

# **Professional Service Contract**

# Contract Data Forms August 2024

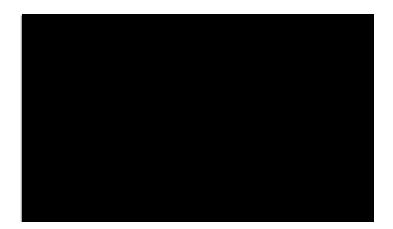
This agreement is made between the *Client*, the *Consultant* and the Named Suppliers.

Terms in this agreement have the meanings given to them in the contract between the Environment Agency and 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).

Executed under hand
by
(Name) – 1
Programme Specialist (Position)
. (Signature)



# **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

Project Management Services and Programme (PM2 (1&3) and Contract Management (PCM) for the Environment Agency Midlands Hub

This [the contract] is 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

Address for electronic communications

The Scope is in

MIDS- BiS Phase 2 Scope - PM1\_PM2\_PM3 v2

	The language of the contract is	English  England and Wales, subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of Englar Wales		
	The law of the contract is the law of			
	The period for reply is	2 weeks	ехс	ept that
	• The period for reply for	n/a	is	n/a
	• The period for reply for	n/a	is	n/a
	The period for retention is 6 year  The following matters will be included in the	(s) following Comple		er termination
	None			
	Early warning meetings are to be held at in	tervals no		
	longer than		4 weeks	;
2 The Consultant's ma	ain resnonsihilities			
f the <i>Client</i> has identified	The key dates and conditions to be met are			
vork which is set to meet a stated <i>condition</i> by a <i>key</i>	condition to be met	k	ey date	
late	(1)			
	(2)			
	(3)		· <u>······</u>	
f Option A is used	The Consultant prepares forecasts of the	total expenses at		
	intervals no longer than		4 weeks	
f Option C or E is used	The <i>Consultant</i> prepares forecasts of the plus Fee and <i>expenses</i> at intervals no lon		4 weeks	
3 Time				
	<del>-</del> 1			
	The starting date is			

	THE C	ient provides access to tr	le following persons	s, places allu i	unings
	ac	ccess		ac	ccess date
	(1)	Environment Agency Of	fices		
	(2)	Systems and access as	appropriate		
	The	Consultant submits revis	ed programmes at	intervals no	
		er than	. 0		4 weeks
If the <i>Client</i> has decided the <i>completion date</i> for the whole of the <i>service</i>	The is	completion date for the w	hole of the service		
If no programme is					
identified in part two of the		period after the Contract			
Contract Data	Cor	sultant is to submit a first	programme for acc	eptance is	2 weeks
4 Quality management					
	The	period after the Contract	Date within which t	he Consultant	
	is to	submit a quality policy st	atement and quality	/ plan is	4 weeks, if not previously provided by the Consultant
	The	period between Complet	on of the whole of t	he service	
		the defects date is	on or the whole or		26 weeks
	G. 1 G				
5 Payment					
	The d	currency of the contract is	the		£ sterling
	Tho	assessment interval is			Monthly
	1110 6	issessifient interval is			Wichtany
If the Client states any	The ex	penses stated by the Clie	ent are		
expenses	item		amo	unt	
				unit	
		nterest rate is 2		(not less than	
	Bas	e	rate of the	Bank of Engla	nd bank
If the period in which payments are made is not three weeks and Y(UK)2 is	The p	period within which payme	ents are made is	1 Month	
not used If Option C or E is used		ocations for which the			
and the <i>Client</i> states any locations	for th	ultant provides a charge e cost of support people ffice overhead are	All UK offices		

If Option C is used	The Consultant's share percent	tages and the share ranges a	re			
	share range	C	Consultant's share percentage			
	less than	%	%			
	from	% to %	%			
	from	% to %	%			
	greater than		%			
If Option C or E is used	The exchange rates are those	e published in Financial 7	Times			
in Option C of L to dood	on					
6 Compensation ev	ents					
If there are additional	None	ation events				
8 Liabilities and ins	urance					
If there are additional	These are additional <i>Client's</i> lia	abilities				
Client's liabilities	(1)					
	(2)					
	(3)					
		and the periods for which the MINIMUM AMOUNT OF COVER	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION			
	The minimum amount of cover insurance are  EVENT  The Consultant's failure to	MINIMUM AMOUNT OF	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION 6 years following			
	The minimum amount of cover insurance are	MINIMUM AMOUNT OF COVER  £1 million	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION			
	The minimum amount of cover insurance are  EVENT  The Consultant's failure to use the skill and care normally used by professionals providing	£1 million in respect of each claim, without limit to the number of	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION 6 years following Completion of the whole			
	The minimum amount of cover insurance are  EVENT  The Consultant's failure to use the skill and care normally used by professionals providing services similar to the service  Loss of or damage to property and liability for bodily injury to or death of a person (not an employee of the Consultant) arising from or in connection with the Consultant Providing	£1 million in respect of each claim, without limit to the number of claims  Whichever is greater of £5 million or the amount required by law in respect of each event, without limit to the number of	PERIOD FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE WHOLE OF THE SERVICE OR TERMINATION 6 years following Completion of the whole works or earlier termination			
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(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 arising under or in connection with the contract, other than				

the excluded matters is limited to

£1 million

Resolving and avoiding	ng disputes		
	The tribunal is	Litigation	in the courts
If the tribunal is arbitration	The arbitration procedure is  The place where arbitration is to be held is  'to be condition  'to be condition		firmed'
			firmed'
			an arbitrator if the Parties cannot agree a ot state who selects an arbitrator is
	The Senior Representatives of the	e <i>Client</i> are	
	Name (1)		
	Address for communications  Address for electronic communications		Horizon House Deanery Road Bristol BS1 5AH
	Name (2)		
	Address for communications		Horizon House Deanery Road Bristol BS1 5AH
	Address for electronic communications		
	The Adjudicator is		
	Name		'to be confirmed'
	Address for communications		'to be confirmed'
	Address for electronic communications		'to be confirmed'

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 o			
X5: Sectional Comple	etion				
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	are per day		
If Option X7 is used with	Delay damages for each se	ection of the service are			
Option X5	section	description	amount per day		
	(1)				
	(2)				
	(3)				
	(4)				
	The delay damages for the remainder of the service are				
X8: Undertakings to	Others				
If Option X8 is used	The undertakings to Others	s are provided to			
VO. Transfer of Intelle	natual Propagity Dights				
A9: Transfer of Intelle	ectual Property Rights				
X10: Information mod	delling				
If Option X10 is used					
If no <i>information</i>	The period after the Cor	ntract Date within which the Cons	sultant is to submit a first		
execution plan is identified in part two of the Contract Data	Information Execution P		2 weeks		
X11: Termination by th	e Client				
X13: Performance bond	4				
Option X13 is used	The amount of the performa	ince bond is			

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X18: Limitation of I	liability		
If Option X18 is used	The Consultant's liability to the Client for indirect or consequential loss is limited to		
	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 Comple	£1 million tion of the whole of the service	
X20: Key Performar	nce Indicators (not used with Option X12)		
If Option X20 is used	The <i>incentive schedule</i> for Key Performance Indicators is  A report of performance against each Key Performance Indicator is provided at intervals of	in months	

## Y(UK)1: Project Bank Account

Charges made and interest the paid by the *project bank* 

The Consultant is /is not to pay any charges made and to be paid any interest paid by 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

Y(UK)3: The Contrac	ts (Rights of Third Parti	es) Act 1999
If Option Y(UK)3 is used	term	beneficiary
If Y(UK)3 is used with	term	beneficiary
Y(UK)1 the following entry is added to the table for Y(UK)3	The provisions of Options Y(UK)1	Named Suppliers

#### Z: Additional conditions of contract

If Option Z is used 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.

#### **Z4 Share on Termination**

Delete existing clause 93.3 and 93.4 and replace with:

93.3 In the event of termination in respect of a contract relating to services there is no Consultant's share.

#### **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:

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

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*.

#### **Z7 Linked contracts**

Issues requiring redesign or rework on this contract due to a fault or error of the *Consultant* under this contract or a previous contract will neither be an allowable cost under this contract or any subsequent contract, nor will it be a Compensation event under this contract or any subsequent contract under this project or programme.

#### **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

1 General

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

The Consultant is	
Name	
Address for communications	
Address for electronic communications	
The fee percentage is	0 %
The key persons are:	
name	service
	_
The following matters will be included in the	Early Warning Register

2 The Consultant's ma	ain responsibilities
f the <i>Consultant</i> is to provide Scope	The Scope provided by the <i>Consultant</i> is in
5 Payment	
f the <i>Consultant</i> states expenses	The expenses stated by the Consultant are any  item amount
f Option A or C is used	The activity schedule is
f Option E is used	The forecast of the prices is
Resolving and avoiding	ng disputes
	The Senior Representatives of the Consultant are
	Name (1)
	Address for communications
	Address for electronic communications
	Name (2)
	Address for communications

Address for electronic communications

X10: Information mode	lling			
If Option X10 is used				
If an information execution plan	in a manual on one out on prairies.	tified		is to be identified in the Contract Data
	in the Contract Data is			
Y(UK)1: Project Bank A	Account			
If Option Y(UK)1 is used	Γhe <i>project bank</i> is			
1	named suppliers are			
Data for the Schedule	of Cost Components (used onl	v with Ontions C	or F)	
	The overhead percentages for the cost	-	-	overhead percentage
	The overnead percentages for the cost	or support people and c		overneau percentage
		%		
		%	•	
Data for the Short School	edule of Cost Components (us	sed only with Option	on A)	
-	The people rates are			
(	category of person unit	ra	ate	

Data for the Schedule of Cost Components (used only with Options C and E)

The people rates are

category of person	unit	rate