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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): ocids-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+1years

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

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

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality	Quality	60%
Cost	Cost	40%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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

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