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Tender

## Collection and Transportation of Water and Wastewater Samples

NORTHERN IRELAND WATER LIMITED

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Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-061491

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05a63d

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### Scope

### Reference

T146

### Description

This Contract is for the following services: - • Sampling of water, waste water and Cryptosporidium filters from locations throughout Northern Ireland • Subsequent transportation of the samples to a specified NI Water laboratory (Gelvin Grange, Altnagelvin, Co. Londonderry or Westland House, Old Westland Road, Belfast) for analysis.

### Total value (estimated)

- £16,250,266 excluding VAT

- £19,500,319 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 July 2026 to 30 June 2029
- Possible extension to 30 June 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

There is the option to avail of extensions for 2+1+1 years

### **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

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The right to additional purchases that are within scope of the contract and to cater for innovations or developments in the requirement while the contract is valid

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 72316000 - Data analysis services

- 79723000 - Waste analysis services
- 85111820 - Bacteriological analysis services
- 90733000 - Services related to water pollution

## **Contract locations**

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

17 October 2025, 12:00pm

### **Submission type**

Tenders

### **Tender submission deadline**

27 October 2025, 12:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

<https://etendersni.gov.uk>

**Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

## **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

## **Award decision date (estimated)**

12 January 2026

## **Recurring procurement**

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 October 2032

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## **Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	Quality	60%
Cost	Cost	40%

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## **Other information**

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Competitive flexible procedure

### **Special regime**

Utilities

### **Competitive flexible procedure description**

The Competitive Flexible Procedure is described in the CfT documents which are available on eTendersNI.

### **Justification for not publishing a preliminary market engagement notice**

Preliminary market engagement notice was published for T102 tender (procurement was terminated). T146 is a retender of this same requirement

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### **Contracting authority**

#### **NORTHERN IRELAND WATER LIMITED**

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCZH-7295-JJTZ

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Region: UKN06 - Belfast

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland