Clarifications to Bidder’s Questions:

Marine recreational vessels as a pathway for the introduction and spread of invasive non-native species (INNS) in the UK

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| 1 | It would be good to clarify whether the project results could be incorporated into a PhD in some capacity, or to take forward and build upon and/or trial a particular aspect of the method developed. | In terms of using the outcomes of the methodology development (the subject of this 2025-2026 RFQ) that Natural England is funding, I can confirm that we would be happy for the results to be incorporated into PhD work and would welcome its wider application. The only point to note is the requirement that the report is made available on Natural England’s Access to Evidence database first before being published elsewhere (this usually takes around 3 months after the final report is submitted). |
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