

# **Professional Service Contract**

# **Contract Data Forms**

(with amendments January 2019)

This agreement is made between the Client, the Consultant and the Named Suppliers.

Terms in this agreement have the meanings given to them in the contract between the Environment Agency and AECOM Ltd for Provision of integrated services for the South East Hub (the service).

The Consultant offers to Provide the Services in accordance with these conditions of contract for an amount to be determined in accordance with these conditions of contract.

The Consultant was appointed to the framework and executed the framework agreement (with reference number RM6165).

by

Environment Agency. . . . . (Client)



For and on behalf of



## **Contract Data**

## PART ONE - DATA PROVIDED BY THE CLIENT

Completion of the data in full, according to the Options chosen, is essential to create a complete contract.

#### 1 General

The *conditions of contract* are the core clauses and the clauses for the following main Option, the Option for resolving and avoiding disputes and secondary Options of the NEC4 Professional Service Contract June 2017 (with amendments January 2019)

Main Option

E

Option for resolving and avoiding disputes

W2

Secondary Options

X2, X9, X11, X18, Y(UK)2, Z1, Z2, Z3, Z5, Z8, Z9, Z12, Z125, Z130, Z131

The service is

Provision of project management and navigation programme coordinator for an initial period of 12 months. The parties can agree to extend the contract through a single extension or multiple extensions for an additional period of up to 12 months, or a period of time that allows for services to be procured under a new Environment Agency or alternative framework, which ever may be the later date.

The Client is

Name

**Environment Agency** 

Address for communications

Horizon House Deanery Road Bristol BS1 5AH

Address for electronic communications

enquiries@environment-agency.gov.uk

The Service Manager is

Name

Address for communications

Environment Agency Guildbourne House Chatsworth Road Worthing West Sussex BN11 1LD

Address for electronic communications

The Scope is in

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	The language of the contract is	English			
	The law of the contract is the law of		es, subject to the courts of England and		
	The period for reply is	2 weeks	except that		
	<ul> <li>The period for reply for</li> </ul>	n/a	is n/a		
	<ul> <li>The period for reply for</li> </ul>	n/a	is n/a		
	The following matters will be included in the		etion or earlier termination		
	None				
	Early warning meetings are to be held at in	ntervals no			
	longer than		4 weeks		
2 The Consultant's m	ain responsibilities				
f the <i>Client</i> has identified	The key dates and conditions to be met are				
work which is set to meet a stated <i>condition</i> by a <i>key</i>	condition to be met key date				
date	(1)				
	(2)				
	(3)				
f Option A is used	The Consultant prepares forecasts of the	e total <i>expenses</i> at			
	intervals no longer than		4 weeks		
f Option C or E is used	The Consultant prepares forecasts of the plus Fee and expenses at intervals no lor		4 weeks		
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3 Time					
	The s <i>tarting date</i> is		30/09/2024		
			30,00,2021		

		e following perso	no, places and	rumgs
ac	ccess		а	ccess date
(1)	Environment Agency Off required	fices and all syste	ems	30/09/2024
(2)				
(3)				
		ed programmes a	it intervals no	4 weeks
The	completion date for the wh	nole of the servic	e is	30/09/2025
				2 weeks
	period after the Contract I	Date within which	the <i>Consultar</i>	nt
	•			4 weeks, if not previously provided by the <i>Consultant</i>
The	period between Completic	on of the whole o	f the service	
and	the defects date is			26 weeks
The c	currency of the contract is	the		£ sterling
The a	assessment interval is			Monthly
The ex	penses stated by the Clie	nt are		
item		am	ount	
The i	nterest rate is 2	% per annu	m (not less tha	in 2) above the
Bas	е	rate of the	Bank of Engl	and bank
The p	period within which payme	nts are made is	1 Month	
Cons for the	ultant provides a charge e cost of support people	All UK offices		
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If Option C is used	The Consultant's sh			
	share range		Consultant's	share percentage
	less than		%	%
	from	% to	%	%
	from	% to	%	%
	greater than		%	%
If Option C or E is used	The exchange rate	es are those published in	Financial Times	
	on 01/10/2024	(date)		
6 Compensation eve	ents			
If there are additional	These are additional None	al compensation events		
8 Liabilities and ins	urance			
If there are additional	These are additional Client's liabilities			
Client's liabilities	(1)			
	(2)			

The minimum amount of cover and the periods for which the *Consultant* maintains insurance are

EVENT	MINIMUM AMOUNT OF COVER	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION
The Consultant's failure to use the skill and care normally used by professionals providing services similar to the service	£1 million in respect of each claim, without limit to the number of claims	6 years following Completion of the whole works or earlier termination
Loss of or damage to property and liability for bodily injury to or death of a person (not an employee of the <i>Consultant</i> ) arising from or in connection with the <i>Consultant</i> Providing the Service	Whichever is greater of £5 million or the amount required by law in respect of each event, without limit to the number of events	12 months
Death of or bodily injury to employees of the <i>Consultant</i> arising out of and in the course of their employment in connection with the contract	Whichever is greater of £5 million or the amount required by law in respect of each event, without limit to the number of events	For the period required by law

The Consultant provides these additional insurances

(1) Insurance against	n/a			
Minimum amount of cover is	n/a			
The deductibles are	n/a			
(2) Insurance against	n/a			
Minimum amount of cover is	n/a			
The deductibles are	n/a			
(3) Insurance against	n/a			
Minimum amount of cover is	n/a			
The deductibles are	n/a			
The Consultant's total liability to the Client for all matters				

The *Consultant's* total liability to the *Client* for all matters arising under or in connection with the contract, other than the excluded matters is limited to

£1 million

# Resolving and avoiding disputes The tribunal is Litigation in the courts If the tribunal is arbitration The arbitration procedure is To be confirmed The place where arbitration is to be held is To be confirmed The person or organisation who will choose an arbitrator if the Parties cannot agree a choice or if the arbitration procedure does not state who selects an arbitrator is The Senior Representatives of the Client are Name (1) Address for communications Address for electronic communications Name (2) Address for communications Address for electronic communications The Adjudicator is To be confirmed Name Address for communications To be confirmed To be confirmed Address for electronic communications

The Adjudicator nominating body is

Institution of Civil Engineers

X2: Changes in the la	aw				
If Option X2 is used	The law of the project is	The law of England and jurisdiction of the courts of			
X5: Sectional Comple	etion et ion				
If Option X5 is used	The completion date for ea	ch section of the service is			
	section	description	completion date		
	(1)				
	(2)				
	(3)				
	(4)				
X7: Delay damages					
If Option X7 is used without Option X5	Delay damages for Comp	letion of the whole of the service	e are per day		
If Option X7 is used with	Delay damages for each section of the service are				
Option X5	section	description	amount per day		
	(1)				
	(2)				
	(3)				
	(4)				
	The delay damages for th	e remainder of the service are			
X8: Undertakings to (	Others				
If Option X8 is used	The undertakings to Others	s are provided to			
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X9: Transfer of Intelle	ectual Property Rights				
X10: Information mod	lelling				
If Option X10 is used					
If no <i>information</i>	The period ofter the Cou	otroet Doto within which the Con	soultant in to out mit a first		
execution plan is	Information Execution P	ntract Date within which the <i>Con</i> lan for acceptance is	2 weeks		
identified in part two of the Contract Data		·			
X11: Termination by th	e Client				
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X13: Performance bone	1				
Ontion X13 is used	The amount of the performa	nce hond is			

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X18: Limitation of	liability	
If Option X18 is used	The Consultant's liability to the Client for indirect or consequential loss is limited to	£1 million
	The Consultant's liability to the Client for Defects that are not found until after the defects date is limited to  The end of liability date is 6 years after the Comp	£1 million letion of the whole of the service
X20: Key Performa	nce Indicators (not used with Option X12)	
If Option X20 is used	The <i>incentive schedule</i> for Key Performance Indicators in A report of performance against each Key Performance Indicator is provided at intervals of	s in months

## Y(UK)1: Project Bank Account

Charges made and interest paid by the *project bank* 

The *Consultant* is not to pay any charges made and to be paid any interest paid by the *project bank* (Delete as applicable)

## Y(UK)2: The Housing Grants, Construction and Regeneration Act 1996

If Option Y(UK)2 is used and the final date for payment is not fourteen days after the date on which payment becomes due The period for payment is 14 days after the date on which payment becomes due

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#### Z: Additional conditions of contract

The additional conditions of contract are

#### Z1 Disputes:

Option W2 subclause W2.1(4) is deleted. The Parties agree that adjudication under Clause option W2 should only commence if the dispute resolution procedure has been exhausted and that the dispute resolution procedure in the Scope, takes precedence over Option W2.

#### **Z2 Prevention**

The text of clause 18 Prevention is deleted.

Delete the text of clause 60.1(12) and replace with:

The service is affected by any of the following events

- War, civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power;
- Strikes, riots and civil commotion not confined to the employees of the Consultant and sub consultants,
- lonising radiation or radioactive contamination from nuclear fuel or nuclear waste resulting from the combustion of nuclear fuel.
- Radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of an explosive nuclear device,
- Natural disaster,
- · Fire and explosion.
- Impact by aircraft or other aerial device or thing dropped from them.

#### **Z3 Disallowed Costs**

In second bullet of 11.2 (18) add:

(including compensation events with the Subcontractor, i.e. payment for work that should not have been undertaken). Add the following additional bullets after 'and the cost of ':

- Mistakes or delays caused by the Consultant's failure to follow standards in Scopes/quality plans.
- Reorganisation of the Consultant's project team.
- Additional costs or delays incurred due to Consultant's failure to comply with published and known guidance or document formats
- Exceeding the Scope without prior instruction that leads to abortive cost
- Re-working of documents due to inadequate QA prior to submission, i.e. grammatical, factual arithmetical or design errors
- Production or preparation of self-promotional material.
- Excessive charges for project management time on a commission for secondments or full time appointments (greater than 5% of commission value)
- Any hours exceeding 8 per day unless with prior written agreement of the Service Manager
- Any hours for travel beyond the location of the nearest consultant office to the project unless previously agreed with the Service Manager
- Attendance of additional individuals to meetings/ workshops etc who have not been previously invited by the Service Manager
- Costs associated with the attendance at additional meetings after programmed Completion, if delay is due to Consultant performance.
- Costs associated with rectifications that are due to Consultant error or omission.
- Costs associated with the identification of opportunities to improve our processes and procedures for project delivery through the *Consultant's* involvement
- Was incurred due to a breach of safety requirements, or due additional work to comply with safety requirements
- Was incurred as a result of the *Client* issuing a Yellow or Red Card to prepare a Performance Improvement Plan.

#### **Z5 Secondments**

When appointing Consultants on a secondment basis only:

Add clause 19

19.1 The *Client* will from starting date to Completion Date indemnify the *Consultant* against any and all liabilities, proceedings, costs, losses, claims and demands whatsoever arising directly or indirectly out of the activities of the *Consultant* in providing the services save where such claims, in the reasonable opinion of the *Client*, arise from or are contributed to by:

19.1.1 Misrepresentation or negligence by or on behalf of the  ${\it Consultant};$ 

or

19.1.2 The *Consultant* has acted contrary to the *Service Manager's* reasonable instructions or wholly outside the scope of the *Consultant's* duties as defined by the *Service Manager*.

## **Z8** Requirement for Invoice

Insert the following sentence at the end of clause 51.1:

The Party to which payment is due submits an invoice to the other Party for the amount to be paid within one week of the Service Manager's certificate.

Delete existing clause 51.2 and insert the following:

51.2 Each certified payment is made by the later of

- one week after the paying Party receives an invoice from the other Party and
- three weeks after the assessment date, or, if a different period is stated in the Contract Data, within the period stated. If a certified payment is late, or if a payment is late because the *Service Manager* has not issued a certificate which should be issued, interest is paid on the late payment. Interest is assessed from the date by which the late payment should have been made until the date when the late payment is made, and is included in the first assessment after the late payment is made.

#### **Z9 Conflict of Interest**

The Consultant immediately notifies the Client of any circumstances giving rise to or potentially giving rise to conflicts of interest relating to the Consultant (including without limitation its reputation and standing) and/or the Client of which it is aware or which it anticipates may justify the Client taking action to protect its interests. Should the Parties be unable to remove the conflict of interest to the satisfaction of the Client, the Client, in its sole discretion, may terminate this Contract.

#### **Z12 Waiver**

No waiver shall be effective unless it is expressly stated to be a waiver and communicated to the other Party by the Service Manager in writing in accordance with the Contract, and with express reference to Clause Z12. The failure of either party to insist upon strict performance of the Contract, or any failure or delay in exercising any right or remedy shall not constitute a waiver or diminution of the obligations established by the Contract.

#### **Z125 Limitation of Liability**

Under clause 87.1; after the fourth bullet point; insert the additional bullet points:

- loss of or damage to the Client's property, to the sum of £5m.
- death of or bodily injury to employees of the Consultant arising out of and in the course of their employment in connection with the contract, to the sum that the Consultant is required to insure under the contract in respect of such death or bodily injury.

#### Z 130 Rate adjustment

Z130.1 The Defined Cost for People Rates shall be increased by the same proportion and on the same date as the appropriate Framework Prices.

Z130.2 (Option C ONLY) The Prices are adjusted for the outstanding portion of the Prices for the amendment to rates in Z130.1.

#### Z 131 Change to the Schedule of Cost Components

Add clause 11.2(19) The People Rates are the people rates unless later changed in accordance with the contract and provided that at all times and under any circumstance howsoever arising the People Rates do not exceed the equivalent and directly comparable Framework Price as set out in Crown Commercial Services (CCS) Construction Professional Services Framework RM6165.

In the Schedule of Cost Components delete the section titled **People** and replace with:

#### **People**

- 1 The following components of the cost of people.
- 11 Amounts calculated by multiplying each of the People Rates by the total time appropriate to that rate properly spent on work on the contract.

## PART TWO – DATA PROVIDED BY THE CONSULTANT

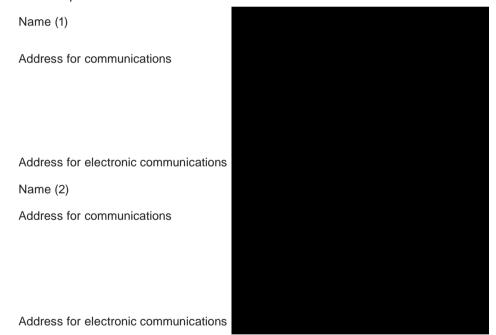
Completion of the data in full, according to the Options chosen, is essential to create a complete contract.

1 General		
	The Consultant is	AECOM Ltd
	Name	
	Address for communications	
	Address for electronic communications	
	The fee percentage is	
	The key persons are	
	name	service
	The following matters will be included in the E	arly Warning Register

2 The Consultant's main responsibilities					
If the <i>Consultant</i> is to provide Scope	The Scope provided by the Consultant is in				
5 Payment					
If the Consultant states expenses	The expenses stated by the item	amount			
If Option A or C is used	The activity schedule is				
If Option E is used	The forecast of the prices	is	£ 381,113.91		

## Resolving and avoiding disputes

The Senior Representatives of the Consultant are



X10: Information me	X10: Information modelling				
If Option X10 is used					
If an information The information execution plan identified execution plan is to be identified in the Contract Data is  Contract Data					
Y(UK)1: Project Bar	nk Account				
If Option Y(UK)1 is used	The project bank is				
	named cumpliars are				
	named suppliers are				
Data for the Schedu	ule of Cost Components (	used only with Options	C or E)		
Data for the Schedule of Cost Components (used only with Options C or E)  The overhead percentages for the cost of support people and office overhead are					
	location	overhead percentage			
			%		
			%		
			%		
Data for the Short S	Schedule of Cost Compon	ents (used only with O	ption A)		
	The people rates are				
	category of person	unit	rate		
Data for the Schedule of Cost Components (used only with Options C and E)					
	The people rates are				
-	category of person	unit	rate		