LAB3152 NW

Electronic Components

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Key Information

Framework Start Date	01/07/2024
Current End Date	30/06/2027
Procurement Regulation	PCR2015

Framework Suppliers 8

APC Technology Group
City Electrical Factors Limited
Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
RS Components Limited
Rapid Electronics Ltd
Rexel UK Ltd
SJ Electronics
Telonic Instruments Ltd.

Lot Information

01 : Electronic Components including Development Boards and Associated Products
- Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
- Rapid Electronics Ltd
- RS Components Limited

02 : Tools and Fixings
- Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
- Rapid Electronics Ltd
- Rexel UK Ltd
- RS Components Limited

03 : Test and Measurement Equipment
- APC Technology Group
- Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
- Rapid Electronics Ltd
- SJ Electronics
- Telonic Instruments Ltd.

04 : Rechargeable & Single Use Batteries
- City Electrical Factors Limited
- Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
- Rapid Electronics Ltd
- Rexel UK Ltd
- RS Components Limited

05 : Multi-Purpose Lot
- Premier Farnell UK Ltd. T/A Onecall
- Rapid Electronics Ltd
- RS Components Limited

Scope of Requirements

The LAB3152 NW framework has been extended into its first extension year until 30/06/2027. All awarded suppliers have returned signed extension letters and one further 12-month extension period remains available.

Lot 1 – Electronic Components including Development Boards and Associated products includes, but is not limited to, the following scope; diodes, cables, capacitors, resistors, switches, transistors, voltage regulators, fuses, jack plugs, circuit boards and components, development boards, bulbs, silicone, grease, pastes, robotics components, student kits, programmable devices, integrated circuits (both digital and analogue types), single board computers, microcontrollers, LED's, custom printed circuit boards . This list is not exhaustive.

Lot 2 – Tools and Fixings includes, but is not limited to, the following scope; hand tools and electrical tools including but not limited to saws, jigsaws, drills, drill bits, soldering irons, pliers, screwdrivers, spanners, socket sets, bradawl, hammers and mallets, tape measures, circular saws, routing tools, ladders, files, chisel, clamps, vice, wrench, bolt cutters, allen keys, level, planes, tool boxes, knifes, work benches, sanders, hot air guns, glue guns, consumables for tools, blades, discs, nuts and bolts, tools powered by rechargeable batteries. Fixings including but not limited to glues, adhesives, screws and nails. This list is not exhaustive.

Lot 3 – Test and Measurement Equipment includes, but is not limited to, the following scope; digital storage scopes, oscilloscopes, power supply units, probes, test kits, microwave leakage detectors, probes, thermal imagers, spectrum analysers, software defined test and measurement equipment, benchtop environmental test chambers, multi-meters, test and measurement associated software, support and warranty packages. This list is not exhaustive.

Lot 4 – Rechargeable & Single Use Batteries includes, but is not limited to, the following scope; non-rechargeable and rechargeable batteries and accessories (AAA, AA, C, D, PP3), coin cells, button cells, lead acid batteries, camera, laptop and phone batteries, emergency light batteries, tool batteries, chargers for aforementioned batteries. This list is not exhaustive.

Lot 5 – Multi-Purpose Lot covers a combined requirement for two or more of the following categories of product: Electronic Components including Development Boards and Associated products, Tools and Fixings, Test and Measurement Equipment; and Rechargeable & Single Use Batteries. Where Member Institutions have a requirement for the supply of products under two or more of the above categories, they may call off separately from the relevant lots of lots 1-4 or they may use the multi-purpose lot 5 via a single call-off. Lot 5 should not be used to call off for requirements relating only to a single category.

Please note: Information technology based items should be procured via the appropriate UKUPC Information Technology framework.

Accessibility

APUC, CPC, HEPCW, LUPC, NEUPC, NWUPC, and SUPC

Call Off Method

This Framework Agreement allows you to buy through 3 options. You should choose the option most appropriate to your purchase taking into consideration; your Organisational Procurement Guidance and Financial Regulations, the product/service you wish to purchase and the specific requirements of your organisation.

Call Off Options Available:
• Direct Award
• Mini Competition
• Desktop Exercise

Responsible Procurement

Suppliers are required to sign up to the NETpositive Supplier Engagement Tool which will be used to feed into review meetings and provide feedback to suppliers regarding responsible procurement.

As part of the framework Customers can seek the following, but it is not a mandatory requirement that Suppliers are able to offer these options:
• Refurbished equipment and goods to support the circular economy.
• Equipment rental services. Where such services are availed of under the agreement, terms and conditions that govern the service will be established at call-off with the Customer .

-WEEE Regulations-
The UK Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Regulations were first introduced in 2007 with the aim of reducing the amount of electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) ending up in landfill. Many of the awarded suppliers are able to offer WEEE take away schemes.

Added Value

The benefits of using this Framework Agreement are:
• More advantageous pricing based on economies of scale from aggregated spend.
• Savings can be base lined by comparing prices with the prices you previously paid.
• A single exercise to establish the overarching agreement and establish the Terms and Conditions of the Framework.
• Reduced administrative effort and associated cost savings.
• The development of a longer term relationship with suppliers which is mutually beneficial.
• You have the ability to call off from the agreement as and when required rather than needing to undertake a full tender process.
• The Framework allows for the flexibility to determine specific requirements at the call off stage.
• Framework Agreements support longer term business planning as they span a period of typically four years and allow some stability from market fluctuations.
• NWUPC and your Consortium will provide contract management support to you should you experience any issues with suppliers and will act in your best interests.

For further information, please refer to the Buyers Guide

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