintained and published on the.. CPD website. Any. contractor in.. receipt of a... Notice of Unsatisfactory Performance will be required to declare this in future tender.. submissions for a. period of three.. years from the... date of issue of the Notice. It may also result in the contractor being excluded from.. all procurement. competitions being.. undertaken by... Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern.. Ireland Procurement. Policy.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Any challenges are dealt with by the High Court Commercial Division to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the Public Contracts Regulations

UK

Country

**United Kingdom** 

# VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD will comply with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended)and,.... where... appropriate, will incorporate a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of.... contract is... communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision.