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## Hypervapotron Repair Work

UK Atomic Energy Authority

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## Scope

## Reference

JNCA/RAF093/25

## 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.

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## **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

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **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

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## 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.

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## Supplier

### PVA Industrial Vacuum Systems GmbH

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### UK Atomic Energy Authority

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLJV-1169-JTDD

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

