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| For the attention of Turner & Townsend  (via Bravo Solutions)  **CONFIDENTIAL** | Procurement Division  National Highways  Woodlands  Manton Lane  Bedford  MK41 7LW  <http://highwaysengland.co.uk/>  21 September 2021 |

**OFFICIAL COMMERCIAL**

**NOTIFICATION OF INTENT TO AWARD**

**Lower Thames Crossing – Commercial Partner Contract 2021**

**(CCS user agreement ref: CPS-10508-2021)**

Dear Turner & Townsend

Thank you for taking part in the above procurement. The evaluation of all tenders has been completed, and in accordance with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (the “Regulations”), I am writing on behalf of National Highways to advise you of its intention to award the above-mentioned contract.

You have been ranked highest and we therefore propose, subject to the information in this letter, to award the Lower Thames Crossing – Commercial Partner contract to your company.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you that National Highways is minded to accept your tender dated 17 August 2021.

**Insurance**

Prior to entering into the contract you are required to provide evidence that the insurances required in the contract are in place. Please submit this evidence via Bravo.

**Contract Award**

Information in relation to award and associated contract documents will be issued to you shortly. Highways England Company Limited has officially changed its name to National Highways Limited effective from 8 September 2021, so we are now executing contracts in the new name.The change in our name has been reflected in the contract header. Whilst the Scope still refers to Highways England, none of the requirements have changed and remain contractual.

**Publicity**

Until such time as we notify you, you must not publicise the contents of this letter or the award of this contract and all media enquiries should be directed to the relevant Procurement Officer via the Sourcing portal.

Appendix A of this letter contains a feedback report.

**You must treat this letter in confidence until National Highways makes any public announcement about the award of the contract**.

May I take this opportunity to congratulate you on being successful and we are looking forward to working with you.

Yours sincerely,

Procurement Programme Director – Lower Thames Crossing Programme