

United Kingdom-Edinburgh: Blood analysers
OJ S 203/2015 20/10/2015
Contract award notice
Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Lothian NHS Board

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Country: United Kingdom

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General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.nhslothian.scot.nhs.uk/>

Address of the buyer profile: http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00326

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

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: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title

NHS-Lothian Provision of Blood Gas Analysers Managed Service.

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

Services

Service category No 25: Health and social services

Main site or place of performance: Edinburgh and Lothians Area.

NUTS code UKM25 Edinburgh

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 Authority seeks a managed service solution to their requirement to enable the delivery of blood gas analysis. The successful bidder will be expected to assume responsibility for the guaranteed availability of the managed service solution through the provision and

management (including maintenance) of all requisite analysers/instruments, and associated reagents/products. There are currently twenty five (25) analysers in use throughout NHS Lothian's area of responsibility at Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Western General Hospital, Royal Hospital for Sick Children, St John's Hospital, Livingstone and Roodlands Hospital, Haddington.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

38434520 Blood analysers

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

Value: 966 526,20 GBP
excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Restricted

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Quality. Weighting 60
2. Cost. Weighting 40

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

IV.3. Administrative information

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

LOTL203/13

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 251-440497](#) of 28.12.2013

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: LOTL203/13

Lot title: Managed Service Blood Gas Analysers

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

15.10.2015

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Radiometer Limited
Postal address: Manor Court, Manor Royal
Town: Crawley
Postal code: RH10 9FY
Country: United Kingdom
Internet address: www.radiometer.co.uk

V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the procurement:
Value: 966 526,77 GBP
excluding VAT
If annual or monthly value:
Number of years: 5

V.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

VI.2. Additional information

(SC Ref:417411).

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: Lothian Health Board
Postal address: Waverley Gate 2-4 Waterloo Place
Town: Edinburgh
Postal code: EH1 3EG
Country: United Kingdom

VI.3.2. 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 contract 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 and the date on which the Authority proposes to conclude the relevant contract. The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority during the standstill period will automatically continue the prohibition on entering into the contract 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 contract has been entered into include the setting aside of the decision to award the contract to the winning tenderer. The bringing of court proceedings against the Authority after the contract has been entered into will not affect the contract 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 contract 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 contract 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 contract has been concluded in breach of The Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2006, such economic operator is advised to promptly seek independent legal advice.

VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

15.10.2015