

**UK-Edinburgh: Endoscopy, endosurgery devices**

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Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

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

Body governed by public law

**I.3. Main activity**

Health

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

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: Golden Jubilee Hospital (National Waiting Times Centre Board)

Official name: NHS 24

Official name: NHS Ayrshire and Arran

Official name: NHS Borders

Official name: NHS Dumfries and Galloway

Official name: NHS Education for Scotland

Official name: NHS Fife

Official name: NHS Forth Valley

Official name: NHS Grampian

Official name: NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde

Official name: NHS Health Scotland

Official name: NHS Highland

Official name: NHS Lanarkshire

Official name: NHS Lothian

Official name: NHS Orkney

Official name: NHS Quality Improvement Scotland

Official name: NHS Shetland

Official name: NHS Tayside

Official name: NHS Western Isles

Official name: Scottish Ambulance Service

Official name: The Common Services Agency for the Scottish Health Service (a.k.a the NHS National Shared Services)

Official name: The State Hospital for Scotland

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**Section II: Object of the contract**

**II.1. Description**

**II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Flexible Video Endoscopy Instruments and Consumables.

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

Supplies

Purchase

Main site or place of performance: Locations throughout Scotland.

NUTS code UKM Scotland

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

Framework agreement with several operators

Maximum number Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement : 58

#### **Duration of the framework agreement**

Duration in years: 4

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years: This is a complex clinical area requiring detailed clinical evaluation of a large number of products with considerable investment of time and resource from NHS Scotland clinicians. To mitigate the investment in the evaluation of products this framework has the option of going past the standard 4 years, this will be determined during the 4th year of the framework dependent on market conditions.

#### **Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement**

Estimated value excluding VAT: 30 000 000 GBP

#### **II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Supply of Flexible Video Endoscopy Instruments and Consumables including Stents, ERCP, Instruments and, preparation and cleaning materials to all entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority).

To access the PQQ documents for this contract notice, please click on the attached link. This will take you to the tender module within Public Contracts Scotland. This will allow you to access and respond to the contract opportunity in a secure environment. Note: if you do not have a password for the tender module then you will be asked to apply for a login.

<https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/>

NOTE: The authority is using PCS-Tender to carry out this procurement process. Please note this is a separate website and if you are not already registered, registration will be required.

To access PCS-Tender, record your interest in this notice and access the tender documentation please visit <https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk> and search for project Code 995 within the appropriate area.

If you have already registered on Public Contracts Scotland and PCS-Tender and paired your accounts you can access PCS-Tender through your Public Contracts Scotland Control Panel.

#### **II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices, 33168100 Endoscopes

#### **II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

#### **II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

#### **II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

### **II.2. Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.2.1. Total quantity or scope**

The Scope of the requirement is to provide Flexible Video Endoscopy Instruments and Consumables including Stents, ERCP, Instruments and preparation and cleaning materials to all entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, (i.e. all

NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority)'.  
Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

To include product in the following 27 Lots:

Lot 1 - Oesophageal - Stent Uncovered

Lot 2 - Oesophageal - Stent Covered

Lot 3 - Oesophageal - Stent Partially Covered

Lot 4 - Duodenal stents / Colonic Stents

Lot 5 - Polypectomy Snares

Lot 6 - Injection Needles

Lot 7 - Endoscopic Ultrasound Needle

Lot 8 - Forceps Biopsy

Lot 9 - Forceps Hot Biopsy

Lot 10 - Forceps Grasping

Lot 11 - Cytology Brushes

Lot 12 - Clipping Devices

Lot 13 - Variceal ligation device

Lot 14 - Retrieval Nets and Baskets

Lot 15 - Short Wire

Lot 16 - Long Wire

Lot 17 - Dilation Balloon: Oesophageal and Achalasia

Lot 18 - Biliary Stents

Lot 19 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves FUJI

Lot 20 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves  
OLYMPUS

Lot 21 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves Pentax

Lot 22 - Bite Block

Lot 23 - Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Fujinon & Pentax Scopes

Lot 24 - Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Olympus Scopes

Lot 25 - Cystotome or Equivilant

Lot 26 - Washing pipes and Die spraying Catheters: (Advise Fr size of Catheter)

Lot 27 - Dignity Wear

Estimated value excluding VAT: 30 000 000 GBP

### **II.2.2. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options: The Authority is entitled at its sole discretion to extend the duration of the Framework Agreement by up to 12 months.

### **II.2.3. Information about renewals**

This contract is subject to renewal: no

## **II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Information about lots

Lot No: 21

Lot title: Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves PENTAX

### **1) Short description**

Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves PENTAX

### **2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 20

Lot title: Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves OLYMPUS

**1) Short description**

Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves OLYMPUS

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 23

Lot title: Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Fujinon & Pentax Scopes

**1) Short description**

Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Fujinon & Pentax Scopes

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 24

Lot title: Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Olympus Scopes

**1) Short description**

Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Olympus Scopes

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 02

Lot title: Oesophageal - Stent Covered

**1) Short description**

Oesophageal - Covered stents in a range of sizes and guidewire compatibility.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 03

Lot title: Oesophageal - Stent Partially Covered

**1) Short description**

Oesophageal - partially covered stents in a range of sizes and guidewire compatibility.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 04

Lot title: Duodenal stents / Colonic Stents

**1) Short description**

Duodenal stents / Colonic Stents in a range of sizes.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 05

Lot title: Polypectomy Snares

**1) Short description**

Polypectomy snare in a range of shapes and sizes, including; Mini / Micro Oval Loop, Standard Oval Loop, Hexagonal/Crescent, Jumbo Oval Loop

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 06

Lot title: Injection Needles

**1) Short description**

Injection Needles in a range of sizes and suitable for Variceal & Haemostatic injection.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 07

Lot title: Endoscopic Ultrasound Needle

**1) Short description**

Endoscopic Ultrasound Needle for submucosal GI Lesions and soft tissue Biopsy.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 08

Lot title: Forceps Biopsy

**1) Short description**

Forceps Biopsy both spiked and non-spiked in a variety of sizes.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 09

Lot title: Forceps Hot Biopsy

**1) Short description**

Forceps Hot Biopsy for use with Diathermy current to coagulate & cut.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 10

Lot title: Forceps Grasping

**1) Short description**

Forceps Grasping for retrieving small / Large Polyps & Foreign Bodies.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 11

Lot title: Cytology Brushes

**1) Short description**

Cytology Brushes for use on Olympus, Pentax and Fuji Endoscopy Equipment.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 12

Lot title: Clipping Devices

**1) Short description**

Clipping Devices for Haemosttsis & marking

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 13

Lot title: Variceal Ligation Device

**1) Short description**

Variceal Ligation Device for Esophageal Varices for use on flexible video endoscopes

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 15

Lot title: Short Wire ERCP

**1) Short description**

Short Wire ERCP systems including guidewires, Dilation Balloon: Biliary, Biliary Extration Balloon, Needle Pre-Cut Knife, Sphinctertomy Knife - Wire guided and ERCP Cannula.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 16

Lot title: Long Wire ERCP

**1) Short description**

Long Wire ERCP systems including guidewires, Dilation Balloon: Biliary, Biliary Extration Balloon, Needle Pre-Cut Knife, Sphinctertomy Knife - Wire guided and ERCP Cannula.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 17

Lot title: Dilation Balloon: Oesophageal & Achalasia

**1) Short description**

Dilation Balloon:Oesophageal/Pyloric/Colonic/Achalasia

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 18

Lot title: Biliary Stents

**1) Short description**

Biliary Stents - plastic and metal, in various sizing.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that six (6) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 19

Lot title: Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves FUJI

**1) Short description**

Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal & Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves FUJI

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 22

Lot title: Bite Blocks

**1) Short description**

Bite Blocks with and without straps. Latex free.

**2) CPV code(s)**

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**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 25

Lot title: Cystotome or Equivilant

**1) Short description**

Cystotome or Equivilant

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 27

Lot title: Dignity Wear

**1) Short description**

Dignity shorts - various sizing

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration**

**5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 26

Lot title: Washing pipes & Die spraying Catheters

**1) Short description**

Washing pipes & Die spraying Catheters

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3)**

**Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 14

Lot title: Retrieval Nets and Baskets

**1) Short description**

Retrieval Nets and Baskets in various shapes and sizing.

**2) CPV code(s)**

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**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that one (1) Potential Framework Participant will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participant) in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tender as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

Lot No: 01

Lot title: Oesophageal - Stent Uncovered

**1) Short description**

Oesophageal - uncovered stents in a range of sizes and guidewire compatibility.

**2) CPV code(s)**

33168000 Endoscopy, endosurgery devices

**3) Quantity or scope**

Forecast demands and product ranges will be detailed within tender documents.

**4) Indication about different time frame or duration****5) Additional information about lots**

The Authority intends that three (3) Potential Framework Participants will be awarded to the Framework Agreement ('Framework Participants') in respect of this Lot (Subject to submission of admissible Tenders as determined in accordance with the provision of the ITT).

**Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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**III.1. Conditions related to the contract****III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required****III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them**

See contract/tender documents

### **III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**

The Prime Contractor shall be liable in the event of a consortium bid.

### **III.1.4. Contract performance conditions**

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

## **III.2. Conditions for participation**

### **III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: A Pre-qualification Questionnaire will be issued to all interested economic operators that respond within the time limit set out at section IV.3.4 detailing the requirements and information to be provided in relation to the personal situation of economic operators.

### **III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: A Pre-Qualification Questionnaire will be issued to all interested economic operators that respond within the time limit at section IV.3.4 detailing the conditions for participation in respect of the economic operator's economic and financial capacity.

### **III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:

A Pre-Qualification Questionnaire will be issued to all interested economic operators that respond within the time limit at section IV.3.4 detailing the conditions for participation in respect of the economic operator's economic and financial capacity.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

Confirmation that potential framework participants' organisation have not been convicted of breaching environmental legislation, or had any notice served upon it, in the last 3 years by any environmental regulator or authority (including local authority).

Confirmation that potential framework participants' organisation comply with statutory obligations under the Equality Act 2010?

Confirmation that In the last three years, no findings of unlawful discrimination been made against potential framework participants' organisation by an Employment Tribunal, an Employment Appeal Tribunal or any other court (or in comparable proceedings in jurisdiction other than the UK).

Confirmation that In the last three years, the potential framework participants' organisation has not had a complaint upheld following a formal investigation by the Equality and Human Rights Commission or its predecessors (or a comparable body in a jurisdiction other than the UK), on grounds of alleged unlawful discrimination.

As per Public Contracts Regulations (2012) (I) samples of the goods to be purchased under the public supply contract will be assessed to confirm potential framework participants' ability to meet the contracting authorities' requirements. Potential framework participants should provide samples which demonstrate their ability to meet the contracting authorities' requirements for each individual Lot tendered. Samples provided by potential framework participants will undergo a desktop product evaluation by Clinical members of the Commodity Advisory Panel. The minimum desktop evaluation score required is 3, potential framework participants scoring 0 or 1 will be excluded for the Lot tendered. Please note this applies to 20 of the 27 Lots and further details can be found in the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire.

Framework participants tendering for Lots not undergoing desktop evaluations at PQQ do not

have to submit samples at this stage.

The Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) pass mark for potential framework participants is 600 with the top 5 scoring potential framework participants scoring 600, or over, going through to ITT stage. The only exclusion to this is Lot 18 Biliary Stents where the top 9 potential framework participants, who score a minimum pass mark of 600 or over, going through to ITT stage.

Potential framework participants are required to confirm ability to supply a range of products listed within the Pre Qualification Questionnaire, failure to confirm capability of supplying the complete range of product, or direct equivalents, may exclude potential framework participants from the Lot.

#### **III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

#### **III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

##### **III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

##### **III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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

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

Restricted

##### **IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged number of candidates: 139

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates: A Pre-qualification Questionnaire will be issued to all interested economic operators that respond within the time limit at section IV.3.4 detailing the conditions for participation and the financial, economic and technical information required by the Authority. The responses received by the Authority to the Pre-qualification Questionnaire will be assessed to determine qualification pursuant to Regulation 23 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2012, financial standing and technical capacity as described in the Pre-qualification Questionnaire.

The Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) pass mark for potential framework participants is 600 with the top 5 scoring 600, or over, going through to ITT stage. The only exclusion to this is Lot 18 Biliary Stents where the top 9 potential framework participants, scoring a minimum pass mark of 600 or over, going through to ITT stage.

##### **IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

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

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

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

An electronic auction will be used: no

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

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

NP103/13

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

**IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 27.5.2013

**IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

3.6.2013 - 10:00

**IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

22.7.2013

**IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English.

**IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

**IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

**VI.2. Information about European Union funds**

**VI.3. Additional information**

The Scope of the requirement is to provide Flexible Video Endoscopy Instruments and Consumables including Stents, ERCP, Instruments and preparation and cleaning materials to all entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978, (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards, Special Health Boards and the Authority)'.  
To include product in the following 27 Lots:

Lot 1 - Oesophageal - Stent Uncovered

Lot 2 - Oesophageal - Stent Covered

Lot 3 - Oesophageal - Stent Partially Covered

Lot 4 - Duodenal stents / Colonic Stents

Lot 5 - Polypectomy Snares

Lot 6 - Injection Needles

Lot 7 - Endoscopic Ultrasound Needle

Lot 8 - Forceps Biopsy

Lot 9 - Forceps Hot Biopsy

Lot 10 - Forceps Grasping

Lot 11 - Cytology Brushes

Lot 12 - Clipping Devices

Lot 13 - Variceal ligation device

Lot 14 - Retrieval Nets and Baskets

Lot 15 - Short Wire

Lot 16 - Long Wire

Lot 17 - Dilatation Balloon: Oesophageal and Achalasia

Lot 18 - Biliary Stents

Lot 19 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves FUJI  
Lot 20 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves OLYMPUS  
Lot 21 - Gastrocopy, colonoscopy, duodenal and Bronchoscopes: Biopsy Port Valves Pentax  
Lot 22 - Bite Block  
Lot 23 - Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Fujinon and Pentax Scopes  
Lot 24 - Cleaning brush compatible with Channels for Olympus Scopes  
Lot 25 - Cystotome or Equivilant  
Lot 26 - Washing pipes and Die spraying Catheters: (Advise Fr size of Catheter)  
Lot 27 - Dignity Wear  
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#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

##### **VI.4.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The Authority will notify economic operators who submitted a tender or (where no deselection notification has previously been made) applied to be selected to tender, of its decision to award the framework agreement which notification will contain among other information, a summary of the reasons why the economic operator was unsuccessful. The notification will incorporate a 'standstill period' of a minimum of 10 clear calendar days (or a minimum of 15 if the communication method used is not electronic) between the date on which the Authority despatches the notice(s) and the date on which the Authority proposes to conclude the relevant framework agreement. The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority during the standstill period will automatically continue the prohibition on entering into the framework agreement until the court proceedings are determined, discontinued or disposed of, or the court, by interim order, brings to an end the prohibition. The remedies that may be awarded by the courts before the framework agreement has been entered into include the setting aside of the decision to award the framework agreement to the winning tenderer(s). The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority after the framework agreement has been entered into will not affect the framework agreement unless grounds for the imposition of special penalties under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2012 can be established. Otherwise the remedies that may be awarded by the courts where the framework agreement has been entered into are limited to the award of damages. Economic operators are entitled to write to the Authority after receipt of the notification should they require further clarification. The Authority will respond within 15 days of such a written request, but it should be noted that receipt by the Authority of such request during the standstill period may not prevent the Authority from awarding the framework agreement following the expiry of the standstill period. Where an economic operator is dissatisfied with the Authority's response to its request for clarification, or considers that the framework agreement has been concluded in breach of The Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2012, such economic operator is advised to promptly seek independent legal advice.

##### **VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

##### **VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

24.4.2013