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# DAERA - AFBI - Supply and Delivery of Feedstuffs for Growing Stock

**AFBI** 

Agri-Food and Biosciences Institute NI

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**AFBI** 

18A Newforge Lane

**BELFAST** 

BT9 5PX

#### **Email**

ssdadmin.cpd@finance-ni.gov.uk

#### 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.1) Name and addresses

Agri-Food and Biosciences Institute NI

12 Stoney Road

**Belfast** 

BT4 3SD

#### **Email**

ssdadmin.cpd@finance-ni.gov.uk

## Country

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# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## 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 to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

DAERA - AFBI - Supply and Delivery of Feedstuffs for Growing Stock

Reference number

ID4861573

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

15700000 - Animal feedstuffs

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

At AFBI Hillsborough, research and development is undertaken to underpin sustainable livestock and renewable energy systems. To undertake these programmes AFBI wishes to appoint a Contractor/s to supply and deliver estimated Feedstuffs for Dairy Animals, Pigs and Growing Stock The contract will be split into 4 separate Lots: Lot 1 – Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Dairy Animals Lot 2 – Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Pigs Lot 3 – Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Beef and Sheep Animals Lot 4 – Supply and delivery of Feed Straights

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £2,800,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots 4

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Dairy Animals

Lot No

1

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

• 15700000 - Animal feedstuffs

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 20

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 80

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £700,000

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

**Duration** in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial contract period of 2 years with 3 options to extend for 1 year each

#### 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) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Pigs

Lot No

2

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

• 15700000 - Animal feedstuffs

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 80

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Duration in months

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#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

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#### 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) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Supply and delivery of Feedstuffs for Beef and Sheep Animals

Lot No

3

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

15700000 - Animal feedstuffs

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 80

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £700,000

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

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial contract period of 2 years with 3 options to extend for 1 year each

#### 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) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Supply and delivery of Feed Straights

Lot No

4

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

• 15700000 - Animal feedstuffs

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

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• UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

## III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## 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: Yes

## IV.2) Administrative information

## IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

30 October 2024

Local time

3:00pm

#### 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: 28 January 2025

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

Date

30 October 2024

Local time

3:30pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored in line with the tender documentation. Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a Notice of Unsatisfactory Performance and the contract may be terminated. The issue of a Notice of Unsatisfactory Performance can result in the Contractor being excluded from all procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of three years from the date of issue.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Any challenges are dealt with by the High Court Commercial Division to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the Public Contracts Regulation

UK

Country

**United Kingdom** 

## VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD will comply with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended). and. where appropriate, will incorporate a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of contract is communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision