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Tender

Impact of new technology in meat production

Food Standards Agency

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Scope

Description

The successful supplier will be required to undertake an assessment of how new technology within the meat production sector might impact the FSA and how it delivers Official Controls over the next 10 years.

It is expected that a successful end product will include a comprehensive examination of technological innovations such as AI and other digital monitoring tools' impact on Officials Controls. It should assess their effectiveness, reliability and challenges of these technologies in monitoring hygiene and food safety, as well as animal welfare standards in meat establishments.

Total value (estimated)

- £70,000 excluding VAT
- £84,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 October 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 6 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 73110000 - Research services
- 73200000 - Research and development consultancy services

Participation**Conditions of participation**

See PSQ in Atamis

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

14 August 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

1 September 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Tenders for FSA funded projects must be submitted through the health-family single e-Commercial System (Atamis), using the following link: <https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Technical criteria - 80%

Commercial criteria 20%

Full details in the tender specification

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Food Standards Agency

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJRM-6866-LYYX

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Region: UKE21 - York

Organisation type: Public authority - central government