From: EIR Compliance

To: Subject: 20250401 - EIR - Out of Scope Date: 01 April 2025 09:56:00 Reference Number: EIR Dear

I refer to your request for environmental information submitted to Yorkshire Water dated 20 March 2025:

"I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the contract below.

## MRO and Tools Framework:

https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/006318-2025

The details we require are:

What are the contractual performance KPI's for this contract?

Suppliers who applied for inclusion on each framework/contract and were successful & not successful at the PQQ & ITT stages

Actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub lots), from the start of the contract to the current date

Start date & duration of framework/contract?

## Could you please provide a copy of the service/product specification given to all bidders for when this contract was last advertised?

Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension?

Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed?

Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?"

You made your request for information citing the Freedom of Information Act 2000. As a private water utility company Yorkshire Water is not bound by the terms of this Act. We have considered your request in compliance with the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, which do apply to Yorkshire Water. Reviewing your request under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

Following the definition of environmental information given within the regulations, your request for information does not fall within the scope of this legislation. We will consequently not be providing you with the information you have requested. For your information, the definition of environmental information we have used, given as Regulation 2(1), is reproduced below:

(a) The state of the elements of the environment, such as air and atmosphere, water, soil, land, landscape and natural sites including wetlands, coastal and marine areas, biological diversity and its components, including genetically modified organisms, and the interaction among these elements;

(b) Factors, such as substances, energy, noise, radiation or waste, including radioactive waste, emissions, discharges and other releases into the environment, affecting or likely to affect the elements of the environment referred to in (a);

(c) Measures (including administrative measures), such as policies, legislation, plans, programmes, environmental agreements, and activities affecting or likely to affect the elements and factors referred to in (a) and (b) as well as measures or activities designed to protect those elements;
(d) Reports on the implementation of environmental legislation;
(e) Cost-benefit and other economic analyses and assumptions used within the framework of the measures and activities referred to in (c); and
(f) The state of human health and safety, including the contamination of the food chain, where relevant, conditions of human life, cultural sites and built structures inasmuch as they are or may be affected by the state of the elements of the environment referred to in (a) or, through those elements, by any of the matters referred to in (b) and (c).

In accordance with the Environmental Information Regulations 2004, if you are not satisfied with the reply to your request you can ask for an internal review. A request for an internal review must be submitted within 40 working days by contacting the Data Protection Team.

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal review you have the right of appeal to the Information Commissioner who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF Tel: 0303 123 1113 Web: <u>http://www.ico.org.uk</u>

Thank you for contacting Yorkshire Water.

Yours sincerely,

Data Protection Team

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