

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/003396-2026>

Planning

ODA - Nature Security Research

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

UK2: Preliminary market engagement notice - Procurement Act 2023 - [view information about notice types](#)

Notice identifier: 2026/S 000-003396

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-06066c

Published 15 January 2026, 10:59am

Scope

Description

A programme to look at UK Nature Security

Total value (estimated)

- £2,400,000 excluding VAT
- £2,880,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2029
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

Additional procurement category

Works

CPV classifications

- 73110000 - Research services

Engagement

Engagement deadline

23 January 2026

Engagement process description

Workshop to scope requirements

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

28 February 2026

Contracting authority

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNBD-3289-CDGX

Seacole Building, 2 Marsham Street

London

SW1P 4DF

United Kingdom

Email: florence.benn1@defra.gov.uk

Website: <https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Organisation type: Public authority - central government