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## **YPO - 001177 Industrial, Medical and Scientific Gases and Associated Products.**

YPO

F02: Contract notice

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

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

YPO

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Wakefield

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#### **Contact**

The Contracts Team

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE45 - Wakefield

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.ypo.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register?ReadForm>

**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://procontract.due-north.com/register?ReadForm>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register?ReadForm>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

YPO - 001177 Industrial, Medical and Scientific Gases and Associated Products.

Reference number

001177

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

- 24100000 - Gases

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

Supplies

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

YPO are looking for Providers to be appointed onto a Framework Agreement for the provision of Industrial, Medical and Scientific Gases and Associated Products/Services. The Framework is designed to meet the needs of all public sector organisations which includes YPO's internal requirements.

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

Value excluding VAT: £10,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Industrial Gases

Lot No

1

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

- 09122100 - Propane gas
- 24110000 - Industrial gases
- 24111000 - Hydrogen, argon, rare gases, nitrogen and oxygen
- 24111100 - Argon
- 24111200 - Rare gases
- 24111400 - Neon
- 24111600 - Hydrogen
- 24111700 - Nitrogen
- 24111800 - Liquid nitrogen
- 24113000 - Liquid and compressed air
- 24113100 - Liquid air
- 24113200 - Compressed air

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 1 is for the provision of industrial gases to be ordered and delivered directly from the supplier to the end customer.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability, Net Zero and CSR / Weighting: 20%

Price - Weighting: 30%

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

Start date

1 January 2024

End date

31 December 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

There is a possibility that this framework will be subject to renewal after 3.5 years from the commencement date.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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 - Medical Gases

Lot No

2

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

- 24111300 - Helium

- 24111500 - Medical gases
- 24111900 - Oxygen

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 2 is for the provision of medical gases to be ordered and delivered directly from the supplier to the end customer.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability, Net Zero and CSR / Weighting: 20%

Price - Weighting: 30%

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

Start date

1 January 2024

End date

31 December 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

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### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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 - Scientific Gases

Lot No

3

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

- 24111300 - Helium

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 3 is for the provision of scientific gases to be ordered and delivered directly from the supplier to the end customer.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability, Net Zero and CSR / Weighting: 20%

Price - Weighting: 30%

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

Start date

1 January 2024

End date

31 December 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

There is a possibility that this framework will be subject to renewal after 3.5 years from the commencement date.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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 4 -

Lot No

4

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

- 44165000 - Hoses, risers and sleeves



- 44165100 - Hoses

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Lot 4 is for the provision of associated products and services to be ordered and delivered directly from the supplier to the end customer.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery and Customer Service / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability, Net Zero and CSR / Weighting: 20%

Price - Weighting: 30%

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

Start date

1 January 2024

End date

31 December 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

There is a possibility that this framework will be subject to renewal after 3.5 years from the commencement date.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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## **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Organisations must ensure that they are not in breach of any of the mandatory or discretionary exclusions contained in Regulation 57 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015. Please refer to the

Tender Documentation/ Online Tender located on our E-Procurement system. The web address can be found under 'Procurement Documents' in 'Communication' section in this notice.

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

Please refer to the Framework Agreement Terms and Conditions located on our E-Procurement system. The web address can be found under Procurement Documents in 'Communication' Section in this notice.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

#### **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: [2023/S 000-002355](#)

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

Date

16 November 2023

Local time

2:00pm

#### **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**

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

16 November 2023

Local time

2:00pm

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### **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: There is a possibility that this framework will be subject to renewal after 3.5 years from the commencement date.

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

YPO are purchasing on the behalf of other contracting authorities. Please see the below link for details: <https://www.ypo.co.uk/about/customers/permmissible-users> .

YPO will incorporate a standstill period at the point of notification of the award of the contract is provided to all bidders. The standstill period will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, and provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into. The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

#### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom