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## **PA23 - UK5 - Transparency Notice**

GB-PPON-PBJQ-2231-ZRPG

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## **Scope**

## **Reference**

Prj\_7254

## **Description**

Assessment of New Wastewater Technologies, Processes & Associated Mechanisms

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**Contract 1. Assessment of New Wastewater Technologies,  
Processes & Associated Mechanisms**

## Supplier

- [University of Portsmouth](#)

## Contract value

- £1,028,846 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## Earliest date the contract will be signed

2 June 2025

## Contract dates (estimated)

- 3 June 2025 to 31 March 2030
- 4 years, 9 months, 28 days

## Main procurement category

Services

## CPV classifications

- 73111000 - Research laboratory services

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## Other information

## **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

### **Special regime**

Utilities

### **Direct award justification**

Prototypes and development

Southern Water (SW) are facing significant operational and compliance challenges on small rural wastewater treatment works. The Direct Award contract will focus technology trials on the challenges facing small rural sites. A collaborative "Innovation Hub" is being established between the University of Portsmouth and Southern Water at the University Environmental Technology Field Station (ETFS) on land rented from Southern water at Petersfield Wastewater Treatment Works. This will involve University of Portsmouth staff working on a series of projects to address the small rural site challenge under the guidance of a joint Steering Group, chaired by Southern Water. The Direct Award is an R&D project that falls within an exemption under both UCR and PA23 Procurement Law.

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## University of Portsmouth

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### GB-PPON-PBJQ-2231-ZRPG

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBJQ-2231-ZRPG

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Organisation type: Private utility