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Tender

## **Pre Market engagement FW127 Professional Services**

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### **Scope**

#### **Description**

It is the intention that this Framework will have 2 Lots, with each Lot having a schedule of rates.

Lot 1 Permanent-Way & Associated Services: This Lot will be for the delivery of professional services related to permanent way infrastructure projects and maintenance.

Lot 2 Civil & Structural Professional Services: This Lot will be for the provision of civil engineering and structures related professional services. The intention is that the supplier who attains the highest score in this tender will be appointed the Structures Maintenance Supplier. The Structures Maintenance Supplier will be issued a call-off Contract, whereby all work related to Structures Maintenance will be undertaken using this Contract. Other Civil & Structural works will be awarded via a sequence list, direct allocation or mini competition

On both Lots there will be an Active and Reserve list. Suppliers will be ranked based on their tender scores.

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £0 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 September 2026 to 31 August 2030
- Possible extension to 31 August 2034
- 8 years

Description of possible extension:

4 years (48 months)

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 71311300 - Infrastructure works consultancy services
- 71312000 - Structural engineering consultancy services
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71500000 - Construction-related services

## **Lot 1. Lot 1 Permanent-Way & Associated Services:**

### **Description**

This Lot will be for the delivery of professional services related to permanent way infrastructure projects and maintenance

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £0 excluding VAT
- £0 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 2. Lot 2 Civil & Structural Professional Services:**

### **Description**

This Lot will be for the provision of civil engineering and structures related professional services. The intention is that the supplier who attains the highest score in this tender will be appointed the Structures Maintenance Supplier.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £0 excluding VAT
- £0 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Framework**

### **Maximum number of suppliers**

Unlimited

### **Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

0%

### **Framework operation description**

This is a pre market engagement exercise. The operational description is still under discussion and the outcome of the PME will help to finalise the tender documentation.

## **Award method when using the framework**

Either with or without competition

## **Contracting authorities that may use the framework**

Establishing party only

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

25 November 2025, 11:59pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

2 December 2025, 11:59pm

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

<https://etendersni.gov.uk>

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

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## **Award criteria**

This is a pre market engagement exercise

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Below threshold - open competition

### **Special regime**

Utilities

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Translink**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PTMT-7134-NRMV

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Email: [procurement@translink.co.uk](mailto:procurement@translink.co.uk)

Region: UKN06 - Belfast

Organisation type: Public undertaking (commercial organisation subject to public authority oversight)

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland