



Participation in an Invitation or any subsequent stage in relation to the Invitation will be evaluated to identify the option that represents best value for money.

In evaluating Tenders, PH may use the following criteria, which are not listed in any order of importance or weight:

- Level of compliance with PH requirements
- Ability to deliver the specification in accordance with PH's requirements
- Price and Value for Money.
- Financial and resource capacity of the Tenderer to deliver the specification
- Ability to implement the full Agreement requirements within a timely manner
- Viability, effectiveness and functionality of the proposed provision of the specification
- Effectiveness of proposed strategies, systems and procedures, covering:
 - Risk management
 - Quality management, including the successful tenderer's willingness to participate in accreditation processes, as well as cooperating with accreditations to which PH is subject to.
 - Industrial relations
 - Occupational Health and Safety
 - Nature of research support and/or collaboration offered
- Level of contractual security offered to PH through the Tenderers proposals on:
 - Acceptance of proposed Terms and Conditions
 - Price variation
 - Insurance and indemnity
- Experience of the Tenderer in operation and management of activities of similar nature, range and size
- Nature of any legal proceedings and/or judgements entered against the Tenderer during the past 3 years
- Opinions of referees.

Pricing Evaluation

Assessment of pricing may take into account the following:

- Whether the tendered price is fixed for the term of the Agreement or variable
- The offered pricing
- Pricing flexibility
- Recurrent costs
- Corporate overheads
- Any other costs or discounts which form part of the offer