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**United Kingdom-Runcorn: Vaccines
2019/S 095-229286**

Contract award notice

Results of the procurement procedure

Supplies

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through the Department of Health and Social Care
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NUTS code: UK

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Main address: <https://dh.bravosolution.co.uk>
Address of the buyer profile: <https://dh.bravosolution.co.uk>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

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

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:

Contract for the Supply of Human Papillomavirus Vaccine
Reference number: CM/PHV/18/436

II.1.2) Main CPV code

33651600

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description:

The supply of human papillomavirus vaccine, deliveries will be required over a period of 1 year.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7) **Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: 1.00 GBP

II.2) **Description**

II.2.1) **Title:**

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: UK

Main site or place of performance:

To a location in England to be notified to the successful bidder following contract award.

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

The supply of human papillomavirus vaccine, to be used as part of the national immunisation programme. The Contracting Authority estimates their requirement over the period of the contract to be up to 1 500 000 doses of vaccine.

The awarding of lots is not appropriate to this procurement as the requirement is for a specific vaccine.

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Available on request / Weighting: Available on request

Cost criterion - Name: Available on request / Weighting: Available on request

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no

II.2.14) **Additional information**

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) **Description**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

There is only one manufacturer of this particular vaccine specification, therefore using the negotiated procedure without prior publication is justified under Regulation 32(2)(b)(ii) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

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

IV.1.6) **Information about electronic auction**

IV.1.8) **Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2) **Administrative information**

IV.2.1) **Previous publication concerning this procedure**

IV.2.8) **Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

IV.2.9) **Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

Section V: Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract:

09/05/2019

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Merck Sharp and Dohme

Hoddesdon

United Kingdom

NUTS code: UKH23

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: 1.00 GBP

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information:

The contracts is for the benefit of the Authority and NHS bodies along with any other non-NHS bodies which are necessary for the delivery of services or goods to NHS bodies and the local authorities, other government departments or non-departmental public bodies charged with the delivery of healthcare or health-related services in the United Kingdom, Crown Dependencies and British Overseas Territories including, without limitation, the National Assembly for Wales, the Northern Ireland Assembly, and Scottish Ministers.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Secretary of State for Health and Social Care acting as part of the Crown through the Department of Health and Social Care

Runcorn

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

VI.4.3) Review procedure

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:

14/05/2019