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Contract

UKHSA_Scientific- Provision of a DNA Synthesiser

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through UK Health Security Agency

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-030287

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-049cdc

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through UK Health Security Agency

10 South Colonnade

London

E14 4PU

Contact

Commercial Operations

Email

procurementnotices@ukhsa.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI42 - Tower Hamlets

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-health-security-agency

Buyer's address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-health-security-agency

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UKHSA_Scientific- Provision of a DNA Synthesiser

Reference number

C306806

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) has awarded a contract for the provision of a DNA synthesiser to DNA Script, Inc.

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: 560,100 EUR

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 38430000 - Detection and analysis apparatus

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK15 - Wiltshire CC

Main site or place of performance

UKHSA Porton site

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) has awarded a contract for the provision of a DNA synthesiser to DNA Script, Inc.

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

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - o absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

Absence of competition in accordance with Regulation 32(2)(b)(ii). Competition was absent as only supplier could meet our technical requirements.

A VEAT notice was published to allow suppliers the opportunity to query the award of the contract to DNA Script. No queries were received.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

18 September 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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80117283400054

National registration number

Internet address

www.dnascript.com

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 560,100 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 560,100 EUR

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review VI.4.1) Review body **High Court** 39 Victoria Street London SW1H 0EU Country **United Kingdom** Internet address https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health-and-social-care VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures **High Court** 39 Victoria Street London SW1H 0EU

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

High Court

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United Kingdom

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