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Tender

## **C1120 – Cyber Assurance Services**

NI Water and its subsidiaries

F05: Contract notice – utilities

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02fd05

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### **Section I: Contracting entity**

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

NI Water and its subsidiaries

Westland House

Belfast

BT14 6TE

#### **Contact**

sourcingniwater.com

#### **Email**

[sourcing@niwater.com](mailto:sourcing@niwater.com)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS 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/epps>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

**I.6) Main activity**

Water

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

C1120 – Cyber Assurance Services

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

This Contract is for the following services: - • Provision of cyber / IT security consultants on a 'call off' basis to review and provide assurance over cyber risks across both the Operating Technology (OT) and Information Technology (IT) environments. This would also include assurance over the ongoing Cyber Resilience Programme and assurance against the Network and Information Systems Regulations 2018 (UK) – 'NIS Regulations'. • Provision of cyber / IT security consultants to provide advisory services over OT and IT risks, as required.

**II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £280,000

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

**II.2) Description****II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 72600000 - Computer support and consultancy services
- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 72800000 - Computer audit and testing services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 30

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £280,000

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

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible further contracts following contract end.

### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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

5 January 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 5 April 2022

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

5 January 2022

Local time

12:30pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Northern Ireland Water

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom