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Date: 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Contract ref: P4104068

Dear REDACTED,

**Contract for Provision of Legal Services for DfT Thameslink Programme and general Rolling Stock policy related advice**

Further to your submission of a bid for the above Procurement, on behalf of The Department for Transport (the "Authority"), I am pleased to inform you that your bid ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in our evaluation and therefore we would like to award the contract to you.

The attached appendix provides detailed feedback on your submission.

The call-off contract shall commence on 4<sup>th</sup> December 2023 and will expire on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2025 for a period of two (2) years including an option to extend by a further one (1) year. The total contract value shall be £500,000.00 excluding VAT.

This procurement activity was a Call Off Competition via RM6204 Rail Legal Services Panel Framework, and the framework Terms and Conditions shall apply. A copy of the call off contract is provided with this Award Letter and includes those terms and conditions.

Please print and sign a copy of this letter and forward to the Commercial Relationship Manager electronically via the e-Sourcing Suites' messaging service by **noon on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023**.

A copy signed on behalf of the Contracting Authority will be returned for your records.

Should you have any queries regarding this or any other matter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

Signed for and on behalf of The Department for Transport

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Commercial Relationship Adviser