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Planning

XRD Diffractometer

University Of Edinburgh

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00107

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

XRD Diffractometer

Reference number

EC0986

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 38530000 - Diffraction apparatus

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

X-Ray Diffraction equipment, with micro-diffraction facility and a large capacity sample changer. Also required is a chiller, either integral or stand alone, with the capacity to cool modern standard XRD's.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £240,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 38500000 - Checking and testing apparatus

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

School of Geosciences, University of Edinburgh.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply, installation, commissioning and maintenance support of an X-Ray Diffractometer system with micro-diffraction capability and a large capacity sample changer. We also require a chiller which may either be an integral one or stand-alone. NB, limited space in the intended laboratory location for the XRD may require the proposed solution to fit within a given footprint. Suppliers are encouraged to arrange a site visit before preparing their bids.

II.2.14) Additional information

Samples will be sent out to each of the bidders for identification and quantification; this will form an important part of the tender process.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

6 January 2023

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

We are looking for a turnkey contract. The supplier of the XRD will be expected to propose a chiller solution as well, whether of their own make or a third party, and ideally be responsible for its supply, installation, commissioning and ongoing maintenance. This is our preference, but we will consider bids for the main XRD component alone.

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