SUMMARY

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SCOPE

Contractors on this Framework Agreement can provide, as a minimum:

- Contractual coverage for the supply of quality services to all regions of Scotland and wider UK
- Wide product/services list with controlled, fixed pricing
- Risk Assessment Services
  - Testing of Samples
  - Analysis by independent accredited Laboratory
  - Certified reports
- Water Treatment Services
  - Sampling of Water systems for Legionella, Biofilms and coliforms
  - Analysis by independent accredited Laboratory
  - Full certified reporting
  - Treatment and maintenance of water systems
  - Training services for monitoring and treatment of water systems

AGREEMENT BENEFITS

- Reduction in administrative costs and efforts.
- Ceiling rates/maximum pricing defined and agreed for the duration of the Framework Agreement. This pricing can be reduced further at time of mini competition or through using the Desktop Calculator.
- Effective reporting mechanism to obtain accurate, timely and relevant management information.
- Shared risk and management of Contractors.
- Accessibility to institutions throughout the UK with the inclusion of additional consortia
- Access to good quality service providers, most of which are SMEs

USING THE FRAMEWORK

SUPPLIERS

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<td>Lot 1 - 5 - Risk Assessment Services (Regional Lots)</td>
<td>ChemTech Consultancy Ltd, ECG Facilities Services, HBE Risk Management, Integrated Water Services (IWS), SMS Environmental Ltd</td>
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<td>Lot 6 - Water Quality treatment Services (including sampling and treatment of legionella) (UK nationwide)</td>
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<td>Lot 7 - One Stop Shop for provision of full Water Quality Management Services (UK nationwide)</td>
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SUSTAINABILITY
• Reduction in waste – packaging and/or further use of residue from processes etc.
• Reduction in consumption – use of raw materials (consumables, utilities etc.)
• Recycling and/or reuse of products.
• Enhanced Reputation and/or marketing opportunities.
• Carbon Reduction
• Social, equality and/or environmental improvements.
• Fair Work i.e. Contractors paying Living Wage/accredited

**NEXT STEPS**