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Tender

## **Publications Support and Development 2026**

UK Hydrographic Office

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### **Changes to notice**

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the UKHO portal at: <https://ukho.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-Taunton:-IT-services:-consulting%2C-software-development%2C-Internet-and-support./3876TGH827>

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### **Scope**

## Description

The UK Hydrographic Office (UKHO) are seeking a strategic partner to deliver the ongoing support, maintenance and development of our publications. The appointed partner is also required to be able to provide consultative services to collaboratively deliver the user centric products and services that fall under this contract, many of which are vital to Safety Of Life At Sea (SOLAS). Essential skills and experience include areas such as software engineering, cloud & infrastructure, Data and Integration, Security and Quality Assurance along with UX, maritime and defence experience is critical. The contract will be for 5 years with the ability to extend.

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## Total value (estimated)

- £11,500,000 excluding VAT
- £13,800,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 February 2026 to 31 March 2031
- Possible extension to 31 March 2036
- 10 years, 1 month, 31 days

Description of possible extension:

The Authority retains the right to extend for up to 5 years.

## Main procurement category

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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## **Participation**

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

Supplier must be able to provide SC cleared Staff

The supplier must have Maritime and Defence Experience

The supplier must have experience in the skills and expertise in the areas outlined within the questionnaire.

### **Particular suitability**

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

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

21 October 2025, 1:00pm

## **Submission type**

Tenders

## **Deadline for requests to participate**

22 October 2025, 5:00pm

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

<https://ukho.delta-esourcing.com/respond/3876TGH827>

## **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

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

English

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

5 January 2026

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## **Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Weightings to be provided at tender stage. For participation, all criteria's must be met.	TBC	Price	100%

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## **Other information**

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

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Competitive flexible procedure

### **Competitive flexible procedure description**

Participation

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## **Contracting authority**

## **UK Hydrographic Office**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZZG-9616-WGXT

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government