

**United Kingdom-Caerphilly: Food, beverages, tobacco and related products**

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Contract notice

Supplies

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: The Welsh Ministers — National Procurement Service (Welsh Government)

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The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/home.html>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/home.html>**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

**I.5. Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

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**II.1. Scope of the procurement****II.1.1. Title**

NPS Framework Agreement for the Supply and Distribution of Packaged Food and Beverages.

Reference number: NPS-Food-0069-16

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products

### **II.1.3. Type of contract**

Supplies

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

The NPS is tendering to procure a Framework Agreement for the Supply and Distribution of Packaged Foods and Beverages. The purpose of this procurement is to identify bidders which represent, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this notice and accompanying Invitation to Tender.

The NPS intends to award a number of places on the framework lots to a pre determined maximum number of successful bidders as defined within each lot description. The Framework Agreement is scheduled to commence in November 2017, let for an initial period of 2 years, with an option to extend for a further 2 years (on a year on year basis).

The Invitation to Tender (ITT) documentation can be accessed via <https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>. Site registration is free of charge.

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

Value excluding VAT: 53 000 000,00 GBP

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

This contract is divided into lots: yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

## **II.2. Description**

### **II.2.1. Title**

Frozen Products

Lot No: 4

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution of Frozen Products. There are 32 geographical zones within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

GBP 28800000.00 exc vat

Zones =

Zone 1 Blaenau Gwent

Zone 2 Bridgend

Zone 3 Caerphilly

Zone 4 Cardiff

Zone 5 Carmarthenshire

Zone 6 Ceredigion

Zone 7 Conwy

Zone 8 Denbighshire

Zone 9 Flintshire

Zone 10 Gwynedd  
Zone 11 Isle Of Anglesey  
Zone 12 Merthyr Tydfil  
Zone 13 Monmouthshire  
Zone 14 Neath Port Talbot  
Zone 15 Newport  
Zone 16 Pembrokeshire  
Zone 17 Powys– North  
Zone 18 Powys — South  
Zone 19 Rhondda Cynon Taf  
Zone 20 City and County of Swansea  
Zone 21 Torfaen  
Zone 22 Vale of Glamorgan  
Zone 23 Wrexham  
Zone 24 Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board  
Zone 25 Aneurin Bevan Health Board  
Zone 26 Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board  
Zone 27 Cardiff and Vale University Health Board  
Zone 28 Cwm Taf Health Board  
Zone 29 Hywel Dda Health Board  
Zone 30 Powys Teaching Health Board  
Zone 31 Velindre NHS Trust  
Zone 32 All Wales

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Geographical Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot to a maximum of 5 Framework Providers per geographical zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 28 800 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Ambient Milk and Cream Products  
Lot No: 6

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

15510000 Milk and cream

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Ambient Milk and Cream Products. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-  
290000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 290 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

**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:  
no

**II.2.14. Additional information**

**II.2. Description**

**II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Biscuits  
Lot No: 7

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

15821200 Sweet biscuits

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Biscuits. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

220000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

**II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

**II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 220 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

## **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:  
no

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

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Breakfast Cereals

Lot No: 8

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

15613310 Prepared breakfast cereals

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Breakfast Cereals.

There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

70000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary Framework Provider and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 70 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Breakfast Oats

Lot No: 9

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

03211600 Oats, 15613100 Ground oats, 15613380 Rolled oats

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Breakfast Oats.

There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

40000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 40 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Breakfast Wheat Biscuits

Lot No: 10

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

15613310 Prepared breakfast cereals

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Breakfast Wheat Biscuits. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

160000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 160 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Cooking Oil

Lot No: 12

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

15411200 Cooking oil

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Cooking Oil. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

80000.00 GBP exc vat

## Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 80 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Cake Mix

Lot No: 13

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

15612410 Cake mixes

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Cake Mix. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

40000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 40 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Desserts, Dessert Mixes & Custards

Lot No: 14

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

15833100 Desserts, 15893200 Dessert mixes, 15626000 Custard powder

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Desserts, Dessert Mixes & Custards. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

40000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 40 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Flour

Lot No: 15

##### **II.2.2.**

**Additional CPV code(s)**

15612130 Plain flour, 15612190 Self-raising flour

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Flour. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

24000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

**II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

**II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 24 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

**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:  
no

**II.2.14. Additional information****II.2. Description**

**II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Jams and Preserves  
Lot No: 16

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

15332200 Jams and marmalades; fruit jellies; fruit or nut purée and pastes, 15332290 Jams

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Jams and Preserves. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

50000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

**II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

**II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 50 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

**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:  
no

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

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Stock, Bouillon and Gravy Mix  
Lot No: 17

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

15893300 Gravy mixes, 15891600 Stocks

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Stock, Bouillon and Gravy Mix. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-  
46000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 46 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Sugar  
Lot No: 18

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

15830000 Sugar and related products, 15831000 Sugar

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Sugar. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

80000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 80 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

##### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Fruit Juices including fruit juice cuplets  
Lot No: 22

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

15321000 Fruit juices, 15320000 Fruit and vegetable juices

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Fruit Juices including fruit juice cuplets. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-  
240000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 240 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

**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:  
no

**II.2.14. Additional information**

**II.2. Description**

**II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Drinking Squash  
Lot No: 23

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

15982100 Fruit squashes

**II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Drinking Squash. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

60000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

**II.2.5. Award criteria**

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

**II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 60 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

## **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:  
no

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

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Soft Beverages, Bottled Water, Confectionery

Lot No: 5

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15980000 Non-alcoholic beverages , 15842300 Confectionery, 15981100 Still mineral water, 15981200 Sparkling mineral water, 15981400 Flavoured mineral waters, 15842000 Chocolate and sugar confectionery

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution of Soft Beverages, Bottled Water, Confectionery, Crisps and Snacks. There are 32 geographical zones within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

GBP 8300000.00 exc vat

Zones =

Zone 1 Blaenau Gwent

Zone 2 Bridgend

Zone 3 Caerphilly

Zone 4 Cardiff

Zone 5 Carmarthenshire

Zone 6 Ceredigion

Zone 7 Conwy

Zone 8 Denbighshire

Zone 9 Flintshire

Zone 10 Gwynedd

Zone 11 Isle Of Anglesey

Zone 12 Merthyr Tydfil  
Zone 13 Monmouthshire  
Zone 14 Neath Port Talbot  
Zone 15 Newport  
Zone 16 Pembrokeshire  
Zone 17 Powys– North  
Zone 18 Powys — South  
Zone 19 Rhondda Cynon Taf  
Zone 20 City and County of Swansea  
Zone 21 Torfaen  
Zone 22 Vale of Glamorgan  
Zone 23 Wrexham  
Zone 24 Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board  
Zone 25 Aneurin Bevan Health Board  
Zone 26 Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board  
Zone 27 Cardiff and Vale University Health Board  
Zone 28 Cwm Taf Health Board  
Zone 29 Hywel Dda Health Board  
Zone 30 Powys Teaching Health Board  
Zone 31 Velindre NHS Trust  
Zone 32 All Wales

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Geographical Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot to a maximum of 5 Framework Providers per geographical zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 8 300 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Other Cereals, Pasta and Rice  
Lot No: 21

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

15851100 Uncooked pasta, 03211300 Rice

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Other Cereals, Pasta and Rice. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

120000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 120 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Hot Beverages

Lot No: 20

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

15860000 Coffee, tea and related products, 15842210 Drinking chocolate

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Hot Beverages.

There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

1400000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 1 400 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Ambient Groceries — Various  
Lot No: 19

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15870000 Condiments and seasonings, 15871000 Vinegar; sauces; mixed condiments; mustard flour and meal; prepared mustard, 15871200 Sauces, mixed condiments and mixed seasonings, 14420000 Sea salt, 03212000 Potatoes and dried vegetables

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Ambient Groceries — Various. There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

400000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 400 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

## **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:  
no

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

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

#### **II.2.1. Title**

NHS Stores — Canned Foods

Lot No: 11

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15240000 Canned or tinned fish and other prepared or preserved fish, 15331423 Canned tomatoes, 15241100 Canned salmon , 15241400 Canned tuna, 15331400 Preserved and/or canned vegetables, 15331460 Canned vegetables, 15331462 Canned peas, 15331410 Beans in tomato sauce

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution to NHS Stores — of Canned Foods.

There is 1 Zone (which includes 3 delivery locations) within this lot with the following indicative overall expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

800000.00 GBP exc vat

Zone 33 NHS Stores:-

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 800 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Ambient Groceries

Lot No: 3

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15851100 Uncooked pasta, 15871000 Vinegar; sauces; mixed condiments; mustard flour and meal; prepared mustard, 15871200 Sauces, mixed condiments and mixed seasonings, 15871260 Sauces, 15312100 Instant mashed potatoes, 15612110 Wholemeal flour, 15612190 Self-raising flour, 15612130 Plain flour, 15612100 Wheat flour, 03211300 Rice, 15831000 Sugar, 15831500 Sugar syrups, 15833000 Sugar products, 15613310 Prepared breakfast cereals, 15332200 Jams and marmalades; fruit jellies; fruit or nut purée and pastes, 15893200 Dessert mixes, 15833100 Desserts, 15891600 Stocks, 15893300 Gravy mixes, 15860000 Coffee, tea and related products, 15511210 UHT milk, 15821200 Sweet biscuits, 15411200 Cooking oil, 15320000 Fruit and vegetable juices, 15982100 Fruit squashes, 15240000 Canned or tinned fish and other prepared or preserved fish, 15241100 Canned salmon, 15241400 Canned tuna, 15331400 Preserved and/or canned vegetables, 15331423 Canned tomatoes, 15331460 Canned vegetables, 15331462 Canned peas, 15870000 Condiments and seasonings

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution of Ambient Groceries (to include store lines within product list). There are 32 geographical zones within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the term of the agreement (2 years):-

GBP 15900000.00 exc vat

Zones =

Zone 1 Blaenau Gwent

Zone 2 Bridgend

Zone 3 Caerphilly

Zone 4 Cardiff

Zone 5 Carmarthenshire

Zone 6 Ceredigion

Zone 7 Conwy

Zone 8 Denbighshire

Zone 9 Flintshire

Zone 10 Gwynedd

Zone 11 Isle Of Anglesey

Zone 12 Merthyr Tydfil

Zone 13 Monmouthshire

Zone 14 Neath Port Talbot

Zone 15 Newport

Zone 16 Pembrokeshire

Zone 17 Powys– North

Zone 18 Powys — South

Zone 19 Rhondda Cynon Taf

Zone 20 City and County of Swansea

Zone 21 Torfaen

Zone 22 Vale of Glamorgan

Zone 23 Wrexham

Zone 24 Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board

Zone 25 Aneurin Bevan Health Board

Zone 26 Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board

Zone 27 Cardiff and Vale University Health Board

Zone 28 Cwm Taf Health Board

Zone 29 Hywel Dda Health Board

Zone 30 Powys Teaching Health Board

Zone 31 Velindre NHS Trust

Zone 32 All Wales

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Geographical Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot to a maximum of 5 Framework Providers per geographical zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 15 900 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

All Packaged Food and Beverages

Lot No: 1

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15221000 Frozen fish, 15555100 Ice cream, 15833100 Desserts, 15131640 Beefburgers, 15331100 Fresh or frozen vegetables, 15311100 Chips or french fries, 15851100 Uncooked pasta, 15871260 Sauces, 15871000 Vinegar; sauces; mixed condiments; mustard flour and meal; prepared mustard, 15871200 Sauces, mixed condiments and mixed seasonings, 15331428 Tomato sauce, 15331410 Beans in tomato sauce, 15312100 Instant mashed potatoes, 15612100 Wheat flour, 15612110 Wholemeal flour, 15612130 Plain flour, 15612190 Self-raising flour, 03211300 Rice, 15830000 Sugar and related products, 15831500 Sugar syrups, 15833000 Sugar products, 15613310 Prepared breakfast cereals, 15332200 Jams and marmalades; fruit jellies; fruit or nut purée and pastes, 15893200 Dessert mixes, 15891600 Stocks, 15893300 Gravy mixes, 15860000 Coffee, tea and related products, 15511210 UHT milk, 15821200 Sweet biscuits, 15411200 Cooking oil, 15321000 Fruit juices, 15320000 Fruit and vegetable juices, 15982100 Fruit squashes, 15229000 Frozen fish products, 15311000 Frozen potatoes, 15311200 Diced, sliced and other frozen potatoes, 15896000 Deep-frozen products, 15812121 Savoury pies, 15812122 Sweet pies, 15240000 Canned or tinned fish and other prepared or preserved fish, 15241100 Canned salmon, 15241400 Canned tuna, 15331400 Preserved and/or canned vegetables, 15331423 Canned tomatoes, 15331460 Canned vegetables, 15331462 Canned peas, 15870000 Condiments and seasonings, 15871270 Mixed condiments, 15850000 Pasta

products, 15851200 Prepared pasta and couscous, 15851290 Canned pasta, 15131500 Poultry products, 15842210 Drinking chocolate, 14420000 Sea salt, 15626000 Custard powder

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution of all Packaged food and beverages.

There are 32 geographical zones within this lot with the overall following indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the agreement (2 years):-

GBP 53000000.00 exc vat

Zones =

Zone 1 Blaenau Gwent

Zone 2 Bridgend

Zone 3 Caerphilly

Zone 4 Cardiff

Zone 5 Carmarthenshire

Zone 6 Ceredigion

Zone 7 Conwy

Zone 8 Denbighshire

Zone 9 Flintshire

Zone 10 Gwynedd

Zone 11 Isle Of Anglesey

Zone 12 Merthyr Tydfil

Zone 13 Monmouthshire

Zone 14 Neath Port Talbot

Zone 15 Newport

Zone 16 Pembrokeshire

Zone 17 Powys– North

Zone 18 Powys — South

Zone 19 Rhondda Cynon Taf

Zone 20 City and County of Swansea

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Zone 29 Hywel Dda Health Board

Zone 30 Powys Teaching Health Board

Zone 31 Velindre NHS Trust

Zone 32 All Wales

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Geographical Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary Framework Provider and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical /Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 53 000 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

#### **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:  
no

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

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

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Ambient and Frozen Products

Lot No: 2

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

15000000 Food, beverages, tobacco and related products, 15221000 Frozen fish, 15555100 Ice cream, 15833100 Desserts, 15131640 Beefburgers, 15331100 Fresh or frozen vegetables, 15311100 Chips or french fries, 15851100 Uncooked pasta, 15871260 Sauces, 15331428 Tomato sauce, 15331410 Beans in tomato sauce, 15871200 Sauces, mixed condiments and mixed seasonings, 15312100 Instant mashed potatoes, 15612100 Wheat flour, 03211300 Rice, 15830000 Sugar and related products, 15831500 Sugar syrups, 15833000 Sugar products, 15613310 Prepared breakfast cereals, 15332200 Jams and marmalades; fruit jellies; fruit or nut purée and pastes, 15893200 Dessert mixes, 15891600 Stocks, 15893300 Gravy mixes, 15860000 Coffee, tea and related products, 15511210 UHT milk, 15821200 Sweet biscuits, 15411200 Cooking oil, 15321000 Fruit juices, 15320000 Fruit and vegetable juices, 15982100 Fruit squashes, 15311000 Frozen potatoes, 15331170 Frozen vegetables, 15896000 Deep-frozen products, 15812121 Savoury pies, 15812122 Sweet pies, 15240000 Canned or tinned

fish and other prepared or preserved fish, 15241100 Canned salmon, 15241400 Canned tuna, 15331400 Preserved and/or canned vegetables, 15331460 Canned vegetables, 15331462 Canned peas, 15870000 Condiments and seasonings, 15871000 Vinegar; sauces; mixed condiments; mustard flour and meal; prepared mustard, 15871270 Mixed condiments, 15850000 Pasta products, 15851200 Prepared pasta and couscous, 15851290 Canned pasta, 15891610 Mixes for stocks, 15131500 Poultry products, 15842210 Drinking chocolate, 14420000 Sea salt, 15626000 Custard powder

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

NUTS code: UKL Wales

Main site or place of performance: Defined Geographical zones that provide all Wales coverage (see 11.2.4 for details of geographical zoning).

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

This Framework lot is for the supply and distribution of Ambient and Frozen Products. There are 32 geographical zones within this lot with the following overall indicative expenditure values for the initial term of the framework agreement (2 years) :-

GBP 44700000.00 exc vat

Zones =

Zone 1 Blaenau Gwent

Zone 2 Bridgend

Zone 3 Caerphilly

Zone 4 Cardiff

Zone 5 Carmarthenshire

Zone 6 Ceredigion

Zone 7 Conwy

Zone 8 Denbighshire

Zone 9 Flintshire

Zone 10 Gwynedd

Zone 11 Isle of Anglesey

Zone 12 Merthyr Tydfil

Zone 13 Monmouthshire

Zone 14 Neath Port Talbot

Zone 15 Newport

Zone 16 Pembrokeshire

Zone 17 Powys– North

Zone 18 Powys — South

Zone 19 Rhondda Cynon Taf

Zone 20 City and County of Swansea

Zone 21 Torfaen

Zone 22 Vale of Glamorgan

Zone 23 Wrexham

Zone 24 Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board

Zone 25 Aneurin Bevan Health Board

Zone 26 Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board

Zone 27 Cardiff and Vale University Health Board

Zone 28 Cwm Taf Health Board

Zone 29 Hywel Dda Health Board

Zone 30 Powys Teaching Health Board

Zone 31 Velindre NHS Trust

## Zone 32 All Wales

The aforementioned Lots and their associated Geographical Zones are not restricted to specific Customer Organisations i.e. Customer Organisations can commission through any of the lots and the associated geographical zones.

The purpose of this procurement is to identify Bidders which represents, from the point of view of the NPS and representatives from its Customer Organisations, the most economically advantageous solution for the supply and distribution of specified delivered products as specified within this ITT.

The NPS intends to award this lot on the basis of one primary Framework Provider and two contingent Framework Providers per zone.

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

Criteria below

Quality criterion - Name: Technical /Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Value excluding VAT: 44 700 000,00 GBP

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The period of the Framework Agreement will be awarded on the basis of an initial period of two (2) years with an option for the NPS to extend the Framework Agreement up to a further one (1) + one (1) years.

### **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:  
no

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

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

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

#### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

NPS will only accept certification to the following standards:

BRC Global Standard for Food Safety (Issue 7) ·

BRC Global Standard for Storage & Distribution (Issue 3) ·

BRC Global Standards for Agents & Brokers (Issue 1) ·

STS Code of Practice & Technical Standard for Suppliers to the Public Sector ·

STS Code of Practice for Manufacture, Distribution & Supply of Food Ingredients by Small or Regional Suppliers (small and micro suppliers only) ·

SALSA (Issue 4) (small and micro suppliers only).

NO OTHER AUDIT CERTIFICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.

IF YOU DO NOT HOLD CERTIFICATION LISTED ABOVE PRIOR TO THE TENDER SUBMISSION DEADLINE THIS WILL RESULT IN YOUR BID NOT BEING SUBJECTED TO FURTHER EVALUATION, AS THIS IS A MANDATORY REQUIREMENT AND THEREFORE THIS WOULD CONSTITUTE A NON-COMPLIANT BID.

If Bidders hold BRC or SALSA certification, this must have also been approved by STS prior to tender submission.

IMPORTANT NOTE: BIDDERS WILL NEED TO GAIN STS APPROVAL PRIOR TO THE TENDER SUBMISSION DEADLINE.

STS APPROVAL IS A MANDATORY REQUIREMENT AND THEREFORE IF THIS IS NOT HELD AT THE POINT OF TENDER SUBMISSION THIS WOULD CONSTITUTE A NON-COMPLIANT BID.

Failure to gain STS approval prior to the tender submission deadline will result in the bid not being subjected to further evaluation.

For further guidance please see STS link below: <http://www.sts-solutions.co.uk> Prior to award stage if you are successful NPS will request a copy of the certification/approval by STS.

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

List and brief description of selection criteria:

As set out in the procurement documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

As set out in the procurement documents.

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

List and brief description of selection criteria:

As set out in the procurement documents.

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

### **III.2.2. Contract performance conditions**

Details of the conditions are set out in the procurement documents. These may include conditions relating to social, environmental and/or employment-related considerations.

## **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**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

#### **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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2016/S 214-389415](#)

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

Date: 14/09/2017 Local time: 14:00

#### **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, Welsh

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

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date: 14/09/2017 Local time: 15:00

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

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#### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published:

The term of the Framework Agreement is for an initial period of two years with the ability to extend for up to a further two years (year on year extension).

Therefore this Framework Agreement will be re procured on this basis.

#### **VI.3. Additional information**

The Framework will be open for use by the following bodies:

- Welsh Ministers, their agencies, sponsored and statutory bodies and other contracting authorities funded by them.
- The Welsh Assembly Commission
- Any company, limited liability partnership or other corporate entity wholly or partly owned by or controlled (directly or indirectly) by Welsh Government
- UK Government, their agencies, companies and limited liability partnerships or other entities, wholly or partly owned by or controlled by departments of the UK Govt and which operate in Wales. Non-ministerial governmental departments which operate devolved offices in Wales
- Local Authorities in Wales their agencies, companies and limited liability partnerships or other corporate entities wholly or partly owned by or controlled by and any county and county borough, city, community or other council or local authority in Wales
- Caerphilly County Borough Council nor Gwynedd Council will be using this framework. However both councils reserve the right to use the framework in the future.
- Contracting authorities established for the provision of culture, media and sport in Wales
- NHS Health Boards in Wales, NHS Trusts in Wales, Special Health Authorities in Wales, Community Health Councils in Wales, the NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership and Board of Community Health Councils and any other contracting authorities operating within or on behalf of the NHS in Wales
- Higher and further education bodies in Wales
- Police and crime commissioners and police forces in England and Wales; national park, and fire and rescue authorities in Wales
- Wales Council for Voluntary Action and associated bodies
- RSLs in Wales.
- Schools, sixth-form colleges, foundation schools and academies in Wales

— One Voice Wales (Town & Community Councils)in Wales

— The above shall include subsidiaries of the contracting authority at any level.

In the event of merger, abolition or change of any of the contracting authorities listed or referred to above, the successors to those authorities or to their functions will also be able to enter into contracts under this agreement.

The Welsh Ministers (NPS) will not be liable for any bidder costs arising from the non award of this agreement.

The National Procurement Service (NPS) will be holding the following Bidder Information Events:-

22/08/2017 at Waterton Centre, Waterton Industrial Estate, Bridgend, CF31 3WT

23/08/2017 at Welsh Government, Sarn Mynach, Llandudno Junction, Conwy. LL31 9RZ

To register your interest please either email [NPSFood@gov.wales](mailto:NPSFood@gov.wales) or respond through the etenderwales portal by 18/08/2017 17.00hrs.

NOTE: The authority is using eTenderwales to carry out this procurement process. To obtain further information record your interest on Sell2Wales at [http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search\\_switch.aspx?ID=69409](http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search_switch.aspx?ID=69409)

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

Community Benefits in a procurement context is about ensuring that wider social and economic issues are considered when tendering contracts, to maximise the investment as widely as possible. The Client is committed to delivering community benefits in public sector procurement throughout Wales through its sourcing activity.

Community Benefits will be a non-Core requirement and will not form part of the evaluation scoring process. However, submission of a non-Core Community Benefits proposal will be a condition of a compliant Tender.

Non-Core Community Benefits proposals should be planned on a cost-neutral basis.

The successful Framework Providers will be required to develop and implement the Community Benefits proposals throughout the life of the Framework.

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The buyer considers that this contract is suitable for consortia.

#### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: see VI.4.3 below

Town: see VI.4.3 below

Country: United Kingdom

Telephone: +44 3007900170

Internet address: <http://npswales.gov.uk>

##### **VI.4.3. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

The contracting authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to Bidders. The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015 no 102) (as amended) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland). Any such action must be started within 30 days beginning with the date when the aggrieved party first knew or ought to have known that grounds for starting the proceedings had arisen. The Court may extend the time limit for

starting proceedings where the Court considers that there is a good reason for doing so but not so as to permit proceedings to be started more than 3 months after that date. Where a contract has not been entered into, the Court may order the setting aside of the award decision or doer the contracting authority to amend any document and may awarded damages. If the contract has been entered into the Court may only award damages or, where the contract award procedures have not been followed correctly, declare the contract to be 'ineffective'.

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

11/08/2017