



## G-Cloud 13 Call-Off Contract

This Call-Off Contract for the G-Cloud 13 Framework Agreement (RM1557.13) includes:

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## Part A: Order Form

Buyers must use this template order form as the basis for all Call-Off Contracts and must refrain from accepting a Supplier's prepopulated version unless it has been carefully checked against template drafting.

<b>Platform service ID number</b>	474843017482413
<b>Call-Off Contract reference</b>	710933450
<b>Call-Off Contract title</b>	Remote Access Movements Portal (RAMP) and WATERGUARD Applications (WG Apps) Hosting Service Provision <b>WG &amp; RAMP</b>
<b>Call-Off Contract description</b>	Support to Customs and Compliance Management Information Service; Assets Subject to Special Control Registry Service; Ull Registry Service; OSD Configuration Management Service
<b>Start date</b>	This Call-Off contract starts on 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2024.
<b>Expiry date</b>	31/03/2025
<b>Call-Off Contract value</b>	£1,614,000.00 Ex VAT
<b>Charging method</b>	CP&F Purchase Order
<b>Purchase order number</b>	[Enter purchase order number]

Buyers can use this Order Form to specify their G-Cloud service requirements when placing an Order.

There are terms in the Call-Off Contract that may be defined in the Order Form. These are identified in the contract with square brackets.

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**For the Supplier:**

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## Call-Off Contract term

<b>Start date</b>	This Call-Off contract starts on the date of last signature to this Call-Off Contract but no later than 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2024, and is valid for 12 months.
<b>Ending (termination)</b>	<p>The notice period for the Supplier needed for Ending the Call-Off Contract is at least <b>90</b> Working Days from the date of written notice for undisputed sums (as per clause 18.6).</p> <p>The notice period for the Buyer is a maximum of <b>365</b> days from the date of written notice for Ending without cause (as per clause 18.1).</p>
<b>Extension period</b>	<p>This Call-Off Contract can be extended by the Buyer for two periods of up to 12 months each, by giving the Supplier <b>three (3) calendar months</b> written notice before its expiry. The extension period is subject to clauses 1.3 and 1.4 in Part B below.</p> <p>The enactment of the extension periods will first be subject to Authority approvals and discretion.</p> <p>Extensions which extend the Term beyond 36 months are only permitted if the Supplier complies with the additional exit plan requirements at clauses 21.3 to 21.8.</p> <p>If a buyer is a central government department and the contract Term is intended to exceed 24 months, then under the Spend Controls process, prior approval must be obtained from the Government Digital Service (GDS). Further guidance:</p> <p><a href="https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/spend-controls-check-if-you-need-approval-to-spend-money-on-a-service">https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/spend-controls-check-if-you-need-approval-to-spend-money-on-a-service</a></p>

## Buyer contractual details

This Order is for the G-Cloud Services outlined below. It is acknowledged by the Parties that the volume of the G-Cloud Services used by the Buyer may vary during this Call-Off Contract.

<b>G-Cloud Lot</b>	<p>This Call-Off Contract is for the provision of Services Under:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lot 1: Cloud hosting</li></ul>
<b>G-Cloud Services required</b>	<p>The Services to be provided by the Supplier under the above Lot are listed in Framework Schedule 4 and outlined below and further described in Schedule 1 of this Call-Off Contract:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• archiving, backup and disaster recovery</li><li>• compute and application hosting</li><li>• container service</li><li>• content delivery network</li><li>• database</li><li>• data warehousing</li><li>• NoSQL database</li><li>• relational database</li><li>• load balancing</li><li>• logging and analysis</li><li>• message queuing and processing</li><li>• networking (including Network as a Service)</li><li>• Platform as a Service (PaaS)</li><li>• infrastructure and platform security (including Infrastructure as a Service)</li><li>• distributed denial of service attack (DDOS) protection</li><li>• firewall</li></ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• intrusion detection</li> <li>• protective monitoring</li> <li>• search</li> <li>• Storage</li> <li>• block storage</li> <li>• object storage</li> </ul>
<b>Additional Services</b>	<b>Not Applicable</b>
<b>Location</b>	The Services will be delivered across the RLI and the internet. The programme team and main customer base is located at (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
<b>Quality Standards</b>	<p>The quality standards required for this Call-Off Contract are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BS EN ISO9001 (Quality Management Systems)</li> <li>• BS EN ISO14001 (Environmental Management Systems)</li> <li>• BS ISO/IEC 20000 (Service Management Systems)</li> <li>• BS EN ISO 27001 (Information Security Management Systems)</li> <li>• AQAP 2110 (NATO Quality Assurance Requirements for Design, Development and Production)</li> <li>• AQAP 2210 (NATO Supplementary Software Quality Assurance Requirement)</li> <li>• Def Stan 05-061 Pt 1 (Quality Assurance Procedural Requirements (Deviation/Production Permits and Waiver/Concessions Quality Assurance of Sub-Contract Work))</li> <li>• Def Stan 05-061 Pt 4 (Quality Assurance Procedural</li> </ul>

	<p>Requirements (Contractor Working Parties)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Def Stan 05-135 (Def Stan 05-135 - Avoidance of Counterfeit Material)</li> </ul> <p>A Quality Management Plan is required from the Supplier within 6 (six) weeks of Contract award.</p> <p>The contractor shall submit the Deliverable Quality Plan as defined in AQAP 2105 to the Authority in accordance with the Call-Off contract. When agreed by the Authority, the Deliverable Quality Plan shall be incorporated into the contract as Annex A. Notwithstanding that the Deliverable Quality Plan will have been seen and agreed by the Authority, the contractor shall be solely responsible for the accuracy, suitability and applicability of the deliverable quality plan.</p>
<b>Technical Standards:</b>	N/A
<b>Service level agreement:</b>	The service level and availability criteria required for this Call-Off Contract are <b>outlined in Schedule 1: Services</b>
<b>Onboarding</b>	The onboarding plan for this Call-Off Contract is <b>N/A</b>

<b>Offboarding</b>	The offboarding plan for this Call-Off Contract is <b>See Schedule 1 of this Call-Off Contract</b>
<b>Collaboration agreement</b>	N/A



<b>Limit on Parties' liability</b>	<p>Defaults by either party resulting in direct loss to the property (including technical infrastructure, assets or equipment but excluding any loss or damage to Buyer Data) of the other Party will not exceed £1,000,000.00 (One Million Pounds) per year.</p> <p>The annual total liability of the Supplier for Buyer Data Defaults resulting in direct loss, destruction, corruption, degradation, or damage to any Buyer Data will not exceed £500,000 (Five Hundred Thousand Pounds) or 125% of the Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier during the Call-Off Contract Term (whichever is the greater).</p> <p>The annual total liability of the Supplier for all other Defaults will not exceed the greater of £500,000 (Five Hundred Thousand Pounds) or 125% of the Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier during the Call-Off Contract Term (whichever is the greater).</p>
<b>Insurance</b>	<p>The Supplier holds at the date of this contract the following insurance(s):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• professional indemnity insurance cover of £10,000,000 in the aggregate.</li> <li>• employers' liability insurance of £10,000,000 in the aggregate</li> </ul> <p>For the avoidance of doubt, the above insurances are for the Supplier's entire business and not only against this Call Off Contract.</p> <p>The Supplier shall, throughout the duration of this contract and for a period of 6 years following expiration or Ending of this Call Off Contract, hold and maintain an adequate level of insurance to cover all liabilities arising under this contract.</p>

<b>Buyer's responsibilities</b>	See Schedule 1 of this Call-Off Contract
<b>Buyer's equipment</b>	The Supplier shall not, and shall ensure that the Personnel shall not, use any equipment, hardware, software, network or system of the Customer for any purpose without the Customers express prior consent other than as necessary to fulfil the contract.

### Supplier's information

<b>Subcontractors or partners</b>	ANS are not intending to use any subcontractors for the delivery of the services within this agreement, except for the independent CHECK scheme penetration testing. This supplier has not yet been identified, but ANS will inform the Authority of the selected sub-contractor before this work is undertaken, noting that they will be a CHECK scheme accredited organisation.
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### Call-Off Contract charges and payment

The Call-Off Contract charges and payment details are in the table below. See Schedule 2 for a full breakdown.

<b>Payment method</b>	The payment method for this Call-Off Contract is via the Contract, Purchasing & Finance system (CP&F), as is mandatory for all MoD payments as per DEFCON 522 (Edition 11/21) Payment and Recovery of Sums Due
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<b>Payment profile</b>	<p>The payment profile for this Call-Off Contract is a Firm Price with monthly charges paid in arrears.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hosting and Application Service:</b> Monthly charge for hosting at 1/12 Annual Service Charge per month;</li> </ul>
<b>Invoice details</b>	<p>The Supplier will issue electronic invoices. The Buyer will pay the Supplier within 30 days of receipt of a valid invoice</p>
<b>Who and where to send invoices to</b>	<p>Invoices will be submitted to the Authority via Exostar on to CP&amp;F. An electronic copy must also be sent to the buyer.</p>
<b>Invoice information required</b>	<p>All invoices must include the contract reference MOD PROVIDED REF NO 710933450 – Purchase Order Number and all information required by Exostar such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Supplier's name and address,</li> <li>▪ The Purchase Order Number,</li> <li>▪ The Project Reference,</li> <li>▪ The date the invoice was submitted,</li> <li>▪ The relevant year and dates the invoices relates to.</li> </ul>
<b>Invoice frequency</b>	<p>Invoice will be sent to the Buyer monthly in arrears.</p>

<b>Call-Off Contract value</b>	<p>The total value of this Call-Off Contract is <b>£1,614,000.00 (ex VAT)</b>.</p> <p><i>(This comprises the sum of the FIRM contract charges set out below, The sum excludes VAT and any other applicable taxes.)</i></p> <p>“RPI” means the Retail Price Index published by the Office for National Statistics or any official index replacing it; If the Buyer invokes the optional extension, the Supplier shall be entitled to uplift the Call-Off Contract value by the level of RPI in the month proceeding the extension.</p>
<b>Call-Off Contract charges</b>	<p>The breakdown of the Charges is based on the FIRM Price £1,614,000.00 ex-VAT.</p> <p>(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)</p>

## Additional Buyer terms

<b>Performance of the Service</b>	<p>A draft copy of an Exit Plan will be provided in accordance with Clause 21 of the Order Form as stated in Schedule 1: Services within one month of contract award. The Exit Plan shall be produced to detail the exit strategy in the event of a termination notice of the contract, or the removal of the requirement for hosting either RAMP or WG Apps from the contract.</p> <p>The Key Performance Indicators shall be managed in accordance with the SDD.</p>
<b>Guarantee</b>	Not Applicable

<b>Warranties, representations</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Supplemental requirements in addition to the Call-Off terms</b>	<p>Within the scope of the Call-Off Contract, the Supplier will ensure compliance with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DEFCON 660 (Edition 12/15) Official Sensitive Security</li> <li>• DEFCON 005J (Edition 18/11/16) – Unique Identifiers</li> <li>• DEFCON 129J (Edition 11/16) – The Use of the Electronic Business Delivery Form</li> <li>• DEFCON 566 (Edition 10/20) – Change of Control of Contractor</li> <li>• DEFCON 658 (Edition 09/21) - Cyber</li> </ul> <p>“Further to DEFCON 658 the Cyber Risk Profile of the Contract is “Moderate”, as defined in Def Stan 05-138.”</p> <p>SAQ Reference is 253502228 dated 12/03/2024</p> <p>Compliance Status is Met.</p>
<b>Alternative clauses</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Buyer specific amendments to/refinements of the Call-Off Contract terms</b>	<p>Within the scope of the Call-Off Contract, the Supplier will be advised by the Authority on any required amendments to the Call-Off Contract terms. Only the Authority's Commercial Officer is authorised to vary the terms and conditions of the Contract and such variation shall only have effect when agreed in writing by both Parties.</p> <p><b>Variation Orders and Changes</b></p> <p>As per G-Cloud T&amp;C's – Clause 32 Variation Process.</p>

<b>Personal Data and Data Subjects</b>	Schedule 7: Annex 1: Processing Personal Data will be used.
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	No IP assignment under this Order Form.
<b>Social Value</b>	Social Value As per the Social Value requirements in accordance with Schedule 1: Service

## 1. Formation of contract

- 1.1 By signing and returning this Order Form (Part A), the Supplier agrees to enter into a Call-Off Contract with the Buyer.
- 1.2 The Parties agree that they have read the Order Form (Part A) and the Call-Off Contract terms and by signing below agree to be bound by this Call-Off Contract.
- 1.3 This Call-Off Contract will be formed when the Buyer acknowledges receipt of the signed copy of the Order Form from the Supplier.
- 1.4 In cases of any ambiguity or conflict, the terms and conditions of the Call-Off Contract (Part B) and Order Form (Part A) will supersede those of the Supplier Terms and Conditions as per the order of precedence set out in clause 8.3 of the Framework Agreement.

## 2. Background to the agreement

- 2.1 The Supplier is a provider of G-Cloud Services and agreed to provide the Services under the terms of Framework Agreement number RM1557.13.

<b>Signed</b>	Supplier	Buyer
<b>Name</b>	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
<b>Title</b>	-	-
<b>Signature</b>	-	-
<b>Date</b>	-	-

2.2 The Buyer provided an Order Form for Services to the Supplier.

## Customer Benefits

For each Call-Off Contract please complete a customer benefits record, by following this link:

[G-Cloud 13 Customer Benefit Record](#)



## Part B: Terms and conditions

### 1. Call-Off Contract Start date and length

Form.

- 1.1 The Supplier must start providing the Services on the date specified in the Order Form.
- 1.2 This Call-Off Contract will expire on the Expiry Date in the Order Form. It will be for up to 36 months from the Start date unless Ended earlier under clause 18 or extended by the Buyer under clause 1.3.
- 1.3 The Buyer can extend this Call-Off Contract, with written notice to the Supplier, by the period in the Order Form, provided that this is within the maximum permitted under the Framework Agreement of 1 period of up to 12 months.
- 1.4 The Parties must comply with the requirements under clauses 21.3 to 21.8 if the Buyer reserves the right in the Order Form to set the Term at more than 24 months.

### 2. Incorporation of terms

- 2.1 The following Framework Agreement clauses (including clauses and defined terms referenced by them) as modified under clause 2.2 are incorporated as separate Call-Off Contract obligations and apply between the Supplier and the Buyer:

- 2.3 (Warranties and representations)
- 4.1 to 4.6 (Liability)
- 4.10 to 4.11 (IR35)
- 10 (Force majeure)
- 5.3 (Continuing rights)
- 5.4 to 5.6 (Change of control)
- 5.7 (Fraud)
- 5.8 (Notice of fraud)
- 7 (Transparency and Audit)
- 8.3 (Order of precedence)
- 11 (Relationship)
- 14 (Entire agreement)
- 15 (Law and jurisdiction)
- 16 (Legislative change)
- 17 (Bribery and corruption)
- 18 (Freedom of Information Act)
- 19 (Promoting tax compliance)
- 20 (Official Secrets Act)
- 21 (Transfer and subcontracting)
- 23 (Complaints handling and resolution)
- 24 (Conflicts of interest and ethical walls)
- 25 (Publicity and branding)

- 26 (Equality and diversity)
- 28 (Data protection)
- 31 (Severability)
- 32 and 33 (Managing disputes and Mediation)
- 34 (Confidentiality)
- 35 (Waiver and cumulative remedies)
- 36 (Corporate Social Responsibility)
- paragraphs 1 to 10 of the Framework Agreement Schedule 3

2.2 The Framework Agreement provisions in clause 2.1 will be modified as follows:

- 2.2.1 a reference to the 'Framework Agreement' will be a reference to the 'Call-Off Contract'
  - 2.2.2 a reference to 'CCS' or to 'CCS and/or the Buyer' will be a reference to 'the Buyer'
  - 2.2.3 a reference to the 'Parties' and a 'Party' will be a reference to the Buyer and Supplier as Parties under this Call-Off Contract
- 2.3 The Parties acknowledge that they are required to complete the applicable Annexes contained in Schedule 7 (Processing Data) of the Framework Agreement for the purposes of this Call-Off Contract. The applicable Annexes being reproduced at Schedule 7 of this Call-Off Contract.
- 2.4 The Framework Agreement incorporated clauses will be referred to as incorporated Framework clause 'XX', where 'XX' is the Framework Agreement clause number.
- 2.5 When an Order Form is signed, the terms and conditions agreed in it will be incorporated into this Call-Off Contract.

### 3. Supply of services

- 3.1 The Supplier agrees to supply the G-Cloud Services and any Additional Services under the terms of the Call-Off Contract and the Supplier's Application.
- 3.2 The Supplier undertakes that each G-Cloud Service will meet the Buyer's acceptance criteria, as defined in the Order Form.

### 4. Supplier staff

- 4.1 The Supplier Staff must:
  - 4.1.1 be appropriately experienced, qualified and trained to supply the Services

- 4.1.2 apply all due skill, care and diligence in faithfully performing those duties
- 4.1.3 obey all lawful instructions and reasonable directions of the Buyer and provide the Services to the reasonable satisfaction of the Buyer
- 4.1.4 respond to any enquiries about the Services as soon as reasonably possible
- 4.1.5 complete any necessary Supplier Staff vetting as specified by the Buyer
- 4.2 The Supplier must retain overall control of the Supplier Staff so that they are not considered to be employees, workers, agents or contractors of the Buyer.
- 4.3 The Supplier may substitute any Supplier Staff as long as they have the equivalent experience and qualifications to the substituted staff member.
- 4.4 The Buyer may conduct IR35 Assessments using the ESI tool to assess whether the Supplier's engagement under the Call-Off Contract is Inside or Outside IR35.
- 4.5 The Buyer may End this Call-Off Contract for Material Breach as per clause 18.5 hereunder if the Supplier is delivering the Services Inside IR35.
- 4.6 The Buyer may need the Supplier to complete an Indicative Test using the ESI tool before the Start date or at any time during the provision of Services to provide a preliminary view of whether the Services are being delivered Inside or Outside IR35. If the Supplier has completed the Indicative Test, it must download and provide a copy of the PDF with the 14digit ESI reference number from the summary outcome screen and promptly provide a copy to the Buyer.
- 4.7 If the Indicative Test indicates the delivery of the Services could potentially be Inside IR35, the Supplier must provide the Buyer with all relevant information needed to enable the Buyer to conduct its own IR35 Assessment.
- 4.8 If it is determined by the Buyer that the Supplier is Outside IR35, the Buyer will provide the ESI reference number and a copy of the PDF to the Supplier.

## 5. Due diligence

- 5.1 Both Parties agree that when entering into a Call-Off Contract they:
  - 5.1.1 have made their own enquiries and are satisfied by the accuracy of any information supplied by the other Party
  - 5.1.2 are confident that they can fulfil their obligations according to the Call-Off Contract terms

5.1.3 have raised all due diligence questions before signing the Call-Off Contract

5.1.4 have entered into the Call-Off Contract relying on their own due diligence

## 6. Business continuity and disaster recovery

6.1 The Supplier will have a clear business continuity and disaster recovery plan in their Service Descriptions.

6.2 The Supplier's business continuity and disaster recovery services are part of the Services and will be performed by the Supplier when required.

6.3 If requested by the Buyer prior to entering into this Call-Off Contract, the Supplier must ensure that its business continuity and disaster recovery plan is consistent with the Buyer's own plans.

## 7. Payment, VAT and Call-Off Contract charges

7.1 The Buyer must pay the Charges following clauses 7.2 to 7.11 for the Supplier's delivery of the Services.

7.2 The Buyer will pay the Supplier within the number of days specified in the Order Form on receipt of a valid invoice.

7.3 The Call-Off Contract Charges include all Charges for payment processing. All invoices submitted to the Buyer for the Services will be exclusive of any Management Charge.

7.4 If specified in the Order Form, the Supplier will accept payment for G-Cloud Services by the Government Procurement Card (GPC). The Supplier will be liable to pay any merchant fee levied for using the GPC and must not recover this charge from the Buyer.

7.5 The Supplier must ensure that each invoice contains a detailed breakdown of the G-Cloud Services supplied. The Buyer may request the Supplier provides further documentation to substantiate the invoice.

7.6 If the Supplier enters into a Subcontract it must ensure that a provision is included in each Subcontract which specifies that payment must be made to the Subcontractor within 30 days of receipt of a valid invoice.

7.7 All Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier will include VAT at the appropriate Rate.

7.8 The Supplier must add VAT to the Charges at the appropriate rate with visibility of the amount as a separate line item.

7.9 The Supplier will indemnify the Buyer on demand against any liability arising from the Supplier's failure to account for or to pay any VAT on payments made to the Supplier under this Call-Off Contract. The Supplier must pay all sums to the Buyer at least 5 Working Days before the date on which the tax or other liability is payable by the Buyer.

- 7.10 The Supplier must not suspend the supply of the G-Cloud Services unless the Supplier is entitled to End this Call-Off Contract under clause 18.6 for Buyer's failure to pay undisputed sums of money. Interest will be payable by the Buyer on the late payment of any undisputed sums of money properly invoices under the Late Payment of Commercial Debts (Interest) Act 1998.
- 7.11 If there's an invoice dispute, the Buyer must pay the undisputed portion of the amount and return the invoice within 10 Working Days of the invoice date. The Buyer will provide a covering statement with proposed amendments and the reason for any non-payment. The Supplier must notify the Buyer within 10 Working Days of receipt of the returned invoice if it accepts the amendments. If it does then the Supplier must provide a replacement valid invoice with the response.
- 7.12 Due to the nature of G-Cloud Services it isn't possible in a static Order Form to exactly define the consumption of services over the duration of the Call-Off Contract. The Supplier agrees that the Buyer's volumes indicated in the Order Form are indicative only.

## 8. Recovery of sums due and right of set-off

- 8.1 If a Supplier owes money to the Buyer, the Buyer may deduct that sum from the Call-Off Contract Charges.

## 9. Insurance

- 9.1 The Supplier will maintain the insurances required by the Buyer including those in this clause.
- 9.2 The Supplier will ensure that:
- 9.2.1 during this Call-Off Contract, Subcontractors hold third party public and products liability insurance of the same amounts that the Supplier would be legally liable to pay as damages, including the claimant's costs and expenses, for accidental death or bodily injury and loss of or damage to Property, to a minimum of £1,000,000
  - 9.2.2 the third-party public and products liability insurance contains an 'indemnity to principals' clause for the Buyer's benefit
  - 9.2.3 all agents and professional consultants involved in the Services hold professional indemnity insurance to a minimum indemnity of £1,000,000 for each individual claim during the Call-Off Contract, and for 6 years after the End or Expiry Date
  - 9.2.4 all agents and professional consultants involved in the Services hold employers liability insurance (except where exempt under Law) to a

minimum indemnity of £5,000,000 for each individual claim during the Call-Off Contract, and for 6 years after the End or Expiry Date

- 9.3 If requested by the Buyer, the Supplier will obtain additional insurance policies, or extend existing policies bought under the Framework Agreement.
- 9.4 If requested by the Buyer, the Supplier will provide the following to show compliance with this clause:
  - 9.4.1 a broker's verification of insurance
  - 9.4.2 receipts for the insurance premium
  - 9.4.3 evidence of payment of the latest premiums due
- 9.5 Insurance will not relieve the Supplier of any liabilities under the Framework Agreement or this Call-Off Contract and the Supplier will:
  - 9.5.1 take all risk control measures using Good Industry Practice, including the investigation and reports of claims to insurers
  - 9.5.2 promptly notify the insurers in writing of any relevant material fact under any Insurances
  - 9.5.3 hold all insurance policies and require any broker arranging the insurance to hold any insurance slips and other evidence of insurance
- 9.6 The Supplier will not do or omit to do anything, which would destroy or impair the legal validity of the insurance.
- 9.7 The Supplier will notify CCS and the Buyer as soon as possible if any insurance policies have been, or are due to be, cancelled, suspended, Ended or not renewed.
- 9.8 The Supplier will be liable for the payment of any:
  - 9.8.1 premiums, which it will pay promptly
  - 9.8.2 excess or deductibles and will not be entitled to recover this from the Buyer

## 10. Confidentiality

- 10.1 The Supplier must during and after the Term keep the Buyer fully indemnified against all Losses, damages, costs or expenses and other liabilities (including legal fees) arising from any breach of the Supplier's obligations under incorporated Framework Agreement clause

34. The indemnity doesn't apply to the extent that the Supplier breach is due to a Buyer's instruction.

## 11. Intellectual Property Rights

11.1 neither Party Save for the licences expressly granted pursuant to Clauses 11.3 and 11.4,

shall acquire any right, title or interest in or to the Intellectual Property Rights ("IPR"s) (whether pre-existing or created during the Call-Off Contract Term) of the other Party or its licensors unless stated otherwise in the Order Form.

11.2 Neither Party shall have any right to use any of the other Party's names, logos or trade marks on any of its products or services without the other Party's prior written consent.

11.3 The Buyer grants to the Supplier a royalty-free, non-exclusive, non-transferable licence during the Call-Off Contract Term to use the Buyer's or its relevant licensor's Buyer Data and related IPR solely to the extent necessary for providing the Services in accordance with this Contract, including the right to grant sub-licences to Subcontractors provided that:

11.3.1 any relevant Subcontractor has entered into a confidentiality undertaking with the Supplier on substantially the same terms as set out in Framework Agreement clause 34 (Confidentiality); and

11.3.2 the Supplier shall not and shall procure that any relevant Sub-Contractor shall not, without the Buyer's written consent, use the licensed materials for any other purpose or for the benefit of any person other than the Buyer.

11.4 The Supplier grants to the Buyer the licence taken from its Supplier Terms which licence shall, as a minimum, grant the Buyer a non-exclusive, non-transferable licence during the Call-Off Contract Term to use the Supplier's or its relevant licensor's IPR solely to the extent necessary to access and use the Services in accordance with this Call-Off Contract.

11.5 Subject to the limitation in Clause 24.3, the Buyer shall:

11.5.1 defend the Supplier, its Affiliates and licensors from and against any third-party claim:

- (a) alleging that any use of the Services by or on behalf of the Buyer and/or Buyer Users is in breach of applicable Law;
- (b) alleging that the Buyer Data violates, infringes or misappropriates any rights of a third party;
- (c) arising from the Supplier's use of the Buyer Data in accordance with this Call-Off Contract; and

11.5.2 in addition to defending in accordance with Clause 11.5.1, the Buyer will pay the amount of Losses awarded in final judgment against the Supplier or the amount of any settlement agreed by the Buyer, provided that the Buyer's obligations under this Clause 11.5 shall not

apply where and to the extent such Losses or third-party claim is caused by the Supplier's breach of this Contract.

- 11.6 The Supplier will, on written demand, fully indemnify the Buyer for all Losses which it may incur at any time from any claim of infringement or alleged infringement of a third party's IPRs because of the:

11.6.1 rights granted to the Buyer under this Call-Off Contract

11.6.2 Supplier's performance of the Services

11.6.3 use by the Buyer of the Services

- 11.7 If an IPR Claim is made, or is likely to be made, the Supplier will immediately notify the Buyer in writing and must at its own expense after written approval from the Buyer, either:

11.7.1 modify the relevant part of the Services without reducing its functionality or performance

11.7.2 substitute Services of equivalent functionality and performance, to avoid the infringement or the alleged infringement, as long as there is no additional cost or burden to the Buyer

11.7.3 buy a licence to use and supply the Services which are the subject of the alleged infringement, on terms acceptable to the Buyer

- 11.8 Clause 11.6 will not apply if the IPR Claim is from:

11.8.1 the use of data supplied by the Buyer which the Supplier isn't required to verify under this Call-Off Contract

11.8.2 other material provided by the Buyer necessary for the Services

- 11.9 If the Supplier does not comply with this clause 11, the Buyer may End this Call-Off Contract for Material Breach. The Supplier will, on demand, refund the Buyer all the money paid for the affected Services.

## 12. Protection of information

- 12.1 The Supplier must:

12.1.1 comply with the Buyer's written instructions and this Call-Off Contract when Processing Buyer Personal Data



12.1.2 only Process the Buyer Personal Data as necessary for the provision of the G-Cloud Services or as required by Law or any Regulatory Body

12.1.3 take reasonable steps to ensure that any Supplier Staff who have access to Buyer Personal Data act in compliance with Supplier's security processes

12.2 The Supplier must fully assist with any complaint or request for Buyer Personal Data including by:

12.2.1 providing the Buyer with full details of the complaint or request

12.2.2 complying with a data access request within the timescales in the Data Protection Legislation and following the Buyer's instructions

12.2.3 providing the Buyer with any Buyer Personal Data it holds about a Data Subject (within the timescales required by the Buyer)

12.2.4 providing the Buyer with any information requested by the Data Subject

12.3 The Supplier must get prior written consent from the Buyer to transfer Buyer Personal Data to any other person (including any Subcontractors) for the provision of the G-Cloud Services.

### 13. Buyer data

13.1 The Supplier must not remove any proprietary notices in the Buyer Data.

13.2 The Supplier will not store or use Buyer Data except if necessary to fulfil its obligations.

13.3 If Buyer Data is processed by the Supplier, the Supplier will supply the data to the Buyer as requested.

13.4 The Supplier must ensure that any Supplier system that holds any Buyer Data is a secure system that complies with the Supplier's and Buyer's security policies and all Buyer requirements in the Order Form.

13.5 The Supplier will preserve the integrity of Buyer Data processed by the Supplier and prevent its corruption and loss.

13.6 The Supplier will ensure that any Supplier system which holds any protectively marked Buyer Data or other government data will comply with:

13.6.1 the principles in the Security Policy Framework:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/security-policy-framework> and the Government Security - Classification policy: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/government-security-classifications>

13.6.2 guidance issued by the Centre for Protection of National Infrastructure on Risk Management:

<https://www.npsa.gov.uk/content/adopt-risk-management-approach> and Protection of Sensitive Information and Assets: <https://www.npsa.gov.uk/sensitive-information-assets>

13.6.3 the National Cyber Security Centre's (NCSC) information risk management guidance: <https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/collection/risk-management-collection>

13.6.4 government best practice in the design and implementation of system components, including network principles, security design principles for digital services and the secure email blueprint:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/technologycode-of-practice/technology-code-of-practice>

13.6.5 the security requirements of cloud services using the NCSC Cloud Security Principles and accompanying guidance:

<https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/guidance/implementing-cloud-security-principles>

13.6.6 Buyer requirements in respect of AI ethical standards.

13.7 The Buyer will specify any security requirements for this project in the Order Form.

13.8 If the Supplier suspects that the Buyer Data has or may become corrupted, lost, breached or significantly degraded in any way for any reason, then the Supplier will notify the Buyer immediately and will (at its own cost if corruption, loss, breach or degradation of the Buyer Data was caused by the action or omission of the Supplier) comply with any remedial action reasonably proposed by the Buyer.

13.9 The Supplier agrees to use the appropriate organisational, operational and technological processes to keep the Buyer Data safe from unauthorised use or access, loss, destruction, theft or disclosure.

13.10 The provisions of this clause 13 will apply during the term of this Call-Off Contract and for as long as the Supplier holds the Buyer's Data.

## 14. Standards and quality

- 14.1 The Supplier will comply with any standards in this Call-Off Contract, the Order Form and the Framework Agreement.
- 14.2 The Supplier will deliver the Services in a way that enables the Buyer to comply with its obligations under the Technology Code of Practice, which is at:  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/technologycode-of-practice/technology-code-of-practice>
- 14.3 If requested by the Buyer, the Supplier must, at its own cost, ensure that the G-Cloud Services comply with the requirements in the PSN Code of Practice.
- 14.4 If any PSN Services are Subcontracted by the Supplier, the Supplier must ensure that the services have the relevant PSN compliance certification.
- 14.5 The Supplier must immediately disconnect its G-Cloud Services from the PSN if the PSN Authority considers there is a risk to the PSN's security and the Supplier agrees that the Buyer and the PSN Authority will not be liable for any actions, damages, costs, and any other Supplier liabilities which may arise.

## 15. Open source

- 15.1 All software created for the Buyer must be suitable for publication as open source, unless otherwise agreed by the Buyer.
- 15.2 If software needs to be converted before publication as open source, the Supplier must also provide the converted format unless otherwise agreed by the Buyer.

## 16. Security

- 16.1 If requested to do so by the Buyer, before entering into this Call-Off Contract the Supplier will, within 15 Working Days of the date of this Call-Off Contract, develop (and obtain the Buyer's written approval of) a Security Management Plan and an Information Security Management System. After Buyer approval the Security Management Plan and Information Security Management System will apply during the Term of this Call-Off Contract. Both plans will comply with the Buyer's security policy and protect all aspects and processes associated with the delivery of the Services.
- 16.2 The Supplier will use all reasonable endeavours, software and the most up-to-date antivirus definitions available from an industry-accepted antivirus software seller to minimise the impact of Malicious Software.

- 16.3 If Malicious Software causes loss of operational efficiency or loss or corruption of Service Data, the Supplier will help the Buyer to mitigate any losses and restore the Services to operating efficiency as soon as possible.
- 16.4 Responsibility for costs will be at the:
- 16.4.1 Supplier's expense if the Malicious Software originates from the Supplier software or the Service Data while the Service Data was under the control of the Supplier, unless the Supplier can demonstrate that it was already present, not quarantined or identified by the Buyer when provided
- 16.4.2 Buyer's expense if the Malicious Software originates from the Buyer software or the Service Data, while the Service Data was under the Buyer's control
- 16.5 The Supplier will immediately notify the Buyer of any breach of security of Buyer's Confidential Information. Where the breach occurred because of a Supplier Default, the Supplier will recover the Buyer's Confidential Information however it may be recorded.
- 16.6 Any system development by the Supplier should also comply with the government's '10 Steps to Cyber Security' guidance:  
<https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/guidance/10-steps-cyber-security>
- 16.7 If a Buyer has requested in the Order Form that the Supplier has a Cyber Essentials certificate, the Supplier must provide the Buyer with a valid Cyber Essentials certificate (or equivalent) required for the Services before the Start date.

## 17. Guarantee

- 17.1 If this Call-Off Contract is conditional on receipt of a Guarantee that is acceptable to the Buyer, the Supplier must give the Buyer on or before the Start date:
- 17.1.1 an executed Guarantee in the form at Schedule 5
- 17.1.2 a certified copy of the passed resolution or board minutes of the guarantor approving the execution of the Guarantee

## 18. Ending the Call-Off Contract

- 18.1 The Buyer can End this Call-Off Contract at any time by giving 30 days' written notice to the

Supplier, unless a shorter period is specified in the Order Form. The Supplier's obligation to provide the Services will end on the date in the notice.

18.2 The Parties agree that the:

18.2.1 Buyer's right to End the Call-Off Contract under clause 18.1 is reasonable considering the type of cloud Service being provided

18.2.2 Call-Off Contract Charges paid during the notice period are reasonable compensation and cover all the Supplier's avoidable costs or Losses

18.3 Subject to clause 24 (Liability), if the Buyer Ends this Call-Off Contract under clause 18.1, it will indemnify the Supplier against any commitments, liabilities or expenditure which result in any unavoidable Loss by the Supplier, provided that the Supplier takes all reasonable steps to mitigate the Loss. If the Supplier has insurance, the Supplier will reduce its unavoidable costs by any insurance sums available. The Supplier will submit a fully itemised and costed list of the unavoidable Loss with supporting evidence.

18.4 The Buyer will have the right to End this Call-Off Contract at any time with immediate effect by written notice to the Supplier if either the Supplier commits:

18.4.1 a Supplier Default and if the Supplier Default cannot, in the reasonable opinion of the Buyer, be remedied

18.4.2 any fraud

18.5 A Party can End this Call-Off Contract at any time with immediate effect by written notice if:

18.5.1 the other Party commits a Material Breach of any term of this Call-Off Contract (other than failure to pay any amounts due) and, if that breach is remediable, fails to remedy it within 15 Working Days of being notified in writing to do so

18.5.2 an Insolvency Event of the other Party happens

18.5.3 the other Party ceases or threatens to cease to carry on the whole or any material part of its business

18.6 If the Buyer fails to pay the Supplier undisputed sums of money when due, the Supplier must notify the Buyer and allow the Buyer 5 Working Days to pay. If the Buyer doesn't pay within 5 Working Days, the Supplier may End this Call-Off Contract by giving the length of notice in the Order Form.

18.7 A Party who isn't relying on a Force Majeure event will have the right to End this Call-Off Contract if clause 23.1 applies.

19. Consequences of suspension, ending and expiry

19.1 If a Buyer has the right to End a Call-Off Contract, it may elect to suspend this Call-Off Contract or any part of it.

19.2 Even if a notice has been served to End this Call-Off Contract or any part of it, the Supplier must continue to provide the ordered G-Cloud Services until the dates set out in the notice.

19.3 The rights and obligations of the Parties will cease on the Expiry Date or End Date whichever applies) of this Call-Off Contract, except those continuing provisions described in clause 19.4.

19.4 Ending or expiry of this Call-Off Contract will not affect:

19.4.1 any rights, remedies or obligations accrued before its Ending or expiration

19.4.2 the right of either Party to recover any amount outstanding at the time of Ending or expiry

19.4.3 the continuing rights, remedies or obligations of the Buyer or the Supplier under clauses

- 7 (Payment, VAT and Call-Off Contract charges)
- 8 (Recovery of sums due and right of set-off)
- 9 (Insurance)
- 10 (Confidentiality)
- 11 (Intellectual property rights)
- 12 (Protection of information)
- 13 (Buyer data)
- 19 (Consequences of suspension, ending and expiry)
- 24 (Liability); and incorporated Framework Agreement clauses: 4.1 to 4.6, (Liability), 24 (Conflicts of interest and ethical walls), 35 (Waiver and cumulative remedies)

19.4.4 any other provision of the Framework Agreement or this Call-Off Contract which expressly or by implication is in force even if it Ends or expires.

19.5 At the end of the Call-Off Contract Term, the Supplier must promptly:

19.5.1 return all Buyer Data including all copies of Buyer software, code and any other software licensed by the Buyer to the Supplier under it

19.5.2 return any materials created by the Supplier under this Call-Off Contract if the IPRs are owned by the Buyer

- 19.5.3 stop using the Buyer Data and, at the direction of the Buyer, provide the Buyer with a complete and uncorrupted version in electronic form in the formats and on media agreed with the Buyer
- 19.5.4 destroy all copies of the Buyer Data when they receive the Buyer's written instructions to do so or 12 calendar months after the End or Expiry Date, and provide written confirmation to the Buyer that the data has been securely destroyed, except if the retention of Buyer Data is required by Law
- 19.5.5 work with the Buyer on any ongoing work
- 19.5.6 return any sums prepaid for Services which have not been delivered to the Buyer, within 10 Working Days of the End or Expiry Date
- 19.6 Each Party will return all of the other Party's Confidential Information and confirm this has been done, unless there is a legal requirement to keep it or this Call-Off Contract states otherwise.
- 19.7 All licences, leases and authorisations granted by the Buyer to the Supplier will cease at the end of the Call-Off Contract Term without the need for the Buyer to serve notice except if this Call-Off Contract states otherwise.

## 20. Notices

- 20.1 Any notices sent must be in writing. For the purpose of this clause, an email is accepted as being 'in writing'.
- Manner of delivery: email
  - Deemed time of delivery: 9am on the first Working Day after sending
  - Proof of service: Sent in an emailed letter in PDF format to the correct email address without any error message
- 20.2 This clause does not apply to any legal action or other method of dispute resolution which should be sent to the addresses in the Order Form (other than a dispute notice under this Call-Off Contract).

## 21. Exit plan

- 21.1 The Supplier must provide an exit plan in its Application which ensures continuity of service and the Supplier will follow it.
- 21.2 When requested, the Supplier will help the Buyer to migrate the Services to a replacement supplier in line with the exit plan. This will be at the Supplier's own

expense if the Call-Off Contract Ended before the Expiry Date due to Supplier cause.

- 21.3 If the Buyer has reserved the right in the Order Form to extend the Call-Off Contract Term beyond 36 months the Supplier must provide the Buyer with an additional exit plan for approval by the Buyer at least 8 weeks before the 30 month anniversary of the Start date.
- 21.4 The Supplier must ensure that the additional exit plan clearly sets out the Supplier's methodology for achieving an orderly transition of the Services from the Supplier to the Buyer or its replacement Supplier at the expiry of the proposed extension period or if the contract Ends during that period.
- 21.5 Before submitting the additional exit plan to the Buyer for approval, the Supplier will work with the Buyer to ensure that the additional exit plan is aligned with the Buyer's own exit plan and strategy.
- 21.6 The Supplier acknowledges that the Buyer's right to take the Term beyond 36 months is subject to the Buyer's own governance process. Where the Buyer is a central government department, this includes the need to obtain approval from GDS under the Spend Controls process. The approval to extend will only be given if the Buyer can clearly demonstrate that the Supplier's additional exit plan ensures that:
  - 21.6.1 the Buyer will be able to transfer the Services to a replacement supplier before the expiry or Ending of the period on terms that are commercially reasonable and acceptable to the Buyer
  - 21.6.2 there will be no adverse impact on service continuity
  - 21.6.3 there is no vendor lock-in to the Supplier's Service at exit
  - 21.6.4 it enables the Buyer to meet its obligations under the Technology Code of Practice
- 21.7 If approval is obtained by the Buyer to extend the Term, then the Supplier will comply with its obligations in the additional exit plan.
- 21.8 The additional exit plan must set out full details of timescales, activities and roles and responsibilities of the Parties for:
  - 21.8.1 the transfer to the Buyer of any technical information, instructions, manuals and code reasonably required by the Buyer to enable a smooth migration from the Supplier



21.8.2 the strategy for exportation and migration of Buyer Data from the Supplier system to the Buyer or a replacement supplier, including conversion to open standards or other standards required by the Buyer

21.8.3 the transfer of Project Specific IPR items and other Buyer customisations, configurations and databases to the Buyer or a replacement supplier

21.8.4 the testing and assurance strategy for exported Buyer Data

21.8.5 if relevant, TUPE-related activity to comply with the TUPE regulations

21.8.6 any other activities and information which is reasonably required to ensure continuity of Service during the exit period and an orderly transition

## 22. Handover to replacement supplier

22.1 At least 10 Working Days before the Expiry Date or End Date, the Supplier must provide any:

22.1.1 data (including Buyer Data), Buyer Personal Data and Buyer Confidential Information in the Supplier's possession, power or control

22.1.2 other information reasonably requested by the Buyer

22.2 On reasonable notice at any point during the Term, the Supplier will provide any information and data about the G-Cloud Services reasonably requested by the Buyer (including information on volumes, usage, technical aspects, service performance and staffing). This will help the Buyer understand how the Services have been provided and to run a fair competition for a new supplier.

22.3 This information must be accurate and complete in all material respects and the level of detail must be sufficient to reasonably enable a third party to prepare an informed offer for replacement services and not be unfairly disadvantaged compared to the Supplier in the buying process.

## 23. Force majeure

23.1 If a Force Majeure event prevents a Party from performing its obligations under this Call-Off Contract for more than 30 consecutive days, the other Party may End this Call-Off Contract with immediate effect by written notice.

## 24. Liability

24.1 Subject to incorporated Framework Agreement clauses 4.1 to 4.6, each Party's Yearly total liability for Defaults under or in connection with this Call-Off Contract shall not exceed the greater of five hundred thousand pounds (£500,000) or one hundred and twenty-five per cent (125%) of the Charges paid and/or committed to be paid in that Year (or such greater sum (if any) as may be specified in the Order Form).

4.6, the 24.2 Notwithstanding Clause 24.1 but subject to Framework Agreement clauses 4.1 to  
Supplier's liability:

24.2.1 pursuant to the indemnities in Clauses 7, 10, 11 and 29 shall be unlimited; and

24.2.2 in respect of Losses arising from breach of the Data Protection Legislation shall be as set out in Framework Agreement clause 28.

4.6, the 24.3 Notwithstanding Clause 24.1 but subject to Framework Agreement clauses 4.1 to  
Buyer's liability pursuant to Clause 11.5.2 shall in no event exceed in aggregate five million pounds (£5,000,000).

Clause 24.4 When calculating the Supplier's liability under Clause 24.1 any items specified in  
24.2 will not be taken into consideration.

## 25. Premises

25.1 If either Party uses the other Party's premises, that Party is liable for all loss or damage it causes to the premises. It is responsible for repairing any damage to the premises or any objects on the premises, other than fair wear and tear.

25.2 The Supplier will use the Buyer's premises solely for the performance of its obligations under this Call-Off Contract.

25.3 The Supplier will vacate the Buyer's premises when the Call-Off Contract Ends or expires.

25.4 This clause does not create a tenancy or exclusive right of occupation.

25.5 While on the Buyer's premises, the Supplier will:

25.5.1 comply with any security requirements at the premises and not do anything to weaken the security of the premises

25.5.2 comply with Buyer requirements for the conduct of personnel

25.5.3 comply with any health and safety measures implemented by the Buyer

25.5.4 immediately notify the Buyer of any incident on the premises that causes any damage to Property which could cause personal injury

25.6 The Supplier will ensure that its health and safety policy statement (as required by the Health and Safety at Work etc Act 1974) is made available to the Buyer on request.

## 26. Equipment

26.1 The Supplier is responsible for providing any Equipment which the Supplier requires to provide the Services.

26.2 Any Equipment brought onto the premises will be at the Supplier's own risk and the Buyer will have no liability for any loss of, or damage to, any Equipment.

26.3 When the Call-Off Contract Ends or expires, the Supplier will remove the Equipment and any other materials leaving the premises in a safe and clean condition.

## 27. The Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999

27.1 Except as specified in clause 29.8, a person who isn't Party to this Call-Off Contract has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any of its terms. This does not affect any right or remedy of any person which exists or is available otherwise.

## 28. Environmental requirements

28.1 The Buyer will provide a copy of its environmental policy to the Supplier on request, which the Supplier will comply with.

28.2 The Supplier must provide reasonable support to enable Buyers to work in an environmentally friendly way, for example by helping them recycle or lower their carbon footprint.

## 29. The Employment Regulations (TUPE)

29.1 The Supplier agrees that if the Employment Regulations apply to this Call-Off Contract on the Start date then it must comply with its obligations under the Employment Regulations and (if applicable) New Fair Deal (including entering into an Admission Agreement) and will indemnify the Buyer or any Former Supplier for any loss arising from any failure to comply.

29.2 Twelve months before this Call-Off Contract expires, or after the Buyer has given notice to

End it, and within 28 days of the Buyer's request, the Supplier will fully and accurately disclose to the Buyer all staff information including, but not limited to, the total number of staff assigned for the purposes of TUPE to the Services.

For each person identified the Supplier must provide details of:

- 29.2.1 the activities they perform
- 29.2.2 age
- 29.2.3 start date
- 29.2.4 place of work
- 29.2.5 notice period
- 29.2.6 redundancy payment entitlement
- 29.2.7 salary, benefits and pension entitlements
- 29.2.8 employment status
- 29.2.9 identity of employer
- 29.2.10 working arrangements
- 29.2.11 outstanding liabilities
- 29.2.12 sickness absence
- 29.2.13 copies of all relevant employment contracts and related documents
- 29.2.14 all information required under regulation 11 of TUPE or as reasonably requested by the Buyer

The Supplier warrants the accuracy of the information provided under this TUPE clause and will notify the Buyer of any changes to the amended information as soon as reasonably possible. The Supplier will permit the Buyer to use and disclose the information to any prospective Replacement Supplier.

29.3 In the 12 months before the expiry of this Call-Off Contract, the Supplier will not change the identity and number of staff assigned to the Services (unless reasonably requested by the Buyer) or their terms and conditions, other than in the ordinary course of business.

29.4 The Supplier will co-operate with the re-tendering of this Call-Off Contract by allowing the Replacement Supplier to communicate with and meet the affected employees or their representatives.

29.5 The Supplier will indemnify the Buyer or any Replacement Supplier for all Loss arising from both:

29.5.1 its failure to comply with the provisions of this clause

29.5.2 any claim by any employee or person claiming to be an employee (or their employee representative) of the Supplier which arises or is alleged to arise from any act or omission by the Supplier on or before the date of the Relevant Transfer

29.6 The provisions of this clause apply during the Term of this Call-Off Contract and indefinitely after it Ends or expires.

29.7 For these TUPE clauses, the relevant third party will be able to enforce its rights under this clause but their consent will not be required to vary these clauses as the Buyer and Supplier may agree.

### 30. Additional G-Cloud services

30.1 The Buyer may require the Supplier to provide Additional Services. The Buyer doesn't have to buy any Additional Services from the Supplier and can buy services that are the same as or similar to the Additional Services from any third party.

30.2 If reasonably requested to do so by the Buyer in the Order Form, the Supplier must provide and monitor performance of the Additional Services using an Implementation Plan.

### 31. Collaboration

31.1 If the Buyer has specified in the Order Form that it requires the Supplier to enter into a Collaboration Agreement, the Supplier must give the Buyer an executed Collaboration Agreement before the Start date.

31.2 In addition to any obligations under the Collaboration Agreement, the Supplier must:

31.2.1 work proactively and in good faith with each of the Buyer's contractors

31.2.2 co-operate and share information with the Buyer's contractors to enable the efficient operation of the Buyer's ICT services and G-Cloud Services

### 32. Variation process

32.1 The Buyer can request in writing a change to this Call-Off Contract if it isn't a material change to the Framework Agreement/or this Call-Off Contract. Once implemented, it is called a Variation.

32.2 The Supplier must notify the Buyer immediately in writing of any proposed changes to their G-Cloud Services or their delivery by submitting a Variation request. This includes any changes in the Supplier's supply chain.

32.3 If Either Party can't agree to or provide the Variation, the Buyer may agree to continue performing its obligations under this Call-Off Contract without the Variation, or End this Call-Off Contract by giving 30 days notice to the Supplier.

33. Data Protection Legislation (GDPR)

- 33.1 Pursuant to clause 2.1 and for the avoidance of doubt, clause 28 of the Framework Agreement is incorporated into this Call-Off Contract. For reference, the appropriate UK GDPR templates which are required to be completed in accordance with clause 28 are reproduced in this Call-Off Contract document at Schedule 7.

## Schedule 1: Services

### Statement of Requirements

Term	Definition
ASSC	Assets Subject to Special Control
CCMIS	Customs and Compliance Management Information System
CyDR	Cyber Defence and Risk
DR	Disaster Recovery
HMG	Her Majesties Government
HMRC	Her Majesties Revenue and Customs
HVAC	Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
IMM	Integrated Movements Management
ISO	International Standards Organisation
ITHC	Information Technology Health Check
ITV	In-Transit Visibility
LAN	Local Area Network
MCN	MOD Core Network
MOD	Ministry of Defence
OGD	Other Government Departments
OS	Operating System
OSD	Out of Service Date
PaaS	Platform as a Service
RAMP	Remote Access Movements Portal
RHEL	Red Hat Enterprise Linux
RLI	Restricted LAN Interconnect
RMADS	Risk Management and Accreditation Documentation Set
SAC	Security Assurance Coordinator
SC	Security Check
SLA	Service Level Agreement
SMI	Secure Managed Interface
SOW	Statement of Work
SWG	Security Working Group
UII	Unique Item Identification
UK	United Kingdom
US DoT	United States Department of Transportation
BMfS	Business Modernisation for Support
WG Apps	WATERGUARD Applications

## Hosting and Infrastructure Support

### Background

1. The Business Modernisation for Support (BMfS) Programme is currently responsible for the delivery of two applications within the Defence Portfolio: RAMP and WG Apps. (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

### Platform as a Service

2. The hosting and infrastructure support for RAMP and for WG Apps will be provided through a 'Platform as a Service' (PaaS) offering. (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE). The infrastructure must provide Internet and Restricted LAN Interconnect (RLI)/ Secure Managed Interface (SMI) connectivity and be accredited by Cyber Defence and Risk (CyDR).

3. Key features characterising the PaaS requirement for RAMP and WG Apps are outlined below:

- a. The PaaS must be hosted in a Secure UK Data Centre and managed by staff with a minimum Security Clearance of Security Check (SC).
- b. (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
- c. The PaaS must have connectivity to the RLI/SMI, and to the Internet.
- d. The PaaS must be able to provide 24/7/365 availability.
- e. (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

4. The distinction between boundaries of support, that defines what is meant by PaaS is detailed in Figure 1 below.

(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

*Figure 1 - Support Boundaries*

### In-Scope

5. The following services must be included within the provision of the PaaS:

### Primary Site

- a. Data Centre.



b. Communications:

- (1) Internet Provision.
- (2) RLI Provision.
- (3) Disaster Recovery (DR) Site Link.
- (4) Hardware:
- (5) Secure Gateways (Internet and RLI).
- (6) Network Infrastructure directly associated with the provision of RAMP and WG Apps.
- (7) Monitoring Infrastructure directly associated with the provision of RAMP and WG Apps.
- (8) A Cloud Environment.
- (9) Hardware directly associated with the hosting of RAMP and WG Apps.
- (10) Backup Servers and Storage directly associated with the provision of RAMP and WG Apps.
- (11) Software:
- (12) VMWare Virtualisation.
- (13) Host Operating Systems.
- (14) (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
- (15) Disaster Recovery Software.
- (16) All relevant equipment firmware. Disaster Recovery Site

c. Data Centre.

d. Communications:

- (1) Internet Provision.
- (2) RLI Provision.
- (3) DR Site Link.
- (4) Hardware:

- (5) Secure Gateways (Internet and RLI).
- (6) Network Infrastructure directly associated with RAMP and WG Apps provision.
- (7) Monitoring Infrastructure directly associated with RAMP and WG Apps provision.
- (8) A Cloud Environment.
- (9) Hardware directly associated with the hosting of RAMP and WG Apps.
- (10) Backup Servers and Storage directly associated with the provision of RAMP and WG Apps.

Out of Scope

6. This Statement of Work specifically excludes:

- a. Any client code supplied by the Authority, or one of their suppliers for which the Hosting Provider is not considered responsible.
- b. Hosting and support of the Secure Managed Interconnect 2 (SMI-2) Gateway, provision of which is an Authority responsibility.
- c. Hosting and support of the Restricted LAN Interconnect, provision of which is an Authority responsibility.

## Service Support

As per the Service Definition Document embedded below:

### Accreditation

17. (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE).  
Accreditation for the applications does not include, but is dependent upon, the accreditation of the underlying hosting environment.

18. The boundary of responsibility for Application and Hosting Environment accreditation is illustrated in Figure 2 below.

(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

*Figure 2 - Accreditation Responsibility Scope*

(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

### Governance

11. The Contractor shall provide the Authority with Monthly Review Reports. The Monthly Review Reports shall be provided in line with Line 4.1 of Table 5 below.

12. The Monthly Review Report shall be subject to the Authorities Project Manager. The Authorities Project Manager shall have 30 days to accept the Monthly Review Report.

13. The Contractor shall also attend a Monthly Review Meeting. The meeting shall be held via MS Teams, unless otherwise requested by either the Authority or the Contractor.

14. The Authority shall chair the Monthly Review Meeting.

15. The Contractor shall ensure that the appropriate SQEP is in attendance at the Monthly Review Meeting.

### Social Value

16. Table 4 details the social values that the Authority would desire to see the service operate under.

Theme	Policy Outcome	Delivery Objectives – What good looks like

Wellbeing	Improve health and wellbeing	<p>Activities that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Demonstrate action to support the health and wellbeing, including physical and mental health, in the contract workforce.</li> <li>- Influence staff, suppliers, customers and communities through the delivery of the contract to support health and wellbeing, including physical and mental health.</li> </ul>
Equal opportunity	Tackle workforce inequality	<p>Activities that:</p> <p>Support in-work progression to help people, including those from disadvantaged or minority groups, to move into higher paid work by developing new skills relevant to the contract</p>
	Reduce the disability employment gap	<p>Activities that:</p> <p>Influence staff, suppliers, customers and communities through the delivery of the contract to support disabled people</p>

*Table 4 – Social Value Themes and Outcomes*

**Statement of Work**

28. This Statement of work covers the period 01 Apr 24 to 31 Mar 25 and will be reviewed/renewed annually.

29. Table 5 below articulates the BMfS Application Hosting SOW:

Task ID	Work Item	Criticality K – Key	Acceptance Criteria	Validation Method
<b>1. Support and Maintenance Services</b>				
1.1	<b><u>Foundation Service</u></b>  The Hosting Provider will provide functioning Hardware required to run the RAMP and WG Apps environments and manage the physical hosting within a data centre	K	All data must be hosted within the UK  Access to the data centre must be security controlled	Initial User Acceptance
1.2	<b><u>Operating System Management</u></b>  Install and provide basic configuration and support of application software purchased through The Hosting  Provider as part of the Client Solution	K	User Verification of initial installation  Operating System (OS) Patching to be carried out on an automated schedule with restarts agreed for a pre-defined time outside of normal operating hours	Initial User Acceptance  Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings

			Critical Security Patches to be applied within 7 working days following testing	
1.3	<b><u>Firewall Management</u></b>  The Contractor shall install and maintain the configuration of a Hardware firewall.	K	Configuration requests to be completed in accordance with the Service Levels defined in this SoW.	Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings
1.4	<b><u>Business Continuity.</u></b>  1. Perform Daily Backup of the RAMP and WG Apps Environments  2. Ensure Availability Criteria of the Service can be maintained  Restore service to a known point in the event of a full system failure		Identify, correct, and use reasonable endeavours to re-run failed backup issues within 8 core hours  Platform meets availability Targets demonstrated through Monthly Report	Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings

1.5	<b><u>Anti-virus Management</u></b>  The Contractor will install and maintain anti-virus software.	K	Must meet the minimum requirements for Data Centre and Application accreditation	Initial Acceptance  Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings
1.6	<b><u>Monitoring and Alert Management</u></b>  Provide system health monitoring for all server hardware and provide pro-active investigation of received alerts.	K	Alerts should include, but not be limited to:  Unexpected Server Restarts  Free Disk Space (20%, 10%, 5%, 1% remaining)	Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings
1.7	<b><u>Application Installation and Configuration</u></b>  Provide the initial installation and maintain agreed configuration of foundation applications. RAMP and WG Apps and their associated middleware are specifically excluded from this requirement as patching of		Provide patching of agreed applications	Monthly Reports  Monthly Review Meetings

1.8	<p><b><u>Application Installation and Configuration</u></b></p> <p>Provide the initial installation and maintain agreed configuration of foundation applications. RAMP and WG Apps and their associated middleware are specifically excluded from this requirement as patching of these applications will be undertaken by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party.</p>		Provide patching of agreed applications	<p>Monthly Reports</p> <p>Monthly Review Meetings</p>
1.9	<p><b><u>Quality Management</u></b></p> <p>The Hosting Provider should maintain certification for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. ISO9001 (Quality Management System)</li> <li>2. ISO14001 (Environmental Management Systems)</li> <li>3. ISO20000 (Service Management Systems)</li> <li>4. ISO/IWC27001 (Information Security Management Systems)</li> </ol>		Copies of Certificates.	Demonstration



1.10	<b><u>Capacity and Availability</u></b>  <b><u>Management</u></b>  Provide concurrent flexible access to the services to a user base that can grow, over the period of performance of the contract		(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	Monthly Report  Monthly Review Meetings
1.11	<b><u>Service Desk Support</u></b>  1. 1 <sup>st</sup> Line Support Desk  2. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Line Application Support  3. Account Creation/Archive  4. Password Reset		Availability against Core Hours  Reported in Monthly Report	Monthly Report  Monthly Review Meetings

2. Accreditation				
2.1	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
2.2	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
2.3	<p><b><u>Security Working Group</u></b></p> <p>1. Provide appropriate representation at the RAMP Security Working Group (SWG)</p>		Attendance (virtual or physical) of appropriately qualified representative at the SWG	It should be anticipated that an SWG will be held for each application at 6-monthly intervals.

2.4	<b><u>Support to Application Accreditation</u></b>  1. Support the Authority in maintaining accreditation for RAMP.		Provision, at the Authority's request, of relevant information about the hosting service to support the provision of Risk Management and Accreditation  Documentation Sets ( RMADS) for RAMP and WG Apps	Support will be limited to provision of information about the hosting service, not for completion of the RMADS documents themselves
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3. Documentation				
3.1	<p><b><u>Forensic Readiness Plan</u></b></p> <p>A document describing details of the Forensic Readiness and the associated management activities undertaken by the Hosting Provider required to be able to collect, preserve, protect and analyse Digital Evidence so that this evidence can be effectively used in any legal matters, in security investigations, in disciplinary matters, in an employment tribunal or in a court of law.</p>		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up-issued on any significant changes	Document should be approved by the Security Assurance Coordinator (SAC) for RAMP and for WG Apps.
3.2	<p><b><u>In-Service Management Plan</u></b></p> <p>An In-service Management Plan is required to ensure that the delivery of the service is carried out in a consistent and effective manner. The In-Service Management Plan should be worked up in conjunction with the Service Level Agreement and should include the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Event Management</li> <li>2. Incident Management</li> <li>3. Problem Management</li> </ol>		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up-issued on any significant changes	<p>Initial Acceptance</p> <p>Monthly Review Meetings</p>

	4. Change Management 5. Access Management 6. Security Management 7. Knowledge Management			
3.4	<p><b><u>Exit Plan</u></b></p> <p>In accordance with Clause 21 of the Order Form. The Exit Plan shall be produced to detail the exit strategy in the event of a termination notice of the contract, or the removal of the requirement for hosting either RAMP or WG Apps from the Contract.</p>		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up issued on any significant changes.	Initial Acceptance  6-Monthly Review Meetings

3.5	<p><b><u>Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Plan</u></b></p> <p>The Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Plan will provide details of how the Hosting Provider will continue the day-to-day delivery of the RAMP service, the WG Apps Service, the supporting hosting infrastructure, and the internal services, in the event of any degree of disruption or disaster.</p>		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up issued on any significant changes	<p>Initial Acceptance</p> <p>6-Monthly Review Meetings</p>
3.6	<p><b><u>High Level Design</u></b></p> <p>The Authority requires a High Level Design document that provides the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solution overview</li> <li>• Internet and ALI design</li> <li>• Logical Domains</li> <li>• Replication and Disaster Recovery</li> <li>• Redundancy</li> <li>• Security and Monitoring</li> <li>• Back-ups</li> <li>• Physical System Layout</li> </ul> <p>System Administration</p>		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up issued on any significant changes	<p>Initial Acceptance</p> <p>6-Monthly Review Meetings</p>

3.7	<b><u>Asset Register</u></b>  Provision of a document detailing the Hardware and Software assets that form part of the PaaS		To be issued within 1 month of Contract Award and up issued on any significant changes.	Initial Acceptance  Monthly Review Meetings
3.8	<b><u>Environmental Policy Statement</u></b>  The Hosting Provider must provide a copy of their Environmental Policy Statement stating how they will monitor and measure their Carbon Footprint and detailing any specific measures undertaken to address environmental concerns associated with the operation of the PaaS		An Environmental Policy Statement should be issued within 1 month of Contract Award.	Authority acceptance of the Environmental Policy Statement

4. Contract Management				
4.1	<p><b><u>Monthly Service Reporting</u></b></p> <p>The Hosting Provider should provide Monthly Service Management Reports.</p>		<p>Report to be issued within 10 days of month-end and should include, but not be limited to:</p> <p>Service Summary (Active Users by Service, Service Level Agreement (SLA) Targets)</p> <p>User Details</p> <p>Service Management (record of Tickets Raised)</p> <p>Environment Performance</p> <p>Uptime Availability</p> <p>System Maintenance (Planned and Actual)</p>	<p>Acceptance of the report.</p> <p>Monthly Review Meetings</p>



4.2	<p><b><u>Quarterly Service Reporting</u></b></p> <p>The hosting Provider will support a Quarterly Review Meeting that should discuss, but not be limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Contract Performance over the preceding Quarter,</li> <li>2. Capacity and Availability Management,</li> <li>3. Planned Changes to Service (Authority or Provider).</li> </ol>	K	Meeting to be held within 3 weeks of the end of each quarter.	Monthly Review Meetings
4.3	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)	(REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

Table 5 - Application Hosting Statement of Work

**Precedence:** In the event of any conflict, the following order of precedence shall apply:

1. The completed Call Off Order Form (excluding Schedule 1: Services)
2. The Authority Statement of Requirements (Schedule 1: Services)

## Schedule 2: Call-Off Contract charges

For each individual Service, the applicable Call-Off Contract Charges can't be amended during the term of the Call-Off Contract. The detailed Charges breakdown for the provision of Services are based on an overall Contract FIRM Price of £1,614,000.00, (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PUPROSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)

## Schedule 3: Collaboration agreement – Not Applicable

## Schedule 4: Alternative clauses – Not Applicable

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## Schedule 5: Guarantee – Not Applicable

## Schedule 6: Glossary and interpretations

In this Call-Off Contract the following expressions mean:

Expression	Meaning
<b>Additional Services</b>	Any services ancillary to the G-Cloud Services that are in the scope of Framework Agreement Clause 2 (Services) which a Buyer may request.
<b>Admission Agreement</b>	The agreement to be entered into to enable the Supplier to participate in the relevant Civil Service pension scheme(s).
<b>Application</b>	The response submitted by the Supplier to the Invitation to Tender (known as the Invitation to Apply on the Platform).
<b>Audit</b>	An audit carried out under the incorporated Framework Agreement clauses.
<b>Background IPRs</b>	<p>For each Party, IPRs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>owned by that Party before the date of this Call-Off Contract (as may be enhanced and/or modified but not as a consequence of the Services) including IPRs contained in any of the Party's Know-How, documentation and processes</li> <li>created by the Party independently of this Call-Off Contract, or</li> </ul> <p>For the Buyer, Crown Copyright which isn't available to the Supplier otherwise than under this Call-Off Contract, but excluding IPRs owned by that Party in Buyer software or Supplier software.</p>

<b>Buyer</b>	The contracting authority ordering services as set out in the Order Form.
<b>Buyer Data</b>	All data supplied by the Buyer to the Supplier including Personal Data and Service Data that is owned and managed by the Buyer.
<b>Buyer Personal Data</b>	The Personal Data supplied by the Buyer to the Supplier for purposes of, or in connection with, this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Buyer Representative</b>	The representative appointed by the Buyer under this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Buyer Software</b>	Software owned by or licensed to the Buyer (other than under this Agreement), which is or will be used by the Supplier to provide the Services.
<b>Call-Off Contract</b>	This call-off contract entered into following the provisions of the Framework Agreement for the provision of Services made between the Buyer and the Supplier comprising the Order Form, the Call-Off terms and conditions, the Call-Off schedules and the Collaboration Agreement.



<b>Charges</b>	The prices (excluding any applicable VAT), payable to the Supplier by the Buyer under this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Collaboration Agreement</b>	An agreement, substantially in the form set out at Schedule 3, between the Buyer and any combination of the Supplier and contractors, to ensure collaborative working in their delivery of the Buyer's Services and to ensure that the Buyer receives end-to-end services across its IT estate.
<b>Commercially Sensitive Information</b>	Information, which the Buyer has been notified about by the Supplier in writing before the Start date with full details of why the Information is deemed to be commercially sensitive.
<b>Confidential Information</b>	<p>Data, Personal Data and any information, which may include (but isn't limited to) any:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>information about business, affairs, developments, trade secrets, know-how, personnel, and third parties, including all Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs), together with all information derived from any of the above</li> <li>other information clearly designated as being confidential or which ought reasonably be considered to be confidential (whether or not it is marked 'confidential').</li> </ul>
<b>Control</b>	'Control' as defined in section 1124 and 450 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010. 'Controls' and 'Controlled' will be interpreted accordingly.

<b>Controller</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR.
<b>Crown</b>	The government of the United Kingdom (including the Northern Ireland Assembly and Executive Committee, the Scottish Executive and the National Assembly for Wales), including, but not limited to, government ministers and government departments and particular bodies, persons, commissions or agencies carrying out functions on its behalf.

<b>Data Loss Event</b>	Event that results, or may result, in unauthorised access to Personal Data held by the Processor under this Call-Off Contract and/or actual or potential loss and/or destruction of Personal Data in breach of this Agreement, including any Personal Data Breach.
<b>Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)</b>	An assessment by the Controller of the impact of the envisaged Processing on the protection of Personal Data.
<b>Data Protection Legislation (DPL)</b>	(i) the UK GDPR as amended from time to time; (ii) the DPA 2018 to the extent that it relates to Processing of Personal Data and privacy; (iii) all applicable Law about the Processing of Personal Data and privacy.
<b>Data Subject</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR

<b>Default</b>	<p>Default is any:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• breach of the obligations of the Supplier (including any fundamental breach or breach of a fundamental term)</li> <li>• other default, negligence or negligent statement of the Supplier, of its Subcontractors or any Supplier Staff (whether by act or omission), in connection with or in relation to this Call-Off Contract</li> </ul> <p>Unless otherwise specified in the Framework Agreement the Supplier is liable to CCS for a Default of the Framework Agreement and in relation to a Default of the Call-Off Contract, the Supplier is liable to the Buyer.</p>
<b>DPA 2018</b>	Data Protection Act 2018.
<b>Employment Regulations</b>	The Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 (SI 2006/246) ('TUPE') .
<b>End</b>	Means to terminate; and Ended and Ending are construed accordingly.
<b>Environmental Information Regulations or EIR</b>	The Environmental Information Regulations 2004 together with any guidance or codes of practice issued by the Information Commissioner or relevant government department about the regulations.
<b>Equipment</b>	The Supplier's hardware, computer and telecoms devices, plant, materials and such other items supplied and used by the Supplier (but not hired, leased or loaned from CCS or the Buyer) in the performance of its obligations under this Call-Off Contract.

<b>ESI Reference Number</b>	The 14 digit ESI reference number from the summary of the outcome screen of the ESI tool.
<b>Employment Status Indicator test tool or ESI tool</b>	The HMRC Employment Status Indicator test tool. The most up-to-date version must be used. At the time of drafting the tool may be found here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/check-employment-status-fortax">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/check-employment-status-fortax</a>
<b>Expiry Date</b>	The expiry date of this Call-Off Contract in the Order Form.

<b>Force Majeure</b>	<p>A force Majeure event means anything affecting either Party's performance of their obligations arising from any:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• acts, events or omissions beyond the reasonable control of the affected Party</li> <li>• riots, war or armed conflict, acts of terrorism, nuclear, biological or chemical warfare</li> <li>• acts of government, local government or Regulatory Bodies</li> <li>• fire, flood or disaster and any failure or shortage of power or fuel</li> <li>• industrial dispute affecting a third party for which a substitute third party isn't reasonably available</li> </ul> <p>The following do not constitute a Force Majeure event:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• any industrial dispute about the Supplier, its staff, or failure in the Supplier's (or a Subcontractor's) supply chain</li> <li>• any event which is attributable to the wilful act, neglect or failure to take reasonable precautions by the Party seeking to rely on Force Majeure</li> <li>• the event was foreseeable by the Party seeking to rely on Force</li> </ul> <p>Majeure at the time this Call-Off Contract was entered into</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• any event which is attributable to the Party seeking to rely on Force Majeure and its failure to comply with its own business continuity and disaster recovery plans</li> </ul>
<b>Former Supplier</b>	<p>A supplier supplying services to the Buyer before the Start date that are the same as or substantially similar to the Services. This also includes any Subcontractor or the Supplier (or any subcontractor of the Subcontractor).</p>
<b>Framework Agreement</b>	<p>The clauses of framework agreement RM1557.13 together with the Framework Schedules.</p>

<b>Fraud</b>	Any offence under Laws creating offences in respect of fraudulent acts (including the Misrepresentation Act 1967) or at common law in respect of fraudulent acts in relation to this Call-Off Contract or
	defrauding or attempting to defraud or conspiring to defraud the Crown.
<b>Freedom of Information Act or FoIA</b>	The Freedom of Information Act 2000 and any subordinate legislation made under the Act together with any guidance or codes of practice issued by the Information Commissioner or relevant government department in relation to the legislation.
<b>G-Cloud Services</b>	The cloud services described in Framework Agreement Clause 2 (Services) as defined by the Service Definition, the Supplier Terms and any related Application documentation, which the Supplier must make available to CCS and Buyers and those services which are deliverable by the Supplier under the Collaboration Agreement.
<b>UK GDPR</b>	The retained EU law version of the General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/679).
<b>Good Industry Practice</b>	Standards, practices, methods and process conforming to the Law and the exercise of that degree of skill and care, diligence, prudence and foresight which would reasonably and ordinarily be expected from a skilled and experienced person or body engaged in a similar undertaking in the same or similar circumstances.

<b>Government Procurement Card</b>	The government's preferred method of purchasing and payment for low value goods or services.
<b>Guarantee</b>	The guarantee described in Schedule 5.
<b>Guidance</b>	Any current UK government guidance on the Public Contracts Regulations 2015. In the event of a conflict between any current UK government guidance and the Crown Commercial Service guidance, current UK government guidance will take precedence.
<b>Implementation Plan</b>	The plan with an outline of processes (including data standards for migration), costs (for example) of implementing the services which may be required as part of Onboarding.
<b>Indicative test</b>	ESI tool completed by contractors on their own behalf at the request of CCS or the Buyer (as applicable) under clause 4.6.
<b>Information</b>	Has the meaning given under section 84 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.
<b>Information security management system</b>	The information security management system and process developed by the Supplier in accordance with clause 16.1.

<b>Inside IR35</b>	Contractual engagements which would be determined to be within the scope of the IR35 Intermediaries legislation if assessed using the ESI tool.
<b>Insolvency event</b>	<p>Can be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a voluntary arrangement</li> <li>• a winding-up petition</li> <li>• the appointment of a receiver or administrator</li> <li>• an unresolved statutory demand</li> <li>• a Schedule A1 moratorium</li> <li>• a Dun &amp; Bradstreet rating of 10 or less</li> </ul>
<b>Intellectual Property Rights or IPR</b>	<p>Intellectual Property Rights are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• copyright, rights related to or affording protection similar to copyright, rights in databases, patents and rights in inventions, semi-conductor topography rights, trade marks, rights in internet domain names and website addresses and other rights in trade names, designs, Know-How, trade secrets and other rights in Confidential Information</li> <li>• applications for registration, and the right to apply for registration, for any of the rights listed at (a) that are capable of being registered in any country or jurisdiction</li> <li>• all other rights having equivalent or similar effect in any country or jurisdiction</li> </ul>
<b>Intermediary</b>	<p>For the purposes of the IR35 rules an intermediary can be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the supplier's own limited company</li> <li>• a service or a personal service company</li> <li>• a partnership</li> </ul> <p>It does not apply if you work for a client through a Managed Service Company (MSC) or agency (for example, an employment agency).</p>



<b>IPR claim</b>	As set out in clause 11.5.
<b>IR35</b>	IR35 is also known as 'Intermediaries legislation'. It's a set of rules that affect tax and National Insurance where a Supplier is contracted to work for a client through an Intermediary.
<b>IR35 assessment</b>	Assessment of employment status using the ESI tool to determine if engagement is Inside or Outside IR35.

<b>Know-How</b>	All ideas, concepts, schemes, information, knowledge, techniques, methodology, and anything else in the nature of know-how relating to the G-Cloud Services but excluding know-how already in the Supplier's or Buyer's possession before the Start date.
<b>Law</b>	Any law, subordinate legislation within the meaning of Section 21(1) of the Interpretation Act 1978, bye-law, regulation, order, regulatory policy, mandatory guidance or code of practice, judgment of a relevant court of law, or directives or requirements with which the relevant Party is bound to comply.
<b>Loss</b>	All losses, liabilities, damages, costs, expenses (including legal fees), disbursements, costs of investigation, litigation, settlement, judgment, interest and penalties whether arising in contract, tort (including negligence), breach of statutory duty, misrepresentation or otherwise and ' <b>Losses</b> ' will be interpreted accordingly.

<b>Lot</b>	Any of the 3 Lots specified in the ITT and Lots will be construed accordingly.
<b>Malicious Software</b>	Any software program or code intended to destroy, interfere with, corrupt, or cause undesired effects on program files, data or other information, executable code or application software macros, whether or not its operation is immediate or delayed, and whether the malicious software is introduced wilfully, negligently or without knowledge of its existence.
<b>Management Charge</b>	The sum paid by the Supplier to CCS being an amount of up to 1% but currently set at 0.75% of all Charges for the Services invoiced to Buyers (net of VAT) in each month throughout the duration of the Framework Agreement and thereafter, until the expiry or End of any Call-Off Contract.
<b>Management Information</b>	The management information specified in Framework Agreement Schedule 6.
<b>Material Breach</b>	Those breaches which have been expressly set out as a Material Breach and any other single serious breach or persistent failure to perform as required under this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Ministry of Justice Code</b>	The Ministry of Justice's Code of Practice on the Discharge of the Functions of Public Authorities under Part 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

<b>New Fair Deal</b>	The revised Fair Deal position in the HM Treasury guidance: “Fair Deal for staff pensions: staff transfer from central government” issued in October 2013 as amended.
<b>Order</b>	An order for G-Cloud Services placed by a contracting body with the Supplier in accordance with the ordering processes.
<b>Order Form</b>	The order form set out in Part A of the Call-Off Contract to be used by a Buyer to order G-Cloud Services.
<b>Ordered G-Cloud Services</b>	G-Cloud Services which are the subject of an order by the Buyer.
<b>Outside IR35</b>	Contractual engagements which would be determined to not be within the scope of the IR35 intermediaries legislation if assessed using the ESI tool.
<b>Party</b>	The Buyer or the Supplier and ‘Parties’ will be interpreted accordingly.

<b>Personal Data</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR.
<b>Personal Data Breach</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR.
<b>Platform</b>	The government marketplace where Services are available for Buyers to buy.
<b>Processing</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR.
<b>Processor</b>	Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR.

<b>Prohibited act</b>	<p>To directly or indirectly offer, promise or give any person working for or engaged by a Buyer or CCS a financial or other advantage to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• induce that person to perform improperly a relevant function or activity</li> <li>• reward that person for improper performance of a relevant function or activity</li> <li>• commit any offence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ under the Bribery Act 2010</li> <li>○ under legislation creating offences concerning Fraud</li> <li>○ at common Law concerning Fraud</li> <li>○ committing or attempting or conspiring to commit Fraud</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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<b>Project Specific IPRs</b>	<p>Any intellectual property rights in items created or arising out of the performance by the Supplier (or by a third party on behalf of the Supplier) specifically for the purposes of this Call-Off Contract including databases, configurations, code, instructions, technical documentation and schema but not including the Supplier's Background IPRs.</p>
<b>Property</b>	<p>Assets and property including technical infrastructure, IPRs and equipment.</p>

<b>Protective Measures</b>	Appropriate technical and organisational measures which may include: pseudonymisation and encrypting Personal Data, ensuring confidentiality, integrity, availability and resilience of systems and services, ensuring that availability of and access to Personal Data can be restored in a timely manner after an incident, and regularly assessing and evaluating the effectiveness of such measures adopted by it.
<b>PSN or Public Services Network</b>	The Public Services Network (PSN) is the government's high performance network which helps public sector organisations work together, reduce duplication and share resources.
<b>Regulatory body or bodies</b>	Government departments and other bodies which, whether under statute, codes of practice or otherwise, are entitled to investigate or influence the matters dealt with in this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Relevant person</b>	Any employee, agent, servant, or representative of the Buyer, any other public body or person employed by or on behalf of the Buyer, or any other public body.
<b>Relevant Transfer</b>	A transfer of employment to which the employment regulations applies.

<b>Replacement Services</b>	Any services which are the same as or substantially similar to any of the Services and which the Buyer receives in substitution for any of the services after the expiry or Ending or partial Ending of the Call-Off Contract, whether those services are provided by the Buyer or a third party.
<b>Replacement supplier</b>	Any third-party service provider of replacement services appointed by the Buyer (or where the Buyer is providing replacement Services for its own account, the Buyer).
<b>Security management plan</b>	The Supplier's security management plan developed by the Supplier in accordance with clause 16.1.
<b>Services</b>	The services ordered by the Buyer as set out in the Order Form.
<b>Service data</b>	Data that is owned or managed by the Buyer and used for the G-Cloud Services, including backup data.

<b>Service definition(s)</b>	The definition of the Supplier's G-Cloud Services provided as part of their Application that includes, but isn't limited to, those items listed in Clause 2 (Services) of the Framework Agreement.
<b>Service description</b>	The description of the Supplier service offering as published on the Platform.
<b>Service Personal Data</b>	The Personal Data supplied by a Buyer to the Supplier in the course of the use of the G-Cloud Services for purposes of or in connection with this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Spend controls</b>	The approval process used by a central government Buyer if it needs to spend money on certain digital or technology services, see <a href="https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/spend-controlscheck-if-you-need-approval-to-spend-money-on-a-service">https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/spend-controlscheck-if-you-need-approval-to-spend-money-on-a-service</a>
<b>Start date</b>	The Start date of this Call-Off Contract as set out in the Order Form.



<b>Subcontract</b>	Any contract or agreement or proposed agreement between the Supplier and a subcontractor in which the subcontractor agrees to provide to the Supplier the G-Cloud Services or any part thereof or facilities or goods and services necessary for the provision of the G-Cloud Services or any part thereof.
<b>Subcontractor</b>	Any third party engaged by the Supplier under a subcontract (permitted under the Framework Agreement and the Call-Off Contract) and its servants or agents in connection with the provision of G-Cloud Services.
<b>Subprocessor</b>	Any third party appointed to process Personal Data on behalf of the Supplier under this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Supplier</b>	The person, firm or company identified in the Order Form.
<b>Supplier Representative</b>	The representative appointed by the Supplier from time to time in relation to the Call-Off Contract.

<b>Supplier staff</b>	All persons employed by the Supplier together with the Supplier's servants, agents, suppliers and subcontractors used in the performance of its obligations under this Call-Off Contract.
<b>Supplier Terms</b>	The relevant G-Cloud Service terms and conditions as set out in the Terms and Conditions document supplied as part of the Supplier's Application.
<b>Term</b>	The term of this Call-Off Contract as set out in the Order Form.
<b>Variation</b>	This has the meaning given to it in clause 32 (Variation process).
<b>Working Days</b>	Any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday in England and Wales.
<b>Year</b>	A contract year.

## Schedule 7: UK GDPR Information

This schedule reproduces the annexes to the UK GDPR schedule contained within the Framework Agreement and incorporated into this Call-off Contract and clause and schedule references are to those in the Framework Agreement but references to CCS have been amended.

## Annex 1: Processing Personal Data

This Annex shall be completed by the Controller, who may take account of the view of the Processors, however the final decision as to the content of this Annex shall be with the Buyer at its absolute discretion.

- a. The contact details of the Buyer's Data Protection Officer are: (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
- b. The contact details of the Supplier's Data Protection Officer are: (REDACTED FOR SECURITY PURPOSES - OFFICIAL SENSITIVE)
- c. The Processor shall comply with any further written instructions with respect to Processing by the Controller.
- d. Any such further instructions shall be incorporated into this Annex.

Description	Details
Identity of Controller for each Category of Personal Data	<p><b>The Buyer is Controller and the Supplier is Processor</b></p> <p>The Parties acknowledge that in accordance with paragraphs 2 to paragraph 15 of Schedule 7 and for the purposes of the Data Protection Legislation, Buyer is the Controller and the Supplier is the Processor of the Personal Data recorded below</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Names, email addresses, role information and contact details of Authority representatives. This data will be stored by the supplier</li></ul>

Duration of the Processing	Up to 7 years after the expiry or termination of the Framework Agreement
Nature and purposes of the Processing	The nature of the Processing means any operation such as collection, storage, recording, retrieval, dissemination or otherwise making available, alignment or combination, restriction, erasure or destruction of data (whether or not by automated means) etc. The purpose might include obligation.
Type of Personal Data	Names, email addresses, role information and contact details of Authority representatives. This data will be stored by the supplier.

Categories of Data Subject	Examples include: Staff (including volunteers, agents, and temporary workers)
Plan for return and destruction of the data once the Processing is complete UNLESS requirement under Union or Member State law to preserve that type of data	The data will be retained for the life of the contract, and will be destroyed at contract expiry.