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# Planning PA23 - UK2 - Market Engagement Notice Business Management Consultancy

Southern Water Services Limited

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# Scope

#### Reference

Prj\_6961

#### Description

Southern Water are seeking to establish a framework panel with suppliers who have the expertise to support the company's ambitions.

The Request for Information engagement will be used to support the sourcing strategy and long-term management of the framework.

The Request for Information can be found on Southern Water's e-Sourcing system opportunities section, listed as "Business Management Consultancy", and is open to all parties at: <u>https://southernwater.bravosolution.co.uk/</u>

All queries relating to the Request for Information engagement must be submitted via the sourcing portal

We are going to market to gather information and insights regarding business and management consultancy services including, but not limited to:

Economic and regulatory advice, operational planning, operational productivity, long term delivery strategy design ,PR29 business plan and price control development

Change management; end-to-end management of defined activities, training, people process and system improvement, HR organisational design / operating model, lean processes portfolio, programme and change management, culture and behaviour change, business change for operational improvement, performance, KPI development, productivity

Procurement consultancy services; procurement and commercial strategic advice across all of the functions core disciplines; Porcurement AMP Long

Financial consultancy services; mergers and acquisitions, restructuring, corporate financing, tax, financial management, cash management, strategies, finance processes, investments, fund management, risk management, costing reviews, internal audit, general accounting, finance legal advice

Please note that SWS reserves the right to update the scope at the release of the contract notice

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## Total value (estimated)

- £0 excluding VAT
- £0 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 March 2026 to 3 March 2031
- 5 years, 2 days

#### Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

- 66171000 Financial consultancy services
- 79410000 Business and management consultancy services
- 79418000 Procurement consultancy services

#### **Contract locations**

- UKJ2 Surrey, East and West Sussex
- UKJ3 Hampshire and Isle of Wight
- UKJ4 Kent

## Engagement

## **Engagement deadline**

7 March 2025

#### **Engagement process description**

This is not a call for competition. The purpose of this engagement is to obtain informative data on the market environment in the area of business management consultancy and relating services.

The Request for Information engagement will be conducted on the Jaggaer e-procurement portal at: <u>https://southernwater.bravosolution.co.uk/</u>

between 27.02.2025 - 07.03.2025

## Procedure

#### Special regime

Utilities

# **Contracting authority**

#### **Southern Water Services Limited**

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Organisation type: Private utility