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Tender

## **ID 5473034 DfE Invest NI - Resource Matching (Industrial Symbiosis) Service**

Invest NI

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04c806

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Invest NI

Bedford Square, 1 Bedford St,

BELFAST

BT2 7ES

#### **Email**

[SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk](mailto: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.2) Information about 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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

ID 5473034 DfE Invest NI - Resource Matching (Industrial Symbiosis) Service

Reference number

5473034

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

- 90713000 - Environmental issues consultancy services

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

Services

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

Invest NI has a requirement for a Supplier to deliver a programme of Resource Matching (Industrial Symbiosis) activity in Northern Ireland over the period 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with the option for three further periods of any period up to and including 12 months each up to March 2030.

### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,643,232

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 90714500 - Environmental quality control services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 90710000 - Environmental management
- 79723000 - Waste analysis services
- 90700000 - Environmental services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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(Industrial Symbiosis) activity in Northern Ireland over the period 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with the option for three further periods of any period up to and including 12 months each up to March 2030.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,643,232

#### **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

There is the option for three further periods of any period up to and including 12 months each up to March 2030.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **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

27 January 2025

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: 27 April 2025

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

Date

27 January 2025

Local time

3:30pm

## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

### 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. The. Authority expressly reserves the rights; not to award. any contract. as a.. result of the procurement. process commenced by publication of. this notice; to make whatever changes it may see fit. to the content.. and. structure of the tendering. Competition; to award (a). contract(s) in respect of any part(s) of the services covered by.. this notice; and. to. award contract(s) in stages and. in no. circumstances will the Authority be liable for any costs incurred by. candidates.

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

The UK does not have any such bodies with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015 as amended.

Belfast

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 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. This provides time for the.... unsuccessful.. tenderers. to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into...