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## **Geosphere Evolution**

Radioactive Waste Management Limited Trading as Nuclear Waste Services Limited

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-026326

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03fa6f

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

Radioactive Waste Management Limited Trading as Nuclear Waste Services Limited

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Didcot

OX11 0GD

### **Contact**

Alper Tarimci

### **Email**

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### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

08920190

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/radioactive-waste-management>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/radioactive-waste-management>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://www.one-nda.force.com/s/Welcome>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Part of Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (NDA)

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Geosphere Evolution

Reference number

C15935

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

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#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,000,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 38200000 - Geological and geophysical instruments

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

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**II.2.14) Additional information**

38400000 : Instruments for checking physical characteristics

38500000 : Checking and testing apparatus

71313000 : Environmental engineering consultancy services

71351200 : Geological and geophysical consultancy services

71351220 : Geological consultancy services

**II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

30 September 2024

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**Section IV. Procedure**
**IV.1) Description****IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes