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Award

FCP: LEEP NEV - Climate Resilience of Agricultural Production and Farm Business

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

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Scope

Reference

C29319

Description

An R&D piece of work using a unique modelling tool developed by the supplier, that bridges the gap between farm decision making in response to changes in agricultural potential and survey data, which resolves the economics of farms and to understand how climate change will impact food production, farm businesses and future land use.

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Supplier

- [The University of Exeter](#)

Contract value

- £388,126 excluding VAT
- £465,751.20 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

4 July 2025

Standstill period

- End: 29 July 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

30 July 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 31 July 2025 to 31 March 2027
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029
- 3 years, 8 months, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

2+1+1

Main procurement category

Services

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Option to extend with 3 months notice.

CPV classifications

- 79315000 - Social research services

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Supplier

The University of Exeter

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZYG-2396-XCRZ

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Associated people/organisations:

The University of Exeter, Northcote House, The Queen's Drive, Exeter, Devon, EX4 4QJ

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Contracting authority

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government