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Award

LIBRTI C&I – Distributed Control System [DCS]

UK Atomic Energy Authority

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Scope

Reference

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Description

The purpose of this procurement requirement is to purchase a set of specified items that need to be delivered to the Culham Campus. Some examples of the items we require include process control hardware and software related products. These all come with part numbers and specifications which need to be met. The result will be to have a Distributed Control System for UKAEA's Lithium Breeding Tritium Innovation (LIBRTI) Programme, which seeks to create a world leading UK capability for demonstrating the feasibility of powerplant relevant fusion fuel technologies.

Contract 1. LIBRTI C&I – Distributed Control System [DCS]

Supplier

- Underwoods electrical Distributors

Contract value

- £518,172.63 excluding VAT
- £621,807.16 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

8 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

8 December 2025

Standstill period

- End: 17 December 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

22 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 23 December 2025 to 1 April 2026
- 3 months, 10 days

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 38810000 - Industrial process control equipment
- 48150000 - Industrial control software package
- 48151000 - Computer control system
- 48822000 - Computer servers

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Information about tenders

- 2 tenders received
- 2 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 1 supplier unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

Underwoods electrical Distributors

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHRD-1984-YVZV

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

UK Atomic Energy Authority

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLJV-1169-JTDD

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Region: UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

