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Pipeline

In-Service Support for Main Circulating Water Pumps (MCWP)

Submarine Delivery Agency

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Scope

Reference

715600471

Description

The planned procurement shall provide in-service support for Main Circulation Water Pumps (MCWPs) on board naval submarines. The primary body of work required will be the repair and refurbishment of existing pumps, for which it is essential that bidders either own or have unlimited access to a pump testing facility.

Additionally, suppliers must have the storage capabilities to potentially accommodate several MCWPs at one time, as well as the supply-chain network to source its own parts and materials. This procurement is not anticipated to include within its scope the manufacture and purchase of new pumps.

Potential suppliers must have the suitably qualified and experienced personnel to produce technical reports associated with health checks and strip and surveys, and the surveying capabilities to accurately estimate the cost and lead time of repairing pumps to an A1

standard.

This procurement will be for a minimum 5-year contract term. The contract shall be competed under Procurement Act 2023 regulations and will be subject to the competitive flexible procedure.

Total value (estimated)

- £21,000,000 excluding VAT
- £25,200,000 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 July 2026 to 30 June 2031
- Possible extension to 30 June 2033
- 7 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 42122130 - Water pumps
- 42122161 - Cooling-water pumps
- 50240000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to marine and other equipment

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 May 2026

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Special regime

Defence and security

Above or below total value threshold

Above or equal to threshold

Contracting authority

Submarine Delivery Agency

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government