

## **Request for Quotation**

## **Song Meter Micro 2 Acoustic Recorders**

#### 19/08/2025

You are invited to submit a quotation for the requirement described in the specification, Section 2.

Please confirm by email, receipt of these documents and whether you intend to submit a quote or not.

Your response should be returned to the following email address by:

Email: Monitoring.innovation@naturalengland.org.uk

Date: 11/09/2025

Time: 17:00

Ensure you include the name of the quotation and 'Final Submission' in the subject field to make it clear that it is your response.

#### **Contact Details and Timetable**

**Chris Macfarlane** will be your contact for any questions linked to the content of the quote or the process. Please submit any clarification questions via email and note that, unless commercially sensitive, both the question and the response will be circulated to all tenderers.

Action	Date
Date of issue of RFQ	21-08-2025 at 09:00 BST
Deadline for clarifications questions	04-09-2025 at 12:30 BST
Deadline for receipt of Quotation	11-09-2025 at 17:00 BST
Intended date of Contract Award	18-09-2025
Intended Contract Start Date	19-09-2025
Intended Delivery Date / Contract Duration	03-10-2025

## **Section 1: General Information**

## Glossary

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions used within this Request for Quotation shall have the following meanings (to be interpreted in the singular or plural as the context requires):

"Authority"	means <b>Natural England</b> who is the
	Contracting Authority.
"Contract"	means the contract to be entered into
	by the Authority and the successful
	supplier.
"Response"	means the information submitted by a
	supplier in response to the RFQ.
"RFQ"	means this Request for Quotation and
	all related documents published by the
	Authority and made available to
	suppliers.

## Conditions applying to the RFQ

You should examine your Response and related documents ensuring it is complete and in accordance with the stated instructions prior to submission.

Your Response must contain sufficient information to enable the Authority to evaluate it fairly and effectively. You should ensure that you have prepared your Response fully and accurately and that prices quoted are arithmetically correct for the units stated.

By submitting a Response, you, the supplier, are deemed to accept the terms and conditions provided in the RFQ. Confirmation of this is required in Annex 2.

Failure to comply with the instructions set out in the RFQ may result in the supplier's exclusion from this quotation process.

## **Acceptance of Quotations**

By issuing this RFQ the Authority does not bind itself to accept any quotation and reserves the right not to award a contract to any supplier who submits a quotation.

#### Costs

The Authority will not reimburse you for any costs and expenses which you incur preparing and submitting your quotation, even if the Authority amends or terminates the procurement process.

### **Self-Declaration and Mandatory Requirements**

The RFQ includes a self-declaration response (Annex 1) which covers basic information about the supplier, as well as any grounds for exclusion. If you do not comply with them, your quotation will not be evaluated.

Any mandatory requirements will be set out in Section 2, Specification of Requirements and, if you do not comply with them, your quotation will not be evaluated

#### **Clarifications**

Any request for clarification regarding the RFQ and supporting documentation must be submitted via email no later than the deadline for clarifications set out in the Timetable. The Authority shall be under no obligation to respond to queries raised after the clarification deadline.

The Authority will respond to all reasonable clarifications as soon as possible but cannot guarantee a minimum response time. The Authority will publish all clarifications and its responses to all suppliers via email unless deemed commercially sensitive.

If a supplier believes that a request for clarification is commercially sensitive, it should clearly state this when submitting the clarification request. However, if the Authority considers either that:

- the clarification and response are not commercially sensitive; and
- all suppliers may benefit from its disclosure,

then the Authority will notify the supplier (via email), and the supplier will have an opportunity to withdraw the request for clarification by sending a further message requesting the withdrawal of the clarification request. If not withdrawn by the supplier within 2 working days of the Authority's notification, the Authority may publish the clarification request and its response to all suppliers and the Authority shall not be liable to the supplier for any consequences of such publication.

The Authority reserves the right to seek clarification of any aspect of a quotation and/or provide additional information during the evaluation phase to carry out a fair evaluation. Where the Authority seeks clarification on any aspect of the quotation, the supplier must respond within the timeframe requested by the Authority.

#### **Amendments**

The Authority may amend the RFQ at any time prior to the deadline for receipt. If it amends the RFQ the Authority will notify you via email.

Suppliers may modify their quotation prior to the deadline for Responses. No Responses may be modified after the deadline for Responses.

Suppliers may withdraw their quotations at any time by submitting a notice via the email to the named contact.

#### **Conditions of Contract**

The Authority's Standard Good and Services Terms & Conditions (used for purchases under £50k) can be located on the <u>Natural England Website</u> and will be applicable to any contract awarded as a result of this quotation process. The Authority will not accept any changes to these terms and conditions proposed by a supplier.

Suppliers should note that the quotation provided by the successful bidder will form part of the Contract.

#### **Prices**

Prices must be submitted in £ sterling, exclusive of VAT.

#### **Disclosure**

All Central Government Departments, their Executive Agencies and Non Departmental Public Bodies are subject to control and reporting within Government. In particular, they report to the Cabinet Office and HM Treasury for all expenditure. Further, the Cabinet Office has a cross-Government role delivering overall Government policy on public procurement, including ensuring value for money and related aspects of good procurement practice. For these purposes, the Authority may disclose within Government any details contained in your quotation. The information will not be disclosed outside Government during the procurement.

In addition, the Authority is subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, which provide a public right of access to information held by public bodies. In accordance with these two statutes, the Authority may be required to disclose information contained in your quotation to any person who submits a request for information pursuant to those statutes.

Further to the Government's transparency agenda, all UK Government organisations must advertise on Find a Tender Service (FTS) in accordance with the following publication thresholds:

- Central Contracting Authority's: £12,000
- Sub Central Contracting Authority's and NHS Trusts: £30,000

For the purpose of this RFQ the Authority is classified as a Central Contracting Authority with a publication threshold of £12,000 inclusive of VAT.

If this opportunity is advertised via FTS, we are obliged to publish details of the awarded contract.

A copy of the contract must also be published with confidential information redacted.

By submitting a Response, you consent to these terms as part of the procurement.

#### **Disclaimers**

Whilst the information in this RFQ and any supporting information referred to herein or provided to you by the Authority have been prepared in good faith the Authority does not warrant that this information is comprehensive or that it has been independently verified.

The Authority does not:

- make any representation or warranty (express or implied) as to the accuracy, reasonableness or completeness of the RFQ;
- accept any liability for the information contained in the RFQ or for the fairness, accuracy or completeness of that information; or
- accept any liability for any loss or damage (other than in respect of fraudulent misrepresentation or any other liability which cannot lawfully be excluded) arising as a result of reliance on such information or any subsequent communication.

Any supplier considering entering into contractual relationships with the Authority following receipt of the RFQ should make its own investigations and independent assessment of the Authority and its requirements for the goods and/or services and should seek its own professional financial and legal advice.

## **Information Security requirements**

The Government Security Classification Policy (GSCP) sets out the administrative system used by HM Government (HMG) to protect information and data assets appropriately against prevalent threats through the use of 'classification tiers'. HMG uses three classification tiers; OFFICIAL, SECRET and TOP SECRET. Each tier provides a set of recommended baseline behaviours and a set of protective controls, which are proportionate to the threat profile for that tier AND the potential impact of a compromise, accidental loss or incorrect disclosure of information held within that tier.

Tenderers and suppliers must ensure that appropriate protective security controls are in place to comply with the GSCP and manage the information shared and received as part of this tender exercise.

A full suite of guidance documents is available on GOV.UK, with specific guidance for tenderers and suppliers set out in <u>Guidance 1.6 - Contractors and Contracting Authorities.docx (publishing.service.gov.uk).</u>

### **Use of Artificial Intelligence**

The Authority expects suppliers to declare where they have used AI software in the creation of Tender responses or intend to use AI software in the performance of the contract. How any AI software was, or will be, used should be to be declared within the technical submission part of the tender. We may require you to answer specific question/s on this topic, particularly where the Authority expects that usage is highly likely or clearly relates to the contract requirements.

Suppliers must follow any guidelines or regulations related to AI use and declarations as indicated in the PPN 2/24 Improving Transparency of AI use in Procurement.

Any information, instructions, or data provided by the Authority to suppliers as part of this tender, the requirements, or contract should not be directly inserted into Generative AI software (such as Gemini, ChatGPT, or CoPilot) without prior permission, unless this information is clearly published in the public domain.

Use of any Authority confidential tender information for training AI software is prohibited. it is advised that Defra's data or instructions, or anything marked as confidential should not be directly inserted into AIs. For example, putting Authority's instruction email into Gemini, ChatGPT, or CoPilot is not recommended.

If you intend to use AI to provide goods or services to the Authority, then you are required to complete a declaration which is simply answering the question stated within the 'Information to be returned'. The answer to this question will not be used in scoring your quote.

#### **Protection of Personal Data**

In order to comply with the General Data Protection Regulations 2018 the supplier must agree to the following:

You must only process any personal data in strict accordance with instructions from the Authority.

- You must ensure that all the personal data that we disclose to you or you collect on our behalf under this agreement are kept confidential.
- You must take reasonable steps to ensure the reliability of employees who have access to personal data.
- Only employees who may be required to assist in meeting the obligations under this agreement may have access to the personal data.
- Any disclosure of personal data must be made in confidence and extend only so far as that which is specifically necessary for the purposes of this agreement.

- You must ensure that there are appropriate security measures in place to safeguard against any unauthorised access or unlawful processing or accidental loss, destruction or damage or disclosure of the personal data.
- On termination of this agreement, for whatever reason, the personal data must be returned to us promptly and safely, together with all copies in your possession or control.

## **General Data Protection Regulations 2018**

For the purposes of the Regulations the Authority is the data processor.

The personal information that we have asked you provide on individuals (data subjects) that will be working for you on this contract will be used in compiling the tender list and in assessing your offer. If you are unsuccessful the information will be held and destroyed within two years of the award of contracts. If you are awarded a contract it will be retained for the duration of the contract and destroyed within seven years of the contract's expiry.

We may monitor the performance of the individuals during the execution of the contract, and the results of our monitoring, together with the information that you have provided, will be used in determining what work is allocated under the contract, and in any renewal of the contract or in the award of future contracts of a similar nature. The information will not be disclosed to anyone outside the Authority without the consent of the data subject, unless the Authority is required by law to make such disclosures.

## **Equality, Diversity & Inclusion (EDI)**

The Client is striving to create a diverse and inclusive working environment where every individual has equality of opportunity to progress and to apply their unique insights to making the UK a great place for living. The Service Provider is expected to respect this commitment in all dealings with **Natural England** staff and service users.

Suppliers are expected to;

- support Defra group to achieve its Public Sector Equality Duty as defined by the Equality Act 2010, and to support delivery of <u>Defra group's Equality & Diversity Strategy</u>.
- meet the standards set out in the Government's Supplier Code of Conduct
- work with Defra group to ensure equality, diversity and inclusion impacts are addressed (positive and negative) in the goods, services and works we procure, barriers are removed and opportunities realised.

## **Sustainable Procurement**

Addressing global sustainability impacts and realising additional community benefits within commercial activity is core to Defra group's approach, working with its supply chain is key to achieving sustainable outcomes. In addition to supporting Defra group to meet its outcomes we look to understand and reduce negative sustainability impacts associated with our commercial activity and realise benefits.

The Client encourages its suppliers to share these values, work to address negative impacts and realise opportunities, measure performance and success.

Suppliers are expected to have an understanding of the Sustainable Development Goals, the interconnections between them and the relevance to the Goods, Services and works procured on the Client's behalf

#### **Conflicts of Interest**

The concept of a conflict of interest includes but is not limited to any situation where an Involved Person or Relevant Body has directly or indirectly, a financial, economic or other personal interest which might be perceived to compromise their impartiality and independence in the context of the procurement procedure and/or affect the integrity of the contract award.

We expect suppliers to mitigate appropriately against any real or perceived conflict of interest through their work with government. A supplier with a position of influence gained through a contract should not use that position to unfairly disadvantage any other supplier or reduce the potential for future competition

Where the supplier is aware of any circumstances giving rise to a conflict of interest or has any indication that a conflict of interest exists or may arise you should inform the Authority of this as soon as possible (whether before or after they have submitted a quotation). Tenderers should remain alert to the possibility of conflicts of interest arising at all stages of the procurement and should update the Authority if any new circumstances or information arises, or there are any changes to information already provided to the Authority. Failure to do so, and/or to properly manage any conflicts of interest may result in a quotation being rejected.

Provided that it has been carried out in an open, fair and transparent manner, routine pre-market engagement carried out by the Authority should not represent a conflict of interest for the supplier.

**Section 2: The Invitation** 

**Specification of Requirements** 

**Background to Natural England** 

Natural England is the government's adviser for the natural environment in England. We help to protect and restore our natural world. Natural England is an executive non-departmental public body, sponsored by the <u>Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs</u>.

Read more about what we do.

## Who we are

We were established by an Act of Parliament in 2006. Our purpose is to help conserve, enhance and manage the natural environment for the benefit of present and future generations, thereby contributing to sustainable development.

#### Our vision and mission

Our vision is 'Thriving Nature for people and planet'.

We aim to achieve this through our mission 'Building partnerships for Nature's recovery'.

#### **Priorities**

Our priorities for 2020 to 2025 support our mission and the ambitions of the government's 25 Year Environment Plan. We aim for:

- a well-managed Nature Recovery Network across land, water and sea, which
  creates and protects resilient ecosystems rich in wildlife and natural beauty,
  enjoyed by people and widely benefiting society
- people connected to the natural environment for their own and society's wellbeing, enjoyment and prosperity
- Nature-based solutions contributing fully to tackling the climate change challenge and wider environmental hazards and threats
- improvements in the natural capital that drives sustainable economic growth, healthy food systems and prospering communities
- evidence and expertise being used by a broad range of partnerships, organisations and communities to achieve Nature recovery and enable effective regulation and accreditation
- being a values-led organisation that delivers excellent service standards to all partners, organisations and communities engaged in achieving Nature's recovery

## **Song Meter Micro 2 Recorders (Lithium-ion Battery)**

## Requirement

The requirement is detailed in Table 1. Where appropriate, for continuity, the requirement will specify a preferred make and model. Where the preferred make and model is an essential requirement for the validity of the field survey methodology, this will be indicated by the label '(essential)' in the requirement. Where the preferred make and model is desirable but not essential this will be indicated by the label '(desirable)' in the requirement. The authority will accept an alternative make and model where the preferred make and model is desirable as along as the supplier can demonstrate the alternative make and model meets the full requirements of this tender.

Table 1 – Requirement

Product name and specification	Number of items required
Wildlife Acoustics Song Meter Micro 2 Lithium-Ion battery Version) (Essential)	80

## Sustainability

Natural England protects and improves the environment and is committed to reducing the sustainability impacts of its activities directly and through its supply chains. We expect the Contractor to share this commitment and adopt a sound, proactive sustainable approach in keeping with the 25-year environmental plan/our commitments compliant with all applicable legislation. This includes understanding and reducing direct and indirect sustainability impacts and realising opportunities, including but not restricted to; resilience to climate change, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, water use and quality, biosecurity, resource efficiency and waste, reducing the risk of pollution, biodiversity, modern slavery and equality, diversity & inclusion, negative community impacts.

As a delivery partner, the successful contractor is expected to pursue sustainability in their operations, thereby ensuring the Contracting Authority is not contracting with a supplier whose operational outputs run contrary to the Contracting Authority's objectives. The successful contractor will need to approach the project with a focus on the entire life cycle of the project.

#### **Payment**

The Authority will raise purchase orders to cover the cost of the services and will issue to the awarded supplier following contract award.

The Authority's preference is for all invoices to be sent electronically, quoting a valid Purchase Order number, upon receipt of goods.

It is anticipated that this contract will be awarded for a period of **2 Weeks** to end no later than **03/10/2025**. Prices will remain fixed for the duration of the contract award period. We may at our sole discretion extend this contract to include related or further work. Any extension shall be agreed in writing in advance of any work commencing and may be subject to further competition.

## **Evaluation Methodology**

We will award this contract in line with the most advantageous tender (MAT). See award criteria:

Technical – 30%

Commercial - 70%

## **Evaluation criteria**

Evaluation weightings are 30% technical and 70% commercial, the winning tenderer will be the highest scoring combined score.

Award Criteria	Weighting (%)	Evaluation Topic & Weighting	Sub-Criteria	Weighted Question
Technical	30%	Service	Delivery Timescales	1 Question Q1 (30% of technical score available)
			Product Specification	1 Question Q2 (minimum score required: 70) (30% of technical score available)
			Warranty	1 Question Q3 (30% of technical score available)
			Management of sustainability and social value	1 Question Q4 (10% of technical score available)
Commercial	70%	Whole life cost of the proposed Contract	Commercial Model	1 Question Q4 Please complete Annex 4 (100% of commercial score available)

## Technical (30%)

Technical evaluations will be based on responses to specific questions covering key criteria which are outlined below. Scores for questions will be based on the following:

Description Very good	Score 100	Definition  Addresses all the Authority's requirements with all the relevant supporting information set out in the RFQ. There are no weaknesses and therefore the tender response gives the Authority complete confidence that all the requirements will be met to a high standard.
Good	70	Addresses all the Authority's requirements with all the relevant supporting information set out in the RFQ. The response contains minor weaknesses and therefore the tender response gives the Authority confidence that all the requirements will be met to a good standard.
Moderate	50	Addresses most of the requirements with most of the relevant supporting information set out in the RFQ. The response contains moderate weaknesses and therefore the tender response gives the Authority confidence that most of the requirements will be met to a suitable standard.
Weak	20	Substantially addresses the requirements but not all and provides supporting information that is of limited or no relevance or a methodology containing significant weaknesses and therefore raises concerns for the Authority that the requirements may not all be met.
Unacceptable	0	No response or provides a response that gives the Authority no confidence that the requirement will be met.

Technical evaluation is assessed using the evaluation topics and sub-criteria stated in the Evaluation Criteria section above.

Separate submissions for each technical question should be provided and will be evaluated in isolation. Tenderers should provide answers that meet the criteria of each technical question.

Delivery Timescales	Detailed Evaluation Criteria
Q1 Please specify what is the lead time for supplying each item of the equipment detailed in this requirement.	Have information in sufficient detail to allow a full appraisal of the lead times for each deliverable.

Q2 Please provide a copy of the	Have information in sufficient detail to allow
product specification for each item of	a full appraisal of the product specification
the requirement.	for each deliverable.

Warranty	Detailed Evaluation Criteria
Q3 Please specify the length of the device guarantee for each item of the requirement.	Have information in sufficient detail to allow a full appraisal of the length of the device guarantee for each item of the requirement.

Management of sustainability and social value	Detailed Evaluation Criteria
<b>Q4</b> Please append your sustainability policy and any ISO accreditation applicable to the requirement.	Have information in sufficient detail to allow a full appraisal of your sustainability policy and any ISO accreditation applicable to the requirement.

**Commercial (70%)** The Contract is to be awarded as a **fixed price** which will be paid according to the completion of the deliverables stated in the Specification of Requirements.

Suppliers are required to submit a total cost to provide the deliverables stated in the Specification of Requirements. In addition to this the Commercial Response template must be completed to provide a breakdown of the whole life costs against **each deliverable** used in the delivery of this requirement.

#### **Calculation Method**

The method for calculating the individual weighted scores is as follows:

#### Commercial

Score = (Lowest Quotation Price / Supplier's Quotation Price) x **70%** (Maximum available marks)

#### Technical

Score = (Bidder's Total Technical Score / Highest Technical Score) x **30%** (Maximum available marks)

The total score (weighted) (TWS) is then calculated by adding the total weighted commercial score (WC) to the total weighted technical score (WT): WC + WT = TWS.

Once all evaluators have completed their individual evaluations and provided their final scores, an average score will be calculated which will be multiplied by the selected weighting to give a weighted score representing the views of all evaluators.

#### Information to be returned

Please note, the following information requested must be provided. Incomplete tender submissions may be discounted.

Please complete and return the following information:

- completed Commercial Response template
- separate response submission for each technical question (in accordance with the response instructions)
- complete AI question [ "Do you use Artificial Intelligence (AI) or machine learning tools, including large language models within your quote submission or service delivery processes.?"] response which will not be scored, is to be returned within technical response
- completed Mandatory Requirements (Annex 1)
- completed Acceptance of Terms and Conditions (Annex 2)

#### **Award**

Once the evaluation of the Response(s) is complete suppliers will be notified of the outcome via email.

The successful supplier will be issued the contract via a Purchase Order.

## **Annex 1 Mandatory Requirements**

## **Part 1 Potential Supplier Information**

Please answer the following self-declaration questions in full and include this Annex in your quotation response.

#### Part 1.1 Potential Supplier Information:

Question no.	Question	Response
1.1(a)	Full name of the potential supplier submitting the information	
1.1(b)	Registered office address (if applicable)	

1.1(c)	Company registration number (if applicable)	
1.1(d)	Charity registration number (if applicable)	
1.1(e)	Head office DUNS number (if applicable)	
1.1(f)	Registered VAT number	
1.1(g)	Are you a Small, Medium or Micro Enterprise (SME)?	(Yes / No)

Note: See EU definition of SME <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition">https://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition</a> en

#### Part 1.2 Contact details and declaration

By submitting a quotation to this RFQ I declare that to the best of my knowledge the answers submitted and information contained in this document are correct and accurate.

I declare that, upon request and without delay you will provide the certificates or documentary evidence referred to in this document.

I understand that the information will be used in the selection process to assess my organisation's suitability to be invited to participate further in this procurement.

I understand that the authority may reject this submission in its entirety if there is a failure to answer all the relevant questions fully, or if false/misleading information or content is provided in any section.

I am aware of the consequences of serious misrepresentation.

Question no.	Question	Response
1.2(a)	Contact name	
1.2(b)	Name of organisation	
1.2(c)	Role in organisation	
1.2(d)	Phone number	
1.2(e)	E-mail address	
1.2(f)	Postal address	
1.2(g)	Signature (electronic is acceptable)	
1.2(h)	Date	

#### **Part 2 Exclusion Grounds**

Part 2.1 Grounds for mandatory exclusion, including being on the Government Debarment List.

Question no.	Question	Response	
2.1(a)		<u> </u>	
2.1(a)	Please indicate if, within the past five years you, your organisation or any other person who has powers of		
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	representation, decision or control in the organisation been convicted anywhere in the world of any of the offences within		
	the summary below.		
	Participation in a criminal	(Yes / No)	
	organisation.	If yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
	Corruption.	((Yes / No)	
	·	lf yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
	Fraud.	(Yes / No)	
		If yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
	Terrorist offences or offences linked	(Yes / No)	
	to terrorist activities	If yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
	Money laundering or terrorist	(Yes / No)	
	financing	If yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
	Child labour and other forms of	(Yes / No)	
	trafficking in human beings	If yes please provide	
		details at 2.1 (b)	
2.1(b)	If you have answered yes to		
	question 2.1(a), please provide		
	further details.		
	Data of conviction and off which of		
	Date of conviction, specify which of		
	the grounds listed the conviction was for, and the reasons for		
	conviction.		
	COTVICTION.		
	Identity of who has been convicted		
	If the relevant documentation is		
	available electronically please		
	provide the web address, issuing		
	authority, precise reference of the		
	documents.		
2.1 (c)	If you have answered Yes to any of	(Yes / No)	
	the points above have measures	[	
	been taken to demonstrate the		
	reliability of the organisation despite		
	the existence of a relevant ground		
	for exclusion? (i.e. Self-Cleaning)		
2.1(d)	Has it been established, for your	(Yes / No)	
	organisation by a judicial or		
	administrative decision having final		
	and binding effect in accordance		

	with the legal provisions of any part of the United Kingdom or the legal provisions of the country in which the organisation is established (if outside the UK), that the organisation is in breach of obligations related to the payment of tax or social security contributions?	
2.1(e)	If you have answered yes to question 2.3(a), please provide further details. Please also confirm you have paid or have entered into a binding arrangement with a view to paying, the outstanding sum including where applicable any accrued interest and/or fines.	

## Part 2.2 Grounds for discretionary exclusion

Question no.	Question	Response
2.2(a)	The detailed grounds for discretionary exclusion of an organisation are set out on this webpage, which should be referred to before completing these questions.  Please indicate if, within the past three years, anywhere in the world any of the following situations have applied to you, your organisation or any other person who has powers of representation, decision or control in the organisation	
2.2(b)	Breach of environmental obligations?	(Yes / No) If yes please provide details at 2.2 (f)
2.2(c)	Breach of social obligations?	(Yes / No) If yes please provide details at 2.2 (f)
2.2(d)	Breach of labour law obligations?	(Yes / No) If yes please provide details at 2.2 (f)
2.2(e)	Shown significant or persistent deficiencies in the performance of a substantive requirement under a prior public contract, a prior contract with a contracting entity, or a prior concession contract, which led to early termination of that prior contract, damages or other comparable sanctions?	(Yes / No) If yes please provide details at 2.2 (f)
2.2 (f)	If you have answered Yes to any of the above, explain what measures	

been taken to demonstrate the	
reliability of the organisation despite	
the existence of a relevant ground	
for exclusion? (Self Cleaning)	

# **Annex 2 Acceptance of Terms and Conditions**

I/We accept in full the terms and conditions appended to this Request for Quot document.
Company
Signature
Print Name
Position
Date