

**UK-Manchester: audio-visual equipment**  
**OJ S 27/2012 09/02/2012**  
**Contract award notice**  
**Services**

**Directive 2004/18/EC**

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: General Medical Council

Postal address: 3 Hardman Street,

Town: Manchester

Postal code: M3 3AW

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Procurement

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**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.gmc-uk.org>

Address of the buyer profile: [http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA19541](http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA19541)

**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Other: Medical Regulatory

**I.3. Main activity**

Other: Medical Regulatory

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description**

**II.1.1. Title**

Digital Recording of Hearings.

**II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 27: Other services

Main site or place of performance: GMC Offices.

NUTS code UK United Kingdom

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)**

**II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The GMC's fitness to practise procedures aim to deal firmly, fairly and promptly with those doctors whose fitness to practise is called into question.

If a serious concern about a doctor is reported, we will investigate it. At the end of the investigation process, we can refer the case for a public hearing where an independent decision about the allegations is made by a fitness to practise panel.

We intend to explore the suitability of using digital recording technology in some or all of our hearing rooms. We need to be able to create a complete, accurate and cost-effective record of hearing proceedings. In certain cases, the digital recordings will be provided to one or more parties either as a hard copy transcript or on a multi-media format.

To ensure that digital recording technology is suited to our way of working and hearing environments, we intend to invite the successful supplier to participate in a pilot of their technology within live hearings for a period of four to eight weeks (the length of period will be dependent upon the number of hearings scheduled at the time of the pilot).

#### **II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

32321200 Audio-visual equipment

#### **II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

### **II.2. Total value of the contract/lot**

#### **II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot**

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Restricted

### **IV.2. Award criteria**

#### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Operational proposal. Weighting 50
2. Ability to add value. Weighting 10
3. Nominated personnel. Weighting 20
4. Financial proposal. Weighting 20

#### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

### **IV.3. Administrative information**

#### **IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

GMC052

#### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

##### **Contract notice**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2011/S 132-220111](#) of 13.7.2011

## **Section V: Award of contract**

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Lot title: Digital recording of Hearings.

### **V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

5.1.2012

**V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

**V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Pro Audio Systems

Postal address: 153-155 Sunbridge Road

Town: Bradford

Postal code: BD1 2NU

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: [www.proaudiosystems.eu](http://www.proaudiosystems.eu)

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot****V.5. Information about subcontracting****Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about European Union funds****VI.2. Additional information**

(MT Ref:85507).

**VI.3. Procedures for review****VI.3.1. Review body****VI.3.2. Review procedure****VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained****VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

6.2.2012