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# **UKRI-2502 EPAC High Power Laser Mirror Substrate**

**UK** Research and Innovation

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

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## Internet address(es)

Main address

www.ukri.org

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Swindon:-Specialist-optical-instruments./454R353A33

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Government Research and Innovation

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

UKRI-2502 EPAC High Power Laser Mirror Substrate

Reference number

UKRI-2502

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38636000 - Specialist optical instruments

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

Proposals are sought by UK Research and Innovation's (UKRI's) Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) for the supply of High Power Laser Mirror Substrates for use as part of the EPAC Project. The tender documents describe the technical specification for tender reference UKRI-2502 to provide the substrates. All related documents should be read and understood in order to bid. The core requirement of the initial batch of substrates is estimated at £400,000 GBP to £500,000 GBP (excluding VAT). The options, that UKRI may choose to procure at a later date, of a 2nd and 3rd batch, makes the total potential spend via a contract to be up to £1.5M GBP (excluding VAT).

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

#### UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

Main site or place of performance

Oxfordshire

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

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A quantity of 22 substrates shall comprise of the core deliverables of the initial batch to be delivered to UKRI-STFC-RAL.

Delivery of the initial quantities of substrates shall be delivered no later than 12 months from contract commencement.

The contract shall allow for the subsequent batches 2 and 3, that UKRI may (or may not) choose to purchase, to be purchased within 3 years. The Bid submitted prices shall apply to the entirety of the contract duration and any subsequent purchases via this contract.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

No

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

A 2nd and 3rd batch of substrates may be purchased, up to the maximum advertised value.

# 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.2.14) Additional information

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# 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: Yes

# IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

12 January 2023

Local time

11:00am

#### 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

12 January 2023

Local time

11:00am

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

# VI.3) Additional information

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# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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