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# **Provision of launch services**

University of Exeter

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# **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

### I.1) Name and addresses

University of Exeter

Northcote House

Exeter

EX44QH

#### Contact

Megan Brine

#### **Email**

m.brine@exeter.ac.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### **Region code**

UKK4 - Devon

### National registration number

RC000653

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.exeter.ac.uk

# 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

Provision of launch services

Reference number

UOE/2022/095/MB

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 60500000 - Space transport services

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Spaceflight provider services and associated services.

#### 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: £205,000

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 60500000 - Space transport services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKK4 - Devon

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Spaceflight provider services and associated services.

### 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 procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

#### Explanation:

NanoRacks LLC are the only provider of these services, as validated by the UK Space Agency due to the nature of the services.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract/concession

### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

13 December 2022

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

NanoRacks LLC

503 Forge River Road

Webster

Country

**United States** 

NUTS code

• US - United States

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £205.000

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom