To indicate your organisation’s interest in tendering for the framework agreement, please provide answers of no longer than 300 words for each of the questions below. Please return your completed questionnaire to [carol.caddick@defra.gov.uk](mailto:carol.caddick@defra.gov.uk) **no later than 16:00 on 15 March 2024**

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| Company Title |  |
| Completed By (Name/Role) |  |
| Contact Details |  |
| SME | Yes / No |
| Brief description of organisational status (Limited company, research or academic institution, public sector body etc) | |
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| **Q1** What level of experience does your organisation have in providing technical consultancy and advisory services to third parties relating to nuclear fission or fusion technologies? |
| Response: |

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| **Q2** What is your organisation’s capability to deliver effective economic analysis of the overall benefit of new nuclear technologies? |
| Response: |

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| **Q3** What is your organisation’s capability to work closely with Defra’s Nuclear Justification team and deliver expert formal consultancy advice to us? |
| Response: |

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| **Q4** Would your organisation be able to deliver all the services indicated in the Technical Requirement?  Would this be directly (in-house) or through your supply chain or other structure e.g. a consortium?  Do you consider a lot structure, capability matrix or other format would provide any benefit to Defra or contractors? |
| Response: |

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| Q5 Please provide an indication of the roles you consider would be required to provide the services for inclusion in a Schedule of Rates (do not include pricing information). |
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| Q6 What level of conflict of interest do you consider exists currently or may develop in the future, for your organisation or in the wider market?  How would this influence your ability to provide the services required? |
| Response: |

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| Q6 Would your organisation be interested in bidding for a future framework for these services? | |
| YES / NO | If you have replied no, please provide a brief explanation of why the opportunity is not of interest at this time\*. |
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\*Your reply does not exclude you from participation in any future tender process resulting from this engagement exercise.

Thank you for taking the time to respond to this engagement exercise and you will be kept informed of the outcome.

Defra may wish to contact you to discuss your reply further or to undertake further market analysis. Please confirm that you are willing to be contacted **[ YES / NO ]**