

United Kingdom-Belfast: Bacteriological analysis services
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Contract award notice – utilities
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: NI Water and its Subsidiaries

Postal address: Westland House

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

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Country: United Kingdom

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Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.2. Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.6. Main activity

Water

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

C1016 NI Water — Collection and Transportation of Water and Wastewater Samples

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85111820 Bacteriological analysis services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

This is the PQQ stage of the above contract. This Contract is for the following services:

- sampling of water, waste water and Cryptosporidium filters from locations throughout Northern Ireland,
- subsequent transportation of the samples to a specified NI Water laboratory (Gelvin Grange, Altnagelvin, Co. Londonderry or Westland House, Old Westland Road, Belfast) for analysis. Economic Operators should refer to the Appendix 2 (a) Draft Specification for detailed information on requirements.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 6 970 910,00 GBP

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79723000 Waste analysis services, 71900000 Laboratory services, 72316000 Data analysis services, 90733000 Services related to water pollution, 60100000 Road transport services, 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport), 60161000 Parcel transport services, 63100000 Cargo handling and storage services, 63000000 Supporting and auxiliary transport services; travel agencies services, 64120000 Courier services, 64100000 Post and courier services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKN Northern Ireland

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Implementation plan / Weighting: 24

Quality criterion - Name: Contingency arrangements / Weighting: 18

Quality criterion - Name: Major incident plan / Weighting: 18

Cost criterion - Name: Total cost / Weighting: 40

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

Initial contract period of three (3) years with the option to extend for two periods of one (1) year each.

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

II.2.14. Additional information

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2020/S 144-356064](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a periodic indicative notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Title:

C1016 NI Water — Collection and Transportation of Water and Wastewater Samples

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

24/02/2021

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: RPS Environmental Management Ltd

Postal address: 20 Western Avenue, Milton Park

Town: Abingdon

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: OX14 4SH

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: servicesbids@rpsgroup.com

Telephone: +44 1925847917

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Total value of the contract/lot: 6 970 910,00 GBP

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

V.2.6. Price paid for bargain purchases

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: NI Water and its Subsidiaries

Town: Belfast

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

24/02/2021