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NRW Respacing, cleaning and weeding framework

Natural Resources Wales

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NRW Respacing, cleaning and weeding framework

Reference number

itt_112471 / project_57045

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77231000 - Forestry management services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

NRW is responsible for the management of the Welsh Government Woodland Estate and land in our care. NRW is certified by both the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) and the Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC) to meet the UK Woodland Assurance Standard (UKWAS).

This Respacing, cleaning and weeding framework relates to the supply of respacing

services, delivering 6 main requirements:

- 1. Cleaning of naturally regenerated or planted crops
- 2. Re-spacing of naturally regenerated or planted crops
- 3. Creation of inspection racks through brashing
- 4. Mechanical weeding
- 5. Hand weeding
- 6. High pruning

Due to the nature of the required works it is difficult for NRW to estimate the value of this framework. For the purposes of establishing this framework we estimate spend in a range of 3,700,000 GBP and 4,500,000 GBP. NRW does not guarantee any level of expenditure under this framework.

The overall Framework will have a term of 48 months (4 years). It is structured as a 36 month (3 year) initial term with 1 x further 1 year (12 month) extension allowable.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: <u>2024/S 000-035647</u>

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.2) Other additional information

Correction of Lot 4 Title

Please note that Lot 4 is incorrectly defined in the Contract Notice as "North Mid Wales". Lot 4 should be titled "South Mid Wales" as per the full tender documentation.