

**Ireland-Dublin: Environmental issues consultancy services**

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Contract award notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Department of the Environment, Climate and Communications

National registration number: NA

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Town: Dublin

NUTS code: IE0 Ireland

Postal code: Dublin 2

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

**I.5. Main activity**

Environment

**Section II: Object**

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

Tender for the provision of support to draft the 2nd Statutory National Adaptation Framework

Reference number: 2nd NAF - NP1

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

90713000 Environmental issues consultancy services

**II.1.3. Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4. Short description**

The Minister for the Environment, Climate and Communications is looking for a supplier for the provision of support to draft the 2nd Statutory NAF, in order to align the NAF to existing and

emerging policy areas at national, EU and International level as well as legal requirements set out in climate legislation. The successful tenderer will need to undertake significant engagement with relevant stakeholders as part of the contract.

Also integral to the drafting of the 2nd NAF, is a requirement to update in parallel existing national guidance for the development of Sectoral Adaptation Plans in line with recommendations contained in the 2022 Review of NAF. These Guidelines will be used by Government Departments to draft sectoral adaptation plans prepared under the NAF. This work is integrally linked to the successful implementation of the NAF and will also need to be accounted for in the tender.

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

This contract is divided into lots: no

#### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 200 000,00 EUR

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

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

90713000 Environmental issues consultancy services

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

NUTS code: IE0 Ireland

Main site or place of performance: Dublin 2 D02X285

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Methodology / Weighting: 200

Quality criterion - Name: Experience and Qualifications / Weighting: 450

Quality criterion - Name: Green Public Procurement / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 300

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

Options: yes

Description of options:

One possible 6 months extension

#### **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**

The Department of the Environment, Climate & Communications awards a contract for the provision of support to draft the 2nd Statutory National Adaptation Framework, to align this Framework to existing and emerging policy areas, legal requirements and to undertake engagement with relevant stakeholders. The ambition is to develop a new NAF.

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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

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

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- No tenders or no suitable tenders/requests to participate in response to open procedure

Explanation:

The RFT was advertised on eTenders on 21 March with tenders to be submitted by close of business 21 April, 2023. 22 expressions of interest were logged for the RFT but no tender was submitted. DECC subsequently initiated a negotiated procedure without prior publication under Article 32 of the EU procurement directive.

DECC met with the contracted supplier on 12 May to discuss the possibility of a negotiated procurement procedure. KPMG confirmed that on an initial examination, the timelines and indicated cost of the project (€150,000-€200,000) were achievable. KPMG submitted a proposal on 19 May, 2023 to the Department which was deemed acceptable and in line with the original RFT.

The cost at €195,738 (ex VAT) is within the parameters of the original estimate. Following consideration of the cost, timeline and team proposed, the proposal was deemed good value for money.

#### **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.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system**

#### **IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

## **Section V: Award of contract**

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**Contract No:** 1

**Title:**

Tender for the provision of support to draft the 2nd Statutory National Adaptation Framework

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

### **V.2. Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1.**

**Date of conclusion of the contract**

15/06/2023

**V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

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

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: KPMG

National registration number: IE9F54042G

Postal address: 1 Stokes Place, Dublin 2

Town: Dublin 2

NUTS code: IE0 Ireland

Country: Ireland

The contractor is an SME: no

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 200 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 195 738,00 EUR

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting****Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.3. Additional information****VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: High Court of Ireland

Town: Dublin

Country: Ireland

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

15/06/2023