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Contract

Supply of data from Inoculated disease trials for AHDB's Recommended List project 2022 to 2027

Agriculture & Horticulture Development Board

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UK - United Kingdom

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supply of data from Inoculated disease trials for AHDB's Recommended List project 2022 to 2027

Reference number

2021-528

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77000000 - Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The AHDB Cereals and Oilseeds Recommended Lists (RLs) provide levy payers and the wider industry with independent information on the characteristics and market options for new cereal and oilseed varieties. The information provided by the RLs enables levy payers to select variety's that are optimal for their cropping system and meet the requirements of their local market. Key to this is the assessment of varietal resistance to

disease.

AHDB is seeking to procure the running of cereal and oilseed inoculated disease trials for the purposes of providing data to facilitate the selection of crop varieties into Recommended Lists. Inoculated disease trials are a very important part of the AHDB RL programme and we are looking for suppliers with experience of running inoculated disease trials. The trials should be conducted in such a way that will ensure a high level of disease on susceptible varieties.

AHDB have included a detailed protocol as part of this tender to which the trials must be run.

Tenderers are invited to apply for single or multiple trials as per the list of required trials.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £870,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 03211000 - Cereals
- 77000000 - Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services
- 77100000 - Agricultural services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2022/S 000-002253](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2021-528

Title

THE SUPPLY OF DATA FROM INOCULATED DISEASE TRIALS FOR AHDB's RECOMMENDED LIST PROJECT

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

NIAB

Cambridge

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £450,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2021-528

Title

THE SUPPLY OF DATA FROM INOCULATED DISEASE TRIALS FOR AHDB's
RECOMMENDED LIST PROJECT

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

RSK ADAS Limited

Helsby

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £340,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2021-528

Title

THE SUPPLY OF DATA FROM INOCULATED DISEASE TRIALS FOR AHDB's
RECOMMENDED LIST PROJECT

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

SAC Commercial Limited

Edinburgh

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £80,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Authorised Procurement Manager

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Agriculture & Horticulture Development Board

Kenilworth

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Defra

Nobel House

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Agriculture & Horticulture Development Board

Kenilworth

Country

United Kingdom