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Tender

TYPE 2 (CEFAS) BUOYS (6 UNITS) AND TYPE 4 WRECK MARKER BUOYS (4 UNITS)

Northern Lighthouse Board

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Scope

Reference

OPSH/BUOY/2648

Description

The Northern Lighthouse Board (NLB) invites tenders for the supply of:

- six (6) Type 2 plastic marker buoys to support the ongoing CEFAS buoy contract, including additional buoy locations. These marker buoys will be deployed to clearly identify and protect smaller CEFAS data-gathering buoys, reducing the risk of vessels inadvertently passing over or damaging the CEFAS installations.
- four (4) Type 4 polyethylene wreck marker buoys to support wreck marking capability. The buoys will be deployed as aids to navigation for the marking of wrecks and shall be suitable for use in Scottish and Isle of Man waters in accordance with IALA requirements.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://nlb.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Edinburgh:-Marine-equipment./T9F6XY74ED>

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Total value (estimated)

- £170,000 excluding VAT
- £204,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 March 2026 to 31 March 2026
- 1 month

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 34930000 - Marine equipment
- 45244100 - Marine installations

Contract locations

- UKM - Scotland

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

10 February 2026, 2:00pm

Tender submission deadline

17 February 2026, 2:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://nlb.delta-esourcing.com/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

| Name | Type | Weighting |
|-------------|---------|-----------|
| Criterion 1 | Price | 50% |
| Criterion 2 | Quality | 50% |

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Northern Lighthouse Board

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMGV-7529-QWXG

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