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Award

Hypervapotron Repair Work

UK Atomic Energy Authority

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Scope

Reference

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Description

Repair of the Hypervapotron Water Cooling Stub due to failed leak testing. The work will be undertaken by the OEM who has a unique knowledge of the original item with detailed understanding of the design and manufacture who has developed, trialled, tested and implemented the desired repairs in the fusion industry.

Contract 1. Hypervapotron Repair Work

Supplier

- PVA Industrial Vacuum Systems GmbH

Contract value

- 285000 EUR excluding VAT
- 342000 EUR including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

22 October 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 21 October 2025 to 31 January 2026
- 3 months, 11 days

Main procurement category

Goods

Additional procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 38418000 - Calorimeters

Contract locations

- DE7 - Hessen

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Other information

Description of risks to contract performance

In undertaking such repairs in a highly specialised field there is a risk that the repairs will not function as required.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Single supplier - technical reasons

Direct award made in accordance with PA23 Schedule 5 Section 7. A similar contract for this work has been awarded in the last 5 years. Further work is required and this can only be delivered effectively by the same supplier due to the unique nature of the equipment.

Supplier

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

