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Tender

# **NW2757 - Plumbing Fittings**

#### NORTHUMBRIAN WATER GROUP LIMITED

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# **Section I: Contracting entity**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NORTHUMBRIAN WATER GROUP LIMITED

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**DURHAM** 

DH15FJ

Contact

Gemma Gray

**Email** 

gemma.gray@nwl.co.uk

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Region code

UKC14 - Durham CC

## **Companies House**

02366703

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://nwl.co.uk

# I.3) Communication

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

https://s1.ariba.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://s1.ariba.com

# I.6) Main activity

Water

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

NW2757 - Plumbing Fittings

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 44115210 - Plumbing materials

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

Northumbrian Water, which includes Essex & Suffolk Water, is reviewing the supply arrangements for Plumbing Fittings. The scope includes (but is not limited to) copper pipe, copper connectors, stop cocks, compression fittings, tectitie fittings and in-line meter kits. NWL's requirement is for one supplier to provide all of these items to all areas of the company (including Tyne & Wear, Essex and Suffolk); it is not anticipated that the contract will be split between product groups or locations.

## II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,300,000

## II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 44115210 - Plumbing materials

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

- UKC North East (England)
- UKJ South East (England)

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NWL are procuring a 2 + 2 year contract for plumbing fittings.

## II.2.5) Award criteria

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

## 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

Contract is for an initial two years with the option to extend for a further two years.

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Contract is for an initial two years with the option to extend for a further two years.

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

## III.1) Conditions for participation

## III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.6) Deposits and guarantees required

Parent Company Guarantees and Performance Bonds may be requested as part of the award.

# III.1.7) Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

This will be advised as part of the tender.

## III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

This will be advised in the tender documents.

# Section IV. Procedure

## IV.1) Description

## IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

# IV.1.4) Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated

#### 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

20 November 2023

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: 31 May 2024

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

Applicants are asked to note that this procurement process will be conducted electronically with all documents and communication being managed through the Northumbrian Water e-Sourcing Spend Management portal called "Ariba". Expressions of interest must be sent be sent to the e-mail address <a href="mailto:gemma.gray@nwl.co.uk">gemma.gray@nwl.co.uk</a> before the deadline date. Once your expression of interest has been

received (with the details as requested below), you will be given access to the Ariba portal within 48 hours from request (where possible) via an email (you have provided as part of

your contact details) with a link to access the Ariba portal. You will be required to complete a Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PPQ) in Ariba (following the same link as mentioned above)

PQQ closes on 24/11/2023

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

**TBC** 

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Country

**United Kingdom**