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Contract

# Multiplex Spatial Biology Digital Imaging Platform using DNA bar-coding technology

University of Dundee

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### **NUTS** code

UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

## Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.dundee.ac.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0010 5

# 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

Multiplex Spatial Biology Digital Imaging Platform using DNA bar-coding technology

Reference number

UoD-LAB542-TC-2024

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

The University of Dundee School of Medicine require a spatial biology platform to embed this cutting-edge technology to map the spatial architecture of cells and phenotypic profiles within tissue samples. This new technology for the University will enable deep characterisation of tissues to identify which cells are present, where they are located in tissue, their biomarker co-expression patterns, and how they organize and interact to influence the tissue microenvironment.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

Main site or place of performance

The University of Dundee, School of Medicine, Ninewells Hospital & Medical School, Dundee.

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

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The multiplex platform will be embedded within the University's Tayside Biorepository and be provided as a university wide translational science core facility service. The equipment will be used by over 20 research groups across the Schools of Medicine and Life Sciences in a broad reach of research programs, including translational research, molecular and cellular medicine, cancer research, neuroscience and infection and immunity. This will provide a significant opportunity to characterise disease progression and responses to therapy within translational research and clinical trials to support patient stratification and biomarker and drug development.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: as per procurement docs / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Potentially other related accessories, consumables, upgrades, software, hardware after original purchase.

#### 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

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

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## Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

UoD-LAB542-TC-2024

A contract/lot is awarded: No

## V.1) Information on non-award

The contract/lot is not awarded

Other reasons (discontinuation of procedure)

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

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# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures
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