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Contract

P-37251 - APHA - Reagents for Genie Lab Equipment

ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH AGENCY

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Scope

Reference

C28739

Description

Supply of reagents and associated goods for use in Loop Mediated Isothermal Amplification (LAMP) testing on Genie lab equipment in GENIE rooms across four main sites in South East England

Contract 1

Supplier

- [OptiGene Limited](#)

Contract value

- £78,007.20 excluding VAT
- £93,608.64 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

24 April 2025

Contract dates

- 1 May 2025 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

The Buyer may extend the Contract for a period of up to twelve (12) months (to 31st March 2028) by giving not less than 10 Working Days' notice in writing to the Supplier prior to the Expiry Date.

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 33696500 - Laboratory reagents

Key performance indicators

Name	Description
KPI 1	Customer Service: Communication is responded to promptly. The Supplier shall respond to queries within one (1) Working Day of contact from the Authority. The response shall provide the Authority with either a suitable resolution within two (2) Working Days or agree a timescale for resolution.
KPI 3	Quality: The Goods are accepted as suitable by APHA.
KPI 2	Delivery: Goods shall be delivered to whichever of the four sites listed in Condition 3.1 (Delivery) places the order and received within 5-7 Working Days following receipt of the Purchase Order. The Supplier will also notify the Authority of any issues that may affect delivery timescales as stated in Condition 3.2 via telephone or email within 48 hours of knowledge.

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

OptiGene Limited

Unit 5, Blatchford Road

Horsham

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United Kingdom

Email: james.fletcher@defra.gov.uk

Region: UKJ28 - West Sussex (North East)

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH AGENCY

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBHC-6261-BLLQ

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Organisation type: Public authority - central government