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Contract

## Large Plant Platform

Aberystwyth University

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-034502

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0375a7

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### Section I: Contracting authority

#### I.1) Name and addresses

Aberystwyth University

c/o Finance Office, Student Welcome Centre, Penglais Campus

Aberystwyth

SY23 3FB

#### Email

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#### Telephone

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#### Country

United Kingdom

#### NUTS code

UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.aber.ac.uk/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1009](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA1009)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Other type

University

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Large Plant Platform

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

- 03451000 - Plants

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

Supplies

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

Aberystwyth University wishes to procure (a) a control system, (b) a 2D/3D imaging system as well as (c) the ability to integrate new third party or bespoke modalities in the future for the large plant phenotyping platform, (hereafter referred to as the “platform”). The new capabilities will be used to undertake image capture of various types of crops, including oats and other small grain cereals, maize, miscanthus, forages, and saplings on a regular basis to enable longitudinal phenotyping across the life cycle.

#### **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: £200,000

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

Main site or place of performance

Aberystwyth

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 850

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 150

## **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

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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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-028935](#)

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## **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**

2 December 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

LemnaTec GmbH

Nerscheider Weg 170

Aachen

52076

Country

Germany

NUTS code

- DEA2D - Städteregion Aachen

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £155,000

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.3) Additional information**

(WA Ref:145561)

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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United Kingdom