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# C1060 - TAUWI Support Services

NI Water and its subsidiaries

F05: Contract notice - utilities

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## **Section I: Contracting entity**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NI Water and its subsidiaries

Westland House

**Belfast** 

**BT14 6TE** 

#### Contact

sourcingniwater.com

#### **Email**

sourcing@niwater.com

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

#### **UK - UNITED KINGDOM**

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://etendersni.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://etendersni.gov.uk

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

## I.6) Main activity

Water

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

C1060 - TAUWI Support Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 64000000 - Postal and telecommunications services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

#### Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Telecommunications Association of the UK Water Industry (TAUWI) is the body responsible for the management and administration of those parts of the radio spectrum allocated by the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry via Ofcom to the Association for use by its members. This tender is for the provision of administrative and technical support to each of the members of the Telecommunications Association of the UK Water Industry.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £900,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

• 64200000 - Telecommunications services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

- UK UNITED KINGDOM
- UKN NORTHERN IRELAND
- 00 Other NUTS code

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £900,000

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The initial period of this contract is 3 years, with the option to extend for a further 2 years in total. Therefore contract renewal can be expected in 3-5 years.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

There will be an option to extend for a further 2 years in total, comprising one two year optional extension period.

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

## 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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

26 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 25 August 2021

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 3-5 years.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

NI Water

Belfast

Country

**United Kingdom**