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Planning

## Characterisation Services Framework

Nuclear Restoration Services Limited

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### Section I: Contracting authority

#### I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Region code

UK - United Kingdom

**National registration number**

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/nuclear-restoration-services>

Buyer's address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/nuclear-restoration-services>

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Nuclear Decommissioning

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Characterisation Services Framework

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79723000 - Waste analysis services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The Contracting authority seeks to inform the market of its intention to commence a procurement process by early 2025, to establish a Framework for a range of characterisation services.

Access to characterisation services is required to support the provision of relevant information about the physical, chemical and radiochemical properties of wastes and other materials.

It is anticipated that the Framework services include but are not limited to; laboratory analysis, fingerprint services and additional characterisation services, such as technical consulting, across up to 4 lots;

Lot 1 - Analytical Laboratory Services (excluding ILW samples requiring specialist facilities due to higher radioactivity levels) - (single provider lot)

Lot 2- Fingerprint Services - (single provider lot)

Lot 3- Laboratory Services – (multi provider lot)

Lot 4 -Additional Characterisation Services - (multi provider lot)

Anticipated Framework is to support Nuclear Restoration Services (NRS) requirements. Access to some NDA OpCos is also possible via multi provider lots, (whilst it is envisaged that usage outside of NRS will be limited)

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Analytical Laboratory Services

Lot No

1

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Analytical Laboratory Services (excluding ILW samples requiring specialist facilities due to higher radioactivity levels)

Included at II.1.4.1

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Fingerprint Services

Lot No

2

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Included at II.1.4.1

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Laboratory Services

Lot No

3

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Included at II.1.4.1

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - Additional Characterisation Services

Lot No

4

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

- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Included at II.1.4.1

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

31 January 2025

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## **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: Yes

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

Interested parties can find further information about the anticipated Framework via <https://one-nda.force.com/s/Welcome> upon registration, when searching under the procurement title or reference C22866 within the 'Find Opportunities' page.

Please note:

All of the details provided here and associated to this prior information notice (PIN) are subject to change/finalisation and will be confirmed at the start of any subsequent procurement process.

This PIN is not a call for competition or commitment that a procurement process will take place. It is to provide the market with advance notice that a procurement is intended to commence by early 2025. Any subsequent procurement process will be advertised via a Contracts Notice. Organisations wanting to participate will need to respond to the Contract Notice when it is published.

Additional CPV Codes:

Analysis services - 71620000

Technical analysis or consultancy services - 71621000

Laboratory services - 71900000

Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services - 71600000