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Award

Purchase of Radiation Protection Equipment

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF NORTH MIDLANDS NHS TRUST

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Scope

Description

This transparency notice is to notify the market of the Trusts upcoming intentions with regards to direct awarding an above threshold contract to M3 Medical / Uniphar Medtech for the purchase of 4 x EggNest Radiation Protection Systems.

Contract 1. Purchase of Radiation Protection Equipment

Supplier

- Uniphar Medtech Ltd

Contract value

- £340,000 excluding VAT
- £408,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

3 November 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 4 November 2025 to 3 November 2026
- 1 year

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 35113200 - Nuclear, biological, chemical and radiological protection equipment

Contract locations

- UKG - West Midlands (England)
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Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights

The Authority considers that the contract may be awarded on the basis of the justification set out in Paragraph 5 of Schedule 5 of the Procurement Act 2023:

5. The following conditions are met in relation to the public contract-

(a) due to a particular supplier having intellectual property rights or other exclusive rights, only that supplier can supply the goods, services or works required, and

(b) there are no reasonable alternatives to those goods, services or works.

The EggNest radiation protection equipment has an up to date registered patent (EP3352673) and Unipharm/M3 Medical have sole distribution rights within the UK and Ireland for this device. Evidence from the manufacturer of sole distribution has been provided to the Authority.

Supplier

Uniphar Medtech Ltd

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF NORTH MIDLANDS NHS TRUST

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHBX-7757-YPYD

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government