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Tender

C1159 - Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS

NI Water and its subsidiaries

F05: Contract notice - utilities

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-036c24

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

NI Water and its subsidiaries

Westland House

Belfast

BT14 6TE

Email

sourcing@niwater.com

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

I.3) Communication

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

https://etendersni.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://etendersni.gov.uk

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.6) Main activity

Water

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

C1159 - Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing)
DPS

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79600000 - Recruitment services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS Please refer to DRAFT Specification for further details on requirements

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots 11

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

1. Frontline (Belfast)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS Please refer to DRAFT Specification for further details on requirements

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note the value £8million covers all lots and individual lot values are to be confirmed.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

2. Frontline (Outside Belfast)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1year extension available this is included in the end date above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note the value £8million covers all lots and individual lot values are to be confirmed.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

3. General Support Staff (Belfast) (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS Please refer to DRAFT Specification for further details on requirements

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union

funds: No

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note the value £8million covers all lots and individual lot values are to be confirmed.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

4. General Support Staff (Outside Belfast) (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS Please refer to DRAFT Specification for further details on requirements

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note the value £8million covers all lots and individual lot values are to be confirmed.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

5. Finance, Regulation, Tax and Audit (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Please note the value £8million covers all lots and individual lot values are to be confirmed.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

6. Engineering and Project Management (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

7. HR and Legal (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

7

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Employment Agency Contract (Temp, Temp to Perm and Permanent resourcing) DPS Please refer to DRAFT Specification for further details on requirements

II.2.5) Award criteria

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documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

8. Procurement (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

8

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

9. Scientific (Belfast) (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

9

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

10. Scientific (Outside Belfast) (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

10

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

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

Duration in months

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This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 1 year extensions available which is included on the dates above

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

11. ICT (Level 4 – Level 7)

Lot No

11

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79620000 - Supply services of personnel including temporary staff

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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II.2.6) Estimated value

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

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Description of renewals

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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

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II.2.14) Additional information

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Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

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

1 February 2026

Local time

12:00am

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: February 2027

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Nii Water

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom