

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS LIMITED

NEC4 Professional Service Contract (June 2017 with amendments January 2019 and October 2020)

WILLMOTT DIXON CONSTRUCTION LTD

FORM OF AGREEMENT BY DEED

relating to services of the

Development of Ipswich Maintenance Depot

Contract Reference Number ITT_1016

THIS AGREEMENT BY DEED is made the [24] day of Jik.in. 2025

PARTIES

- NATIONAL HIGHWAYS LIMITED, a company incorporated in and in accordance with the laws of England having as its registered number 09346363 of Bridge House, 1 Walnut Tree Close, Guildford, Surrey, England, GU1 4LZ ("the Client"); and
- WILLMOTT DIXON CONSTRUCTION LTD a company incorporated in and in accordance with the laws of England, having as its registered number 00768173 and its registered office at Suite 201 The Spirella Building, Bridge Road, Letchworth Garden City, Hertfordshire, England, SG6 4ET (the "Consultant").

RECITALS

- A The Client wishes to appoint a consultant to provide the services during the term of the contract and for that purpose has issued invitations to tender to, amongst others, the Consultant.
- B In response to the *Client's* invitation to tender, the *Consultant* has submitted a tender to Provide the Service in conformity with the Conditions of Contract, the Contract Data and the Scope.
- C The Client has accepted the Consultant's tender and now wishes to appoint the Consultant [to provide the services on the terms of this Agreement.

OPERATIVE PROVISIONS

- 1. Definitions and Interpretation
 - 1.1 In this Agreement (including the Recitals) words and expressions have the same meaning given to them in the Conditions referred to below.

2. Contract Documents

- 2.1 The following documents form part of this Agreement:
 - the NEC4 Professional Service Contract (June 2017 with amendments January 2019, October 2020 and January 2023) incorporating Main Option A: Priced contract with activity schedule, together with resolving and avoiding disputes Option W2 and secondary Options:
 - Option X2: Changes in the law
 - Option X7: Delay damages
 - Option X8: Undertakings to the Client or Others
 - Option X11: Termination by the Client

- Option X18: Limitation of liability
- Option Y(UK)2: The Housing Grants, Construction and Regeneration Act 1996
- Option Y(UK)3: The Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999
- o Option Z: Additional conditions of contract
 - Z1 to Z60 (inclusive)

("the Conditions");

- the Contract Data Part One v02, and the documents referred to therein;
- the Contract Data Part Two titled 'WD Construction 07 PSC Contract Data Part Two v2.0' and the documents referred to therein;
- Scope tilted 'Ipswich PSC Scope v1.0';
- the Consultant's tender; as amended within "Tender Queries and responses (refer to Schedule herewith Post Tender Clarifications (refer to Schedule herewith;
- the Early Warning Register (referenced in Contract Data Part Two);;
- the Activity Schedule (referenced in Contract Data Part Two);
- Short Schedule of Cost Components
- Contract Programme (referenced in Contract Data Part Two);
- Tender Queries and responses (refer to Tender Queries & Responses
 1), and
- Post Tender Clarifications (refer to Willmott Dixon Quality Clarifications 1 Responses, Willmott Dixon Commercial Clarifications 2 Response and the documents referred to therein)
- 2.2 The several documents forming part of this Agreement are to be taken as mutually explanatory of one another.

3. Agreement

- 3.1 The Consultant agrees to Provide the Service for the Client in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.
- 3.2 The Client will pay to the Consultant the amounts due under and in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

4. Publication of Information

4.1 The Consultant acknowledges that the Client is obliged to publish the

provisions of the contract in accordance with

- 4.1.1 the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (SI 2015/102),
- 4.1.2 PPN 09/21 Procurement Policy Note update to legal and policy requirements to publish procurement information on Contracts Finder and
- 4.1.3 Guidance on the transparency requirements for publishing on Contracts Finder

(or any later revision), except to the extent that any information in it is exempt from disclosure pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The *Client* consults with the *Consultant* before deciding whether information is exempt, but the *Consultant* acknowledges that the *Client* has the final decision. The *Consultant* co-operates with and assists the *Client* to publish this contract in accordance with the *Client*'s obligation.

Delivered as a deed on the date of this document.



