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Award

Provision of launch services

University of Exeter

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038cfe

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Contact

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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