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Tender Parliamentary Legal Services Framework 2025-2029

Natural Resources Wales

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Scope

Reference

116027

Description

NRW propose to conduct its "Parliamentary, local legislation and related issues" work in the following areas:

- A Works and Projects
- B Fisheries
- C Flood Defence and Land Drainage
- D Navigation and Recreation
- E Water Resources

- F Nature Conservation
- G Forestry
- H Marine Licensing

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £1,300,000 excluding VAT
- £1,560,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 11 October 2025 to 10 October 2029
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

• 79100000 - Legal services

Contract locations

• UKL - Wales

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

2

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Framework Call Off process

NRW will appoint up to two suppliers to the framework, ranked 1st and 2nd based on combined tender and commercial evaluation scores.

All work will be directly awarded to the 1st ranked supplier. The 2nd ranked supplier may be approached if the 1st ranked supplier is unable to deliver, including but not limited to the following circumstances:

- No response or availability
- Insufficient capacity or resources or time to deliver the requirement.

- Performance issues or KPI failures
- Conflicts of interest
- A need for additional expertise to support NRW.

• In the event that suppliers leave the framework or no response to direct award, NRW reserve the right to award to suppliers from outside of the framework.

Work must not commence until formal instructions are issued by an authorised NRW Representative

Award method when using the framework

Without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

8 May 2025, 11:00am

Tender submission deadline

27 May 2025, 11:00am

Submission address and any special instructions

INSTRUCTIONS FORCOMPLETING THE ITT.

1. Tenderers should register on the eTendering portal <u>https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk</u>

2. Once registered, suppliers must express their interest as follows:

- a. Login to the etendering portal.
- b. Select ITT_116025
- c. Select ITT's Open to all suppliers

d. Access the listing relating to the contract ITT: itt_116025 and view details.

e. Click on 'Express Interest' button in the 'Actions' box on the left hand side of the page.

3. Once you have expressed your interest, the ITT will move to 'My ITTs', where you can download and where you can construct your reply as instructed.

4. For any support in submitting your expression of interest, please contact the eTendering helpdesk on 08003684852 or at <u>help@bravosolution.co.uk</u>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

- Welsh
- English

Award decision date (estimated)

27 June 2025

Recurring procurement

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 February 2029

Award criteria

Name	Туре	Weighting	
Quality	Quality	70.00%	
Price	Price	30.00%	

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

• Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Natural Resources Wales

• Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBBR-3628-MPRN

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Region: UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales