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# tNCEA England Ecosystem Survey Soil Sampling and Assessment Survey 2025-26

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS (Defra Network eTendering Portal)

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS (Defra Network eTendering Portal)

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**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs

Buyer's address

https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome

## I.3) Communication

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

https://defra-family.force.com/s/welcome

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://defra-family.force.com/s/welcome

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

## I.5) Main activity

Environment

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

tNCEA England Ecosystem Survey Soil Sampling and Assessment Survey 2025-26

Reference number

C28170

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71355000 - Surveying services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Natural England (NE) have an overarching requirement to complete at least 500 Soil Sampling and Assessment Survey in 2025/26.

The contract is for delivery of the surveys on up to 150 monads. The overall aim for 2025/26 is to survey up to 500 monads, of which up to 350 surveys are delivered through an existing service agreement.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 14212400 - Soil

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Natural England (NE) have an overarching requirement to complete at least 500 Soil Sampling and Assessment Survey in 2025/26.

The contract is for delivery of the surveys on up to 150 monads. The overall aim for 2025/26 is to survey up to 500 monads, of which up to 350 surveys are delivered through an existing service agreement.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 60

Cost criterion - Name: Commercial / Weighting: 40

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1

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

Start date

28 April 2025

End date

31 March 2026

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### 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

## Section IV. Procedure

## **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

## IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

31 March 2025

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: 30 April 2025

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

21 February 2025

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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