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**United Kingdom-Runcorn: General anti-infectives for systemic use and vaccines  
2018/S 135-308009**

**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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Runcorn  
WA7 2ES  
United Kingdom  
E-mail: [Lynne.Nichols@dh.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:Lynne.Nichols@dh.gsi.gov.uk)  
NUTS code: UK

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://dh.bravosolution.co.uk>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**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 botulism antitoxin heptavalent ((A, B, C, D, E, F, G) — (Equine))  
Reference number: CM/EMP/18/327

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

33651000

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description:**

To put in place a contract for a requirement of botulism antitoxin heptavalent ((A, B, C, D, E, F, G) — Equine)).

**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:

Bedford, UK

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

The provision of Botulism Antitoxin Heptavalent ((A, B, C, D, E, F, G) — (Equine)) for use as part of the stockpile of emergency medicines in response to incidents and business as usual within the NHS.

**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

**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 for this required product, 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:**  
15/06/2018
- 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**  
Emergent BioSolutions Canada Inc.  
Winnipeg  
R3T 5Y3  
Canada  
NUTS code: 00  
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:**  
13/07/2018