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## **Characterisatin Services Framework**

Nuclear Restoration Services Limited

F02: Contract notice

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**6 May 2025, 12:00pm**

See the [change notice](#).

### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Nuclear Restoration Services Limited

Hinton House, Birchwood Park Avenue, Risley

Warrington

WA3 6GR

#### **Email**

[liz.gilbert@nrservices.uk](mailto:liz.gilbert@nrservices.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

02264251

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/nuclear-restoration-services>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/nuclear-restoration-services>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://atamis-2464.my.site.com/s/Welcome>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Nuclear Decommissioning

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Characterisation Services Framework

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79723000 - Waste analysis services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Contracting authority seeks to conduct a procurement to establish a Framework Agreement for delivery of a range of characterisation services.

It is anticipated that the Framework services include but are not limited to; laboratory analysis, fingerprint services and additional characterisation services, across up to 4 lots. Anticipated Framework is to support Nuclear Restoration Services (NRS) requirements. Access to some NDA OpCos is also possible via multi provider lots, (whilst it is envisaged that usage outside of NRS will be limited)

Maximum value range of up to £13- £20 million, however spend may not reach this range. Those wishing to access the associated tender documents and/or participate within the tender process should register their Organisation details at <https://one-nda.force.com/s/Welcome> and search under the procurement title or reference C20416 within the 'find opportunities' page.

Please note that participation conditions apply to this tender process. Further details can be found within associated procurement documents.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Analytical Laboratory Services

Lot No

Lot 1

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services
- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 71620000 - Analysis services
- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Analytical Laboratory Services (excluding ILW samples requiring specialist facilities due to higher radioactivity levels)

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Optional extension period

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Fingerprint Services

Lot No

Lot 2

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services
- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services
- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 71620000 - Analysis services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Fingerprint Services

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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

documents

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Optional extension period

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Laboratory Services

Lot No

3

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services
- 71620000 - Analysis services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services

- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Laboratory Services

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Optional extension period

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - Additional Characterisation Services

Lot No

4

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services
- 71620000 - Analysis services
- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Additional Characterisation Services

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Optional extension period

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Should you be interested in participating within the tender process in response to the contract notice you must first qualify to do so by meeting the conditions for participation set out in the procurement documents

##### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

Alignment to comparable contracts

#### **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**

Originally published as:

Date

7 April 2025

Local time

4:00pm

Changed to:

Date

6 May 2025

Local time

12:00pm

See the [change notice](#).

**IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

22 April 2025

**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**

Duration in months: 12 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.3) Additional information**

Should you be interested in participating within the tender process in response to the contract notice you must first qualify to do so by meeting the conditions for participation set out in the procurement documents.

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts Of Justice

Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Email

[rcj.dco@justice.gov.uk](mailto:rcj.dco@justice.gov.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.find-court-tribunal.service.gov.uk/courts/royal-courts-of-justice>

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The contracting authority will incorporate a minimum of 10 calendar days standstill period in accordance with the Public Contract Regulations prior to concluding the award of any contract pursuant to this notice.