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#### Planning

# Request for Information - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Workwear

NI Water and its subsidiaries

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## Section I: Contracting entity

#### I.1) Name and addresses

NI Water and its subsidiaries

Westland House

Belfast

BT14 6TE

#### Contact

Lisa Lindsay

#### 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

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

## I.6) Main activity

Water

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Request for Information - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Workwear

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 35113400 - Protective and safety clothing

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

This RFI is a general market enquiry to identify and engage with suppliers who can supply and deliver PPE and/or workwear to NI Water. NI Water is seeking to assess the interest, capacity and capability of the market in providing these types of goods. NI Water are also interested in receiving feedback from the market on the different experiences, approaches and models used when supplying PPE and/or workwear.

In addition to the RFI, NI Water also plan to hold supplier engagement meetings in January 2023 and an expression of interest for these meetings can be made by completing and returning the RFI Questionnaire. Details of the meetings will be issued in due course following the responses received from the RFI.

The RFI Questionnaire and accompanying information document are currently available and you can request a copy via email at <u>sourcing@niwater.com</u>, FAO Lisa Lindsay. The RFI Questionnaire is to be completed and returned no later than 22nd December 2022.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 18113000 Industrial clothing
- 18143000 Protective gear
- 18100000 Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18830000 Protective footwear
- 18221000 Waterproof clothing
- 18222000 Corporate clothing

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN - Northern Ireland

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

An analysis of the RFI Questionnaire responses and the supplier engagement meetings may be used to select the best procurement strategy to deliver this service in the future.

#### II.2.14) Additional information

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## II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 March 2023

## **Section IV. Procedure**

## IV.1) Description

#### 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 expressions of interest

Date

22 December 2022

Local time

5:00pm

# Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.3) Additional information

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