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Tender

Replacement X-ray diffraction instrument

Health and Safety Executive

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Deadline for submission of tender extended to Tuesday 30th September 2025 and submission of questions until Tuesday 23rd September 2025.

Scope

Reference

HSE/T4787

Description

The Science Division (SD) of the Health and Safety Executive invites competitive quotations for the Supply of the following item to their Laboratory located at Harpur Hill, Buxton SK17 9JN, United Kingdom.

The HSE (Health and Safety Executive) Science and Research Centre is Britain's leading industrial health and safety facility. It supports HSE's mission to protect people's health and safety by ensuring risks in the changing workplace are properly controlled.

This equipment is required to replace a Panalytical Xpert pro MPD which is now more than 20 years old.

Requirement is for 1 x X-ray diffraction Instrument

Total value (estimated)

- £205,000 excluding VAT
- £246,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 3 November 2025 to 3 November 2025
- 1 day

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 38530000 - Diffraction apparatus
- 38582000 - X-ray inspection equipment

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

23 September 2025, 1:00pm

Tender submission deadline

30 September 2025, 1:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

All tender documents are available via the HSE In-Tend supplier e-procurement portal. All responses and requests for clarification must be submitted via the portal. Registration is free of charge and can be completed via the following link:

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hse>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

3 November 2025

Award criteria

| Name | Description | Type |
|-------------|--|-------------|
| Cost | Evaluation of bids will be based on being able to meet the technical aspects as outlined in the specification with the shortest timescale, at best price | Cost |

Weighting description

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Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Health and Safety Executive

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBXM-4389-TXVZ

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government