

**United Kingdom-Argyll: Tree-clearing services**  
**OJ S 80/2019 24/04/2019**  
**Contract notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Argyll and the Isles Coast and Countryside Trust (ACT)

Postal address: 1 Kilmory Industrial Estate, Lochgilphead

Town: Argyll

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: PA31 8RR

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Sarah Edwards

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.act-now.org.uk](http://www.act-now.org.uk)

Address of the buyer profile: [https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA28363](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA28363)

**I.3. Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at:

[www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk](http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk)

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: [www.](http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk)

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**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Other type: Charity

**I.5. Main activity**

Environment

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1. Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1. Title**

Rhododendron Removal and Eradication, Eilean na Muice Duibhe SSSI, SAC, SPA

Reference number: ACT CANN 007

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

77211300 Tree-clearing services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4. Short description**

Suitably qualified tenderers are invited to submit a tender for the removal and eradication of rhododendron ponticum from Eilean na Muice Duibhe Site of special scientific interest, special area of conservation and special protection area, Isle of Islay.  
Isle of Islay.

#### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 114 000,00 EUR

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

77300000 Horticultural services

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKM63 Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute  
Main site or place of performance: Eilean na Muice Duibhe SSSI/SAC/SPA. Isle of Islay.

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

ACT are inviting suitably qualified tenderes to submit a tender for the contract to remove and eradicate rhododendron ponticum from Eilean na Muice Duibhe SSSI/SAC/SPA.  
Isle of Islay.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Methodology / Weighting: 80

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 114 000,00 GBP

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/09/2019 End: 30/09/2021

This contract is subject to renewal: no

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: no

#### **II.2.13. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:  
yes

Identification of the project: Collaborative Action of the Natura Network (CANN) INTERREG  
VA Programme

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### **III.2. Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Description**

#### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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: yes

### **IV.2. Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 30/05/2019 Local time: 12:00

#### **IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

#### **IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 30/09/2021

#### **IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 30/05/2019 Local time: 12:00

Place:

ACT Islay

SNH Office

Main Street

Bowmore

Isle fo Islay

Argyll

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Sarah Edwards (Site Coordinator). Deb Baker (Support Officer).

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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### **VI.1.**

**Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.2. Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

**VI.3. Additional information**

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**VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

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**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

22/04/2019