

G-Cloud 13 Call-Off Contract

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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.

| Platform service ID number | 759747140417812 |
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| Call-Off Contract reference | Ecm_12003 |
| Call-Off Contract title | AME Payments – Architecture Review |
| Call-Off Contract description | The Department are embarking on an ambitious transformation programme to reimagine and make best use of emerging future technologies in the banking industry. DWP are building out services internally and looking to modernise some legacy estate applications. DWP will look to anticipate and influence changes in the industry to ensure we, as the largest UK payer to the banking industry, are able to make best use of new technologies and maintain continuity of business. Service provider will provide DWP with cloud and event architecture expertise, supporting on delivery of milestones through completion of key deliverables, leading engagement with stakeholders as and when required to resolve any uncertainties. |
| Start date | 19th August 2024 |
| Expiry date | 18 th November 2024 |

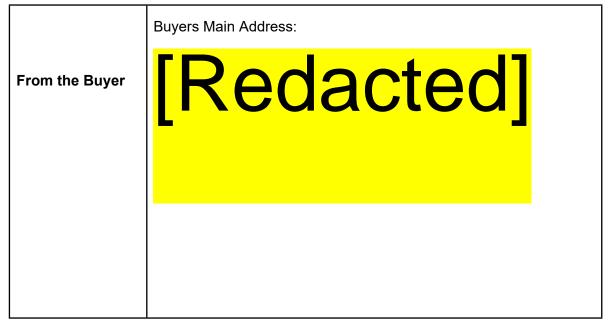
| Call-Off Contract value | £53,375 (ex VAT) |
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| Charging method | Time and Materials |
| Purchase order number | To be provided by The Buyer post contract signature |

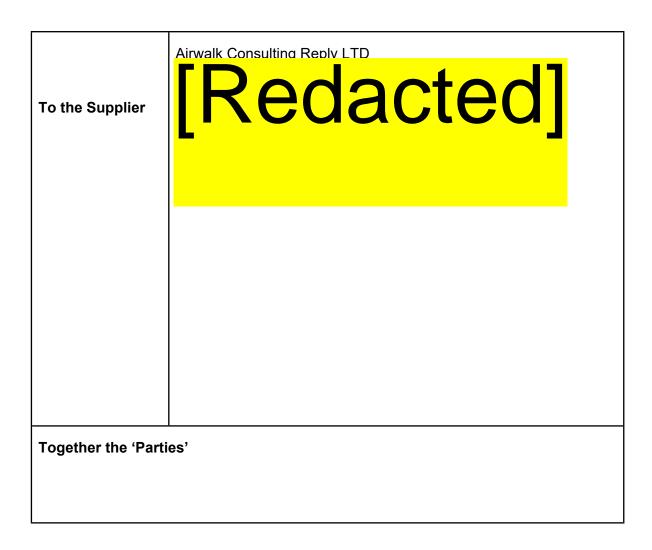
This Order Form is issued under the G-Cloud 13 Framework Agreement (RM1557.13).

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

The Order Form cannot be used to alter existing terms or add any extra terms that materially change the Services offered by the Supplier and defined in the Application.

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.





Principal contact details

For the Buyer:

[Redacted]

For the Supplier:



Call-Off Contract term

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| Start date | This Call-Off Contract Starts on 19 h August 2024 and is valid for 3 months. This call off contract is valid until 18th November 2024 unless extended by the parties in accordance with the terms of this call-off contract. |
| Ending (termination) | The notice period for the Supplier needed for Ending the Call-Off Contract is at least 90 Working Days from the date of written notice for undisputed sums (as per clause 18.6). The notice period for the Buyer is a maximum of 30 days from the date of written notice for Ending without cause (as per clause 18.1). |
| Extension period | This Call-Off Contract can be extended by the Buyer for one period of up to 3 months, with an estimated maximum cost of £53,375 by giving the Supplier 15 days written notice before its expiry. The extension period is subject to clauses 1.3 and 1.4 in Part B below. The extension period, if required, will be agreed between parties to ensure effective contract handover. |

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.

| G-Cloud Lot | This Call-Off Contract is for the provision of Services Under: • Lot 3: Cloud support |
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| | Service ID 759747140417812 |
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| G-Cloud Services required | The Services to be provided by the Supplier under the above Lot are listed in Framework Schedule 2 and outlined below: • AWS Cloud Architecture Review service 274253955615242 |
| Additional Services | N/A |
| Location | The work is expected to be delivered remotely only. The Manchester Hub would be considered the main DWP location. Should there be a need for the supplier to visit another DWP location, this will be subject to expenses chargeable to the Buyer in line with DWP expenses Policy: |
| | DWP Supplier Travel Policy - Nov 2 |
| Quality Standards | The quality standards required for this Call-Off Contract are as detailed in the serviced definition AWS Cloud Architecture Review service 274253955615242. |
| Technical Standards: | The technical standards used as a requirement for this Call-Off Contract are as detailed in the serviced definition AWS Cloud Architecture Review service 274253955615242. |

| Service level agreement: | n/a |
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| Onboarding | The onboarding plan for this Call-Off Contract is either utilising existing DWP kit held and access held by the Supplier or, where required, obtaining the required DWP kit and access. The Supplier shall supply named resource(s) to the principal contact at contract execution (signature) to enable kit requisition. |

| Offboarding | The offboarding plan for this Call-Off Contract is that the Supplier shall provide knowledge transfer services to a new supplier, or the Buyer, prior to the Expiry Date by sharing such information, documentation, and knowledge as it is able with such new supplier or the Buyer. Upon the Expiry Date, the Supplier shall also return Buyer equipment on the final day of the contract. |
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| Collaboration agreement | N/A |

Limit on Parties' liability The annual total liability of either Part for all Property Defaults will not exceed 125% of the Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier during the Call-Off Contract Term. The annual total liability for the Buyer Data Defaults will not exceed 125% of the Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier during the Call-Off Contract Term. The annual total liability for all other Defaults will not exceed 125% of the Charges payable by the Buyer to the Supplier during the Call-Off Contract Term The Supplier insurance(s) required will be: Insurance a minimum insurance period of 6 years following the expiration or Ending of this Call-Off Contract professional indemnity insurance cover to be held by the Supplier and by any agent, Subcontractor or consultant involved in the supply of the G-Cloud Services. This professional indemnity insurance cover will have a minimum limit of indemnity of £1,000,000 for each individual claim or any higher limit the Buyer requires (and as required by Law) employers' liability insurance with a minimum limit of £5,000,000 or any higher minimum limit required by Law

| Buyer's responsibilities | The Buyer is responsible for providing all necessary access to the Buyer information to perform the requirements of this agreement. Such necessary access will include provision of technical documents/data and access to elements of the Customers architecture required to deliver the Services. |
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| Buyer's equipment | The Buyer's equipment to be used with this Call-Off Contract includes DWP laptops, to allow access to the Buyer's systems and other related IT equipment as deemed necessary by the Buyer. |

Supplier's information

| Subcontractors or partners | N/A – the supplier is not using any subcontractors or Partners in the delivery of the Services. |
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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.

| Payment method | The payment method for this Call-Off Contract is via BACS |
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| Payment profile | The payment profile for this Call-Off Contract is 30 days in arrears of a valid invoice being received. |
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| Invoice details | The Supplier will issue electronic invoices 7 days of the next calendar month, in arrears. The Buyer will pay the Supplier within 30 days of receipt of a valid undisputed invoice. |
| Who and where to send invoices to | Electronic Invoices (attached to E-Mails) should be sent to: [Redacted] |
| Invoice information required | All invoices must include: • Buyer Purchase Order number * (invoices without P/O number will be rejected) • Buyer contract reference number (ecm_12003) • Supplier remittance address • Cost of Service • VAT element of cost • Remittance date • Due Date (in accordance to the payment profile of the Call-Off Agreement). |

| Invoice frequency | Invoice will be sent to the Buyer monthly |
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| Call-Off Contract value | The total ceiling value of this Call-Off Contract is £53,375 excluding VAT |
| Call-Off Contract charges | The breakdown of the Charges is with Schedule 2, Call off Contract charges |

Additional Buyer terms

| Performance of the Service | This Call-Off Contract will include the following Implementation Plan, exit and offboarding plans and milestones: |
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| | Details of Deliverables can be found in Schedule 1 - Services |
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| Guarantee | N/A |
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| Warranties, representations | N/A |
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| Supplemental requirements in addition to the Call-Off terms | Within the scope of the Call-Off Contract, the Supplier will 1. Comply with Baseline Personnel Security Standard / Government Staff Vetting Procedures in respect of all persons who are employed or engaged by the Supplier in provision of this Call-Off Contract prior to each individual beginning work with the Buyer. This is not a security check as such but a package of pre-employment checks covering identity, employment history, nationality/immigration status and criminal records designed to provide a level of assurance. The Supplier will show evidence of these security clearances should the Buyer need sight of such evidence at any time 2. As may be required by the Buyer from time to time, the Supplier shall provide copies of its appropriate policies to cover the following: a. Sustainability Policy b. Diversity and Equality |
| Alternative clauses | N/A |
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Buyer specific amendments to/refinements of the Call-Off Contract terms

Within the scope of the Call-Off Contract, the Supplier will:

- 1. Comply with the Buyer's security requirements as set out in Schedule 1, Annex 3 (Minimum Security Requirements) of this Call Off Contract
- 2. Comply with Baseline Personnel Security Standard / Government Staff Vetting Procedures in respect of all persons who are employed or engaged by the Supplier in provision of this Call-Off Contract prior to each individual beginning work with the Buyer. This is not a security check as such but a package of pre-employment checks covering identity, employment history, nationality/immigration status and criminal records designed to provide a level of assurance. The Supplier will show evidence of these security clearances should the Buyer need sight of such evidence at any time. A Guide for DWP Suppliers' had been prepared and attached below. BPSS Document.pdf 11 Data Classification Internal data
- 3. The Buyer will sponsor Supplier staff for SC clearance. The Supplier will ensure Supplier Staff are SC clearable prior to beginning work with the Buyer. The Buyer will provide guidance to the Supplier on which aspects of work cannot be carried out by Supplier personnel until they have been successful in obtaining SC clearance. The Supplier will ensure compliance with these requirements. The Supplier will show evidence of these security clearances should the Buyer need sight of such evidence at any time. A Guide for DWP Suppliers' had been prepared and attached above.
- 4. At the request of the Buyer the Supplier shall provide the information set out below to the Buyer and shall comply with the obligations set out below, so that the Buyer can comply with its obligations with regards to the off-payroll working regime.
- a. Supplier Staff identifier
- b. Start and End date of the Engagement
- c. The contracted Day Rate of the Supplier Staff
- d. Whether the Supplier Staff are on a payroll and deductions of PAYE and National Insurance are made at source The Supplier must notify the Buyer if it believes the employment status of the Supplier Staff for tax purposes has changed including in the event of a change to the Services provided under individual SOWs.

The Buyer shall provide the Supplier with relevant information as the Supplier may ask for from time to time in order to

comply with its obligations under the off-payroll workers legislation.

- 5. As may be required by the Buyer from time to time, the Supplier shall provide copies of its appropriate policies to cover the following: a. Sustainability Policy b. Diversity and Equality
- 6. Protection on Information The Supplier and any of its Subcontractors, shall not access, process, host or transfer Buyer Data outside the United Kingdom without the prior written consent of the Buyer, and where the Buyer gives consent, the Contractor shall comply with any reasonable instructions notified to it by the Buyer in relation to the Buyer Data in question. The provisions set out in this paragraph shall apply to Landed Resources. Where the Buyer has given its prior written consent to the Supplier to access, process, host or transfer Supplier Data from premises outside the United Kingdom:- a) the Supplier must notify the Buyer(in so far as they are not prohibited by Law) where any Regulatory Bodies seek to gain or has gained access to such Buyer Data; 13 12 Data Classification - Internal data b) the Supplier shall take all necessary steps in order to prevent any access to, or disclosure of, any Buyer Data to any Regulatory Bodies outside the United Kingdom unless required by Law without any applicable exception or exemption.

IR35 Status

Both parties agree that for the purposes of the off-payroll legislative requirements (IR35), the Buyer is procuring off payroll workers/resources from the Supplier and the Buyer shall be responsible for performing IR35 status assessment on any contingent labour used to deliver the Services.

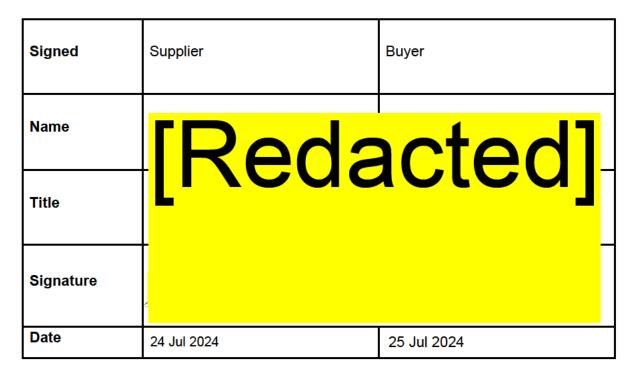
Personal Data and Data Subjects

No personal data to be processed throughout this contract.

| Intellectual Property | N/A |
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| Social Value | N/A |
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- 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.



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

- Call-Off Contract Start date and length
- 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 Save for the licences expressly granted pursuant to Clauses 11.3 and 11.4, neither Party 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-securityclassifications

- 13.6.2 guidance issued by the Centre for Protection of National Infrastructure on Risk Management: https://www.cpni.gov.uk/content/adopt-risk-managementapproach and Protection of Sensitive Information and Assets: https://www.cpni.gov.uk/protection-sensitive-information-and-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/technology-code-of-practice/technology-code-of-practice
 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

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- 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).
- 24.2 Notwithstanding Clause 24.1 but subject to Framework Agreement clauses 4.1 to 4.6, the 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.
- 24.3 Notwithstanding Clause 24.1 but subject to Framework Agreement clauses 4.1 to 4.6, the Buyer's liability pursuant to Clause 11.5.2 shall in no event exceed in aggregate five million pounds (£5,000,000).
- 24.4 When calculating the Supplier's liability under Clause 24.1 any items specified in Clause 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.
- 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

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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

The Supplier will provide Cloud Support Services as described in the G-Cloud Service Offering. Service ID 759747140417812



The Call off Contract is for the provision of Cloud Support Services to provide the Service:

Conduct a payments architecture review with a view to supporting the Buyer to better understand what is a possibly around a move to 'events driven architecture'.

The Service will support DWP in achieving its milestones through completion of the deliverables detailed in the table below, on a Time and Materials basis:

| Milestone | Deliverables |
|---|--|
| Evaluate requirements, use- cases, data structures and volumes | An analysis of DWP Payment- related requirements and an assessment of how the requirements can be met by Event-Driven-Architecture |
| Assess the payments platform based on architectural standards that meet the needs of critical national infrastructure | An assessment on how our current AME design aligns with Event-Driven-Architecture principles and Payments industry principles |
| Recommend and develop required improvements | A list of suggested changes to current design to align with Event-Driven-Architecture |
| Help understand the art of the possible around moving to an event-based architecture | Suggestions for required changes to current design to align with Event-Driven-Architecture including justification |
| Development of a vision document and roadmap | Conduct a review of the Digital Payments Roadmap and vision, which will include suggested changes/ enhancements. |
| Provide guidance and expertise around event- based architectures | Consultations with Architecture, Product and Engineering teams in adoption of Event-Driven- Architecture |

Deliverables Quality Assurance Process

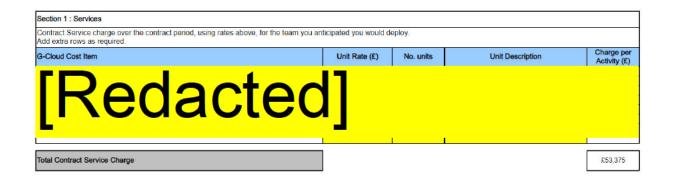
The following assurance process will be applied to each deliverable in the table above:

- 1. Submission The supplier will submit the Deliverables for review by the Buyer.
- 2. Approval Process Supplier is to submit deliverables with evidence of completion. The Buyer will respond within 5 working days of submission.
- 3. Confirmation If the deliverable is accepted, the Buyer will confirm via an approval email.
- 4. Rejection & Resolution If the deliverable is not accepted, the Buyer will provide reasons for rejection. Both parties will then work to resolve the issue within 7 days.
- 5. Escalation If unresolved, the issue will be escalated to the principal contacts for the Buyer and Supplier to discuss and agree a way forward.

The Supplier may be asked to provide ad hoc progress updates against deliverables. Updates will be provided to the Principal Contact for the Buyer and these will be either via email or verbally.

Schedule 2: Call-Off Contract charges

For each individual Service, the applicable Call-Off Contract Charges (in accordance with the Supplier's Platform pricing document can't be amended during the term of the Call-Off Contract. The detailed Charges breakdown for the provision of Services during the Term will include:





Schedule 3: Collaboration agreement

Not Used

Schedule 4: Alternative clauses

1. Introduction

1.1 This Schedule specifies the alternative clauses that may be requested in the Order Form and, if requested in the Order Form, will apply to this Call-Off Contract.

Clauses selected

- 2.1 The Customer may, in the Order Form, request the following alternative Clauses:
 - 2.1.1 Scots Law and Jurisdiction
 - 2.1.2 References to England and Wales in incorporated Framework Agreement clause 15.1 (Law and Jurisdiction) of this Call-Off Contract will be replaced with Scotland and the wording of the Framework Agreement and Call-Off Contract will be interpreted as closely as possible to the original English and Welsh Law intention despite Scots Law applying.
 - 2.1.3 Reference to England and Wales in Working Days definition within the Glossary and interpretations section will be replaced with Scotland.
 - 2.1.4 References to the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 will be removed in clause 27.1. Reference to the Freedom of Information Act 2000 within the defined terms for 'FoIA/Freedom of Information Act' to be replaced with Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.
 - 2.1.5 Reference to the Supply of Goods and Services Act 1982 will be removed in incorporated Framework Agreement clause 4.1.
 - 2.1.6 References to "tort" will be replaced with "delict" throughout
- 2.2 The Customer may, in the Order Form, request the following Alternative Clauses:
 - 2.2.1 Northern Ireland Law (see paragraph 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6 and 2.7 of this Schedule)

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2.3 Discrimination

- 2.3.1 The Supplier will comply with all applicable fair employment, equality of treatment and anti-discrimination legislation, including, in particular the:
- Employment (Northern Ireland) Order 2002
- Fair Employment and Treatment (Northern Ireland) Order 1998
- Sex Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 1976 and 1988
- Employment Equality (Sexual Orientation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2003
- Equal Pay Act (Northern Ireland) 1970
- Disability Discrimination Act 1995
- Race Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1997
- Employment Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1999 and Employment Rights (Northern Ireland) Order 1996
- Employment Equality (Age) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006
- Part-time Workers (Prevention of less Favourable Treatment) Regulation 2000
- Fixed-term Employees (Prevention of Less Favourable Treatment) Regulations 2002
- The Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2006
- The Employment Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 2004
- Equality Act (Sexual Orientation) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006
- Employment Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 2004 Work and Families (Northern Ireland) Order 2006

and will use his best endeavours to ensure that in his employment policies and practices and in the delivery of the services required of the Supplier under this Call-Off Contract he promotes equality of treatment and opportunity between:

- a. persons of different religious beliefs or political opinions
- b. men and women or married and unmarried persons
- c. persons with and without dependants (including women who are pregnant or on maternity leave and men on paternity leave)
- d. persons of different racial groups (within the meaning of the Race Relations (Northern Ireland) Order 1997)
- e. persons with and without a disability (within the meaning of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995)
- f. persons of different ages
- g. persons of differing sexual orientation
- 2.3.2 The Supplier will take all reasonable steps to secure the observance of clause 2.3.1 of this Schedule by all Supplier Staff.

2.4 Equality policies and practices

- 2.4.1 The Supplier will introduce and will procure that any Subcontractor will also introduce and implement an equal opportunities policy in accordance with guidance from and to the satisfaction of the Equality Commission. The Supplier will review these policies on a regular basis (and will procure that its Subcontractors do likewise) and the Customer will be entitled to receive upon request a copy of the policy.
- 2.4.2 The Supplier will take all reasonable steps to ensure that all of the Supplier Staff comply with its equal opportunities policies (referred to in clause 2.3 above).
 These steps will include:
 - a. the issue of written instructions to staff and other relevant persons
 - b. the appointment or designation of a senior manager with responsibility for equal opportunities
 - c. training of all staff and other relevant persons in equal opportunities and harassment matters
 - d. the inclusion of the topic of equality as an agenda item at team, management and staff meetings

The Supplier will procure that its Subcontractors do likewise with their equal opportunities policies.

- 2.4.3 The Supplier will inform the Customer as soon as possible in the event of:
 - A. the Equality Commission notifying the Supplier of an alleged breach by it or any Subcontractor (or any of their shareholders or directors) of the Fair Employment and Treatment (Northern Ireland) Order 1998 or
 - B. any finding of unlawful discrimination (or any offence under the Legislation mentioned in clause 2.3 above) being made against the Supplier or its

 Subcontractors during the Call-Off Contract Period by any Industrial or Fair Employment Tribunal or court,

The Supplier will take any necessary steps (including the dismissal or replacement of any relevant staff or Subcontractor(s)) as the Customer directs and will seek the advice of the Equality Commission in order to prevent any offence or repetition of the unlawful discrimination as the case may be.

2.4.4 The Supplier will monitor (in accordance with guidance issued by the Equality Commission) the composition of its workforce and applicants for employment and will provide an annual report on the composition of the workforce and applicants to the Customer. If the monitoring reveals under-representation or lack of fair participation of particular groups, the Supplier will review the operation of its

- relevant policies and take positive action if appropriate. The Supplier will impose on its Subcontractors obligations similar to those undertaken by it in this clause 2.4 and will procure that those Subcontractors comply with their obligations.
- 2.4.5 The Supplier will provide any information the Customer requests (including Information requested to be provided by any Subcontractors) for the purpose of assessing the Supplier's compliance with its obligations under clauses 2.4.1 to 2.4.5 of this Schedule.

2.5 Equality

- 2.5.1 The Supplier will, and will procure that each Subcontractor will, in performing its/their obligations under this Call-Off Contract (and other relevant agreements), comply with the provisions of Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998, as if they were a public authority within the meaning of that section.
- 2.5.2 The Supplier acknowledges that the Customer must, in carrying out its functions, have due regard to the need to promote equality of opportunity as contemplated by the Northern Ireland Act 1998 and the Supplier will use all reasonable endeavours to assist (and to ensure that relevant Subcontractor helps) the Customer in relation to same.

2.6 Health and safety

- 2.6.1 The Supplier will promptly notify the Customer of any health and safety hazards which may arise in connection with the performance of its obligations under the Call-Off Contract. The Customer will promptly notify the Supplier of any health and safety hazards which may exist or arise at the Customer premises and which may affect the Supplier in the performance of its obligations under the Call-Off Contract.
- 2.6.2 While on the Customer premises, the Supplier will comply with any health and safety measures implemented by the Customer in respect of Supplier Staff and other persons working there.
- 2.6.3 The Supplier will notify the Customer immediately in the event of any incident occurring in the performance of its obligations under the Call-Off Contract on the Customer premises if that incident causes any personal injury or damage to property which could give rise to personal injury.
- 2.6.4 The Supplier will comply with the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978 and any other acts, orders, regulations and codes of practice relating to health and safety, which may apply to Supplier Staff and other persons working on the Customer premises in the performance of its obligations under the Call-Off Contract.

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2.6.5 The Supplier will ensure that its health and safety policy statement (as required by the Health and Safety at Work (Northern Ireland) Order 1978) is made available to the Customer on request.

2.7 Criminal damage

- 2.7.1 The Supplier will maintain standards of vigilance and will take all precautions as advised by the Criminal Damage (Compensation) (Northern Ireland) Order 1977 or as may be recommended by the police or the Northern Ireland Office (or, if replaced, their successors) and will compensate the Customer for any loss arising directly from a breach of this obligation (including any diminution of monies received by the Customer under any insurance policy).
- 2.7.2 If during the Call-Off Contract Period any assets (or any part thereof) is or are damaged or destroyed by any circumstance giving rise to a claim for compensation under the provisions of the Compensation Order the following provisions of this clause 2.7 will apply.
- 2.7.3 The Supplier will make (or will procure that the appropriate organisation make) all appropriate claims under the Compensation Order as soon as possible after the CDO Event and will pursue any claim diligently and at its cost. If appropriate, the Customer will also make and pursue a claim diligently under the Compensation Order. Any appeal against a refusal to meet any claim or against the amount of the award will be at the Customer's cost and the Supplier will (at no additional cost to the Customer) provide any help the Customer reasonably requires with the appeal.
- 2.7.4 The Supplier will apply any compensation paid under the Compensation Order in respect of damage to the relevant assets towards the repair, reinstatement or replacement of the assets affected.

Schedule 5: Guarantee

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Schedule 6: Glossary and interpretations

In this Call-Off Contract the following expressions mean:

| Expression | Meaning |
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| Additional Services | Any services ancillary to the G-Cloud Services that are in the scope of Framework Agreement Clause 2 (Services) which a Buyer may request. |
| Admission Agreement | The agreement to be entered into to enable the Supplier to participate in the relevant Civil Service pension scheme(s). |
| Application | The response submitted by the Supplier to the Invitation to Tender (known as the Invitation to Apply on the Platform). |
| Audit | An audit carried out under the incorporated Framework Agreement clauses. |

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| Background IPRs | For each Party, IPRs: owned by that Party before the date of this Call-Off Contract |
| Buyer | The contracting authority ordering services as set out in the Order Form. |
| Buyer Data | All data supplied by the Buyer to the Supplier including Personal Data and Service Data that is owned and managed by the Buyer. |
| Buyer Personal Data | The Personal Data supplied by the Buyer to the Supplier for purposes of, or in connection with, this Call-Off Contract. |
| Buyer Representative | The representative appointed by the Buyer under this Call-Off Contract. |
| Buyer Software | 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. |

| Call-Off Contract | 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. |
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| Charges | The prices (excluding any applicable VAT), payable to the Supplier by the Buyer under this Call-Off Contract. |
| Collaboration Agreement | 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. |
| Commercially Sensitive Information | 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. |

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| Confidential Information | Data, Personal Data and any information, which may include (but isn't limited to) any: 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 other information clearly designated as being confidential or which ought reasonably be considered to be confidential (whether or not it is marked 'confidential'). |
| Control | 'Control' as defined in section 1124 and 450 of the Corporation Tax Act 2010. 'Controls' and 'Controlled' will be interpreted accordingly. |
| Controller | Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR. |
| Crown | 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. |
| Data Loss Event | 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. |

| Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) | An assessment by the Controller of the impact of the envisaged Processing on the protection of Personal Data. |
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| Data Protection Legislation (DPL) | (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. |
| Data Subject | Takes the meaning given in the UK GDPR |
| Default | breach of the obligations of the Supplier (including any fundamental breach or breach of a fundamental term) 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 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. |
| DPA 2018 | Data Protection Act 2018. |
| Employment Regulations | The Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006 (SI 2006/246) ('TUPE') . |

| End | Means to terminate; and Ended and Ending are construed accordingly. |
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| Environmental Information Regulations or EIR | 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. |
| Equipment | 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. |

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

| Force Majeure | A force Majeure event means anything affecting either Party's performance of their obligations arising from any: acts, events or omissions beyond the reasonable control of the affected Party riots, war or armed conflict, acts of terrorism, nuclear, biological or chemical warfare acts of government, local government or Regulatory Bodies fire, flood or disaster and any failure or shortage of power or fuel industrial dispute affecting a third party for which a substitute third party isn't reasonably available The following do not constitute a Force Majeure event: any industrial dispute about the Supplier, its staff, or failure in the Supplier's (or a Subcontractor's) supply chain 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 the event was foreseeable by the Party seeking to rely on Force Majeure at the time this Call-Off Contract was entered into 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 |
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| Former Supplier | 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). |
| Framework Agreement | The clauses of framework agreement RM1557.13 together with the Framework Schedules. |

| Fraud | 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 |
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| | defrauding or attempting to defraud or conspiring to defraud the Crown. |
| Freedom of Information Act or FoIA | 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. |
| G-Cloud Services | 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. |
| UK GDPR | The retained EU law version of the General Data Protection Regulation (Regulation (EU) 2016/679). |
| Good Industry Practice | 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. |

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| Government Procurement Card | The government's preferred method of purchasing and payment for low value goods or services. |
| Guarantee | The guarantee described in Schedule 5. |
| Guidance | 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. |
| Implementation Plan | 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. |
| Indicative test | ESI tool completed by contractors on their own behalf at the request of CCS or the Buyer (as applicable) under clause 4.6. |
| Information | Has the meaning given under section 84 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. |
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| Information security management system | The information security management system and process developed by the Supplier in accordance with clause 16.1. |

| Inside IR35 | Contractual engagements which would be determined to be within the scope of the IR35 Intermediaries legislation if assessed using the ESI tool. |
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| Insolvency event | Can be: a voluntary arrangement a winding-up petition the appointment of a receiver or administrator an unresolved statutory demand a Schedule A1 moratorium a Dun & Bradstreet rating of 10 or less |
| Intellectual Property Rights or IPR | Intellectual Property Rights are: 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 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 all other rights having equivalent or similar effect in any country or jurisdiction |
| Intermediary | For the purposes of the IR35 rules an intermediary can be: the supplier's own limited company a service or a personal service company a partnership It does not apply if you work for a client through a Managed Service Company (MSC) or agency (for example, an employment agency). |

| IPR claim | As set out in clause 11.5. |
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| IR35 | 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. |
| IR35 assessment | Assessment of employment status using the ESI tool to determine if engagement is Inside or Outside IR35. |
| Know-How | 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. |
| Law | 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. |
| Loss | 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 'Losses' will be interpreted accordingly. |

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| Lot | Any of the 3 Lots specified in the ITT and Lots will be construed accordingly. |
| Malicious Software | 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. |
| Management Charge | 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. |
| Management Information | The management information specified in Framework Agreement Schedule 6. |
| Material Breach | 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. |
| Ministry of Justice Code | 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. |

| New Fair Deal | 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. |
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| Order | An order for G-Cloud Services placed by a contracting body with the Supplier in accordance with the ordering processes. |
| Order Form | The order form set out in Part A of the Call-Off Contract to be used by a Buyer to order G-Cloud Services. |
| Ordered G-Cloud Services | G-Cloud Services which are the subject of an order by the Buyer. |
| Outside IR35 | Contractual engagements which would be determined to not be within the scope of the IR35 intermediaries legislation if assessed using the ESI tool. |
| Party | The Buyer or the Supplier and 'Parties' will be interpreted accordingly. |

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

Prohibited act 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: induce that person to perform improperly a relevant function or activity reward that person for improper performance of a relevant function or activity

- commit any offence:
 - o under the Bribery Act 2010
 - o under legislation creating offences concerning Fraud
 - o at common Law concerning Fraud
 - committing or attempting or conspiring to commit Fraud

| Project Specific IPRs | 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. |
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| Property | Assets and property including technical infrastructure, IPRs and equipment. |

| Protective Measures | 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. |
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| PSN or Public Services Network | The Public Services Network (PSN) is the government's high performance network which helps public sector organisations work together, reduce duplication and share resources. |
| Regulatory body or bodies | 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. |
| Relevant person | 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. |
| Relevant Transfer | A transfer of employment to which the employment regulations applies. |

| Replacement Services | 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. |
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| Replacement supplier | 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). |
| Security management plan | The Supplier's security management plan developed by the Supplier in accordance with clause 16.1. |
| Services | The services ordered by the Buyer as set out in the Order Form. |
| Service data | Data that is owned or managed by the Buyer and used for the G-Cloud Services, including backup data. |

| Service definition(s) | 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. |
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| Service description | The description of the Supplier service offering as published on the Platform. |
| Service Personal Data | 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. |
| Spend controls | The approval process used by a central government Buyer if it needs to spend money on certain digital or technology services, see https://www.gov.uk/service-manual/agile-delivery/spend-controlsche ck-if-you-need-approval-to-spend-money-on-a-service |
| Start date | The Start date of this Call-Off Contract as set out in the Order Form. |

| Subcontract | 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. |
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| Subcontractor | 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. |
| Subprocessor | Any third party appointed to process Personal Data on behalf of the Supplier under this Call-Off Contract. |
| Supplier | The person, firm or company identified in the Order Form. |
| Supplier Representative | The representative appointed by the Supplier from time to time in relation to the Call-Off Contract. |

| Supplier staff | 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. |
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| Supplier Terms | 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. |
| Term | The term of this Call-Off Contract as set out in the Order Form. |
| Variation | This has the meaning given to it in clause 32 (Variation process). |
| Working Days | Any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday in England and Wales. |
| Year | 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 Page **65** of **75**

references are to those in the Framework Agreement but references to CCS have been amended.

Annex 1: Processing Personal Data

No personal Data processed

Annex 2: Joint Controller Agreement

Not used

Annex 3: Minimum Security Requirements

GENERAL

The Supplier shall, and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, comply with the Buyer's security requirements as set out in this Call Off Contract which include the requirements set out in this Annex 3 to the contract (the "Buyer's Security Requirements"). The Buyer's Security Requirements include, but are not limited to, requirements regarding the confidentiality, integrity and availability of Buyer assets, the Buyer's systems environment and the Supplier's systems environment.

Terms used in this Annex 3 which are not defined below shall have the meanings given to them in Schedule 6 (Glossary and interpretations).

1. **DEFINITIONS**

1.1 In this Annex 3, the following definitions shall apply:

"Buyer Personnel" shall mean all persons employed by the Buyer including directors, officers, employees together with the Buyer's servants, agents, consultants, contractors and

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Suppliers but excluding the Supplier and any Subcontractor (as applicable).

"Availability Test"

shall mean the activities performed by the Supplier to confirm the availability of any or all components of any relevant ICT system as specified by the Buyer.

"CHECK"

shall mean the scheme for authorised penetration tests which scheme is managed by the NCSC.

"Cloud"

shall mean an off-premise network of remote ICT servers on the Internet to store, process, manage and transmit data.

"Cyber Essentials" shall mean the Government-backed, industry-supported scheme managed by the NCSC to help organisations to protect themselves against online threats or the relevant successor or replacement scheme which is published and/or formally recommended by the NCSC.

"Cyber Security Information Sharing Partnership" or "CiSP" shall mean the cyber security information sharing partnership established by the NCSC or the relevant successor or replacement scheme which is published and/or formally recommended by the NCSC.

"Good Security Practice" shall mean:

a) the technical and organisational measures and practices that are required by, or recommended in, nationally or internationally accepted management standards and codes of practice relating to Information Security (such as published by the International Organization for Standardization or the National

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Institute of Standards and Technology);

- b) security standards and guidelines relating to Information Security (including generally accepted principles regarding the segregation of the duties of governance, implementation and control) provided to the general public Information Security or practitioners and stakeholders generally recognised authorities and organisations; and
- c) the Government's security policies, frameworks, standards and guidelines relating to Information Security.

"Information Security"

shall mean:

- a) the protection and preservation of:
 - i) the confidentiality, integrity and availability of any Buyer assets, the Buyer's systems environment (or any part thereof) and the Supplier's systems environment (or any part thereof);
 - ii) related properties of information including, but not limited to, authenticity, accountability, and non-repudiation; and
- b) compliance with all Law applicable to the processing, transmission, storage and disposal of Buyer assets.

"Information Security Manager" shall mean the person appointed by the Supplier with the appropriate experience, authority and expertise to ensure that the Supplier complies with the Buyer's Security Requirements.

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"Information Security Management System ("ISMS")"

shall mean the set of policies, processes and systems designed, implemented and maintained by the Supplier to manage Information Security Risk as specified by ISO/IEC 27001.

"Information Security Questionnaire" shall mean the Buyer's set of questions used to audit and on an ongoing basis assure the Supplier's compliance with the Buyer's Security Requirements.

"Information Security Risk" shall mean any risk that might adversely affect Information Security including, but not limited to, a Breach of Security.

"ISO/IEC 27001, ISO/IEC 27002 and ISO 22301

shall mean

a)ISO/IEC 27001: b)ISO/IEC 27002/IEC; and

c) ISO 22301

in each case as most recently published by the International Organization for Standardization its successor entity (the "ISO") or the relevant successor or replacement information security standard which is formally recommended by the ISO.

"NCSC"

shall mean the National Cyber Security Centre or its successor entity (where applicable).

"Penetration Test"

shall mean a simulated attack on any Buyer assets, the Buyer's systems environment (or any part thereof) or the Supplier's systems environment (or any part

thereof).

"PCI DSS"

shall mean the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard as most recently published by the PCI Security

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Standards Council, LLC or its successor entity (the "PCI").

"Risk Profile" shall mean a description of any

set of risk. The set of risks can contain those that relate to a whole organisation, part of an organisation or as otherwise

applicable.

"Security shall include, but not be limited

Test" to, Penetration Test,
Vulnerability Scan, Availability
Test and any other security

related test and audit.

"Tigerscheme" shall mean a scheme for

authorised penetration tests which scheme is managed by USW Commercial Services

Ltd.

"Vulnerability shall mean an ongoing activity Scan" to identify any potential

to identify any potential vulnerability in any Buyer assets, the Buyer's systems environment (or any part thereof) or the Supplier's

systems environment (or any

part thereof).

1.2 Reference to any notice to be provided by the Supplier to the Buyer shall be construed as a notice to be provided by the Supplier to the Buyer's Representative.

2. PRINCIPLES OF SECURITY

2.1 The Supplier shall, at all times comply with the Buyer's Security Requirements and provide a level of security which is in accordance with the Security Policies and Standards, Good Security Practice and Law.

3. ISO/IEC 27001 COMPLIANCE AND AUDIT

- 3.1 The Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, comply with ISO/IEC 27001 in relation to the Services during the Contract Period.
- 3.2 The Supplier shall appoint an Information Security Manager and shall notify the Buyer of the identity of the Information Security Manager on the Commencement Date and, where applicable, within 5 Working Days following any change in the identity of the Information Security Manager.
- 3.3 The Supplier shall ensure that it operates and maintains the Information Security Management System during the Contract Period and that the Information Security Management System meets the Security Policies and Standards, Good Security Practice and Law and includes:

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- a) a scope statement (which covers all of the Services provided under this Contract);
- b) a risk assessment (which shall include any risks specific to the Services);
- c) a statement of applicability.
- d) a risk treatment plan; and
- e) an incident management plan in each case as specified by ISO/IEC 27001.

The Supplier shall provide the Information Security Management System to the Buyer upon request within 10 Working Days from such request.

- 3.4 The Supplier shall carry out regular Security Tests in compliance with ISO/IEC 27001 and shall within 10 Working Days upon request provide any associated security audit reports to the Buyer.
- 3.5 Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 3.1 to paragraph 3.4, the Buyer may, in its absolute discretion, notify the Supplier that it is not in compliance with the Buyer's Security Requirements and provide details of such non-compliance. The Supplier shall, at its own expense, undertake those actions required in order to comply with the Buyer's Security Requirements within one calendar month following such notification or on a date as agreed by the Parties. For the avoidance of doubt, any failure to comply with the Buyer's Security Requirements within the required timeframe (regardless of whether such failure is capable of remedy) shall constitute a Material Breach entitling the Buyer to exercise its rights under clause 18.5.

4. CYBER ESSENTIALS SCHEME

- 4.1 The Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, obtain and maintain certification to Cyber Essentials (the "Cyber Essentials Certificate") in relation to the Services during Contract Period. The Cyber Essentials Certificate shall be provided by the Supplier to the Buyer annually on the dates as agreed by the Parties.
- 4.2 The Supplier shall notify the Buyer of any failure to obtain, or the revocation of, a Cyber Essentials Certificate within 2 Working Days of confirmation of such failure or revocation. The Supplier shall, at its own expense, undertake those actions required in order to obtain a Cyber Essentials Certificate following such failure or revocation. For the avoidance of doubt, any failure to obtain and/or maintain a Cyber Essentials Certificate during the Contract Period after the first date on which the Supplier was required to provide a Cyber Essentials Certificate in accordance with paragraph 4.1 (regardless of whether such failure is capable of remedy) shall constitute a Material Breach entitling the Buyer to exercise its rights under clause 18.5.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Supplier shall operate and maintain policies and processes for risk management (the **Risk Management Policy**) during the Contract Period which includes standards and processes for the assessment of any potential risks in relation to the Services and processes to ensure that the Buyer's Security Requirements are met (the **Risk Assessment**). The Supplier shall provide the Risk Management Policy to the Buyer upon request within 10 Working Days of such request. The Buyer may, at its absolute discretion, require changes to the Risk Management Policy to comply with the Buyer's Security Requirements. The Supplier shall, at its own expense, undertake those actions required in order to implement the changes required by the Buyer within one calendar month of such request or on a date as agreed by the Parties.

- 5.2 The Supplier shall carry out a Risk Assessment (i) at least annually, (ii) in the event of a material change in the Supplier's systems environment or in the threat landscape or (iii) at the request of the Buyer. The Supplier shall provide the report of the Risk Assessment to the Buyer, in the case of at least annual Risk Assessments, within 5 Working Days of completion of the Risk Assessment or, in the case of all other Risk Assessments, within one calendar month after completion of the Risk Assessment or on a date as agreed by the Parties. The Supplier shall notify the Buyer within 5 Working Days if the Risk Profile in relation to the Services has changed materially, for example, but not limited to, from one risk rating to another risk rating.
- 5.3 If the Buyer decides, at its absolute discretion, that any Risk Assessment does not meet the Buyer's Security Requirements, the Supplier shall repeat the Risk Assessment within one calendar month of such request or as agreed by the Parties.
- 5.4 The Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, co-operate with the Buyer in relation to the Buyer's own risk management processes regarding the Services.
- 5.5 For the avoidance of doubt, the Supplier shall pay all costs in relation to undertaking any action required to meet the requirements stipulated in this paragraph 5. Any failure by the Supplier to comply with any requirement of this paragraph 5 (regardless of whether such failure is capable of remedy), shall constitute a Material Breach entitling the Buyer to exercise its rights under clause 18.5.

6. SECURITY AUDIT AND ASSURANCE

- 6.1 The Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, complete the information security questionnaire in the format stipulated by the Buyer (the "Information Security Questionnaire") at least annually or at the request by the Buyer. The Supplier shall provide the completed Information Security Questionnaire to the Buyer within one calendar month from the date of request.
- 6.2 The Buyer shall be entitled to send the Buyer's Representative to witness the conduct of any Security Test. The Supplier shall provide to the Buyer notice of any Security Test at least one month prior to the relevant Security Test.
- 6.3 Where the Supplier provides code development services to the Buyer, the Supplier shall comply with the Buyer's Security Requirements in respect of code development within the Supplier's systems environment and the Buyer's systems environment.
- 6.4 Where the Supplier provides software development services, the Supplier shall comply with the code development practices specified in the Specification or in the Buyer's Security Requirements.
- 6.5 The Buyer, or an agent appointed by it, may undertake Security Tests in respect of the Supplier's systems environment after providing advance notice to the Supplier. If any Security Test identifies any non-compliance with the Buyer's Security Requirements, the Supplier shall, at its own expense, undertake those actions required in order to rectify such identified non-compliance in the manner and timeframe as stipulated by the Buyer at its absolute discretion. The Supplier shall provide all such co-operation and assistance in relation to any Security Test conducted by the Buyer as the Buyer may reasonably require.

The Buyer shall schedule regular security governance review meetings which the Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, attend.

7. SECURITY POLICIES AND STANDARDS

- 7.1 The Supplier shall, and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, comply with the Security Policies and Standards set out Annex A and B.
- 7.2 Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Buyer's Security Requirements applicable to the Services may be subject to change following certain events including, but not limited to, any relevant change in the delivery of the Services. Where any such change constitutes a Contract Change, any change in the Buyer's Security Requirements resulting from such Contract Change (if any) shall be agreed by the Parties in accordance with the Contract Change Procedure. Where any such change constitutes an Operational Change, any change in the Buyer's Security Requirements resulting from such Operational Change (if any) shall be agreed by the Parties and documented in the relevant Operational Change Confirmation.
- 7.3 The Supplier shall and shall procure that any Subcontractor (as applicable) shall, maintain appropriate records and is otherwise able to demonstrate compliance with the Security Policies and Standards.

8. CYBER SECURITY INFORMATION SHARING PARTNERSHIP

- 8.1 The Supplier may become a member of the Cyber Security Information Sharing Partnership in accordance with the recommendations by the NCSC during the Contract Period. The Supplier may participate in the Cyber Security Information Sharing Partnership for the exchange of cyber threat information.
- 8.2 Where the Supplier becomes a member of the Cyber Security Information Sharing Partnership, it shall review the NCSC weekly threat reports on a weekly basis and implement recommendations in line with the Supplier's Risk Management Policy.

ANNEX A - BUYER SECURITY POLICIES AND STANDARDS

The Security Policies are published on:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/dwp-procurement-security-policies-and-standards unless specified otherwise:

- a) Acceptable Use Policy
- b) Information Security Policy
- c) Physical Security Policy
- d) Information Management Policy
- e) Email Policy
- f) Technical Vulnerability Management Policy
- g) Remote Working Policy
- h) Social Media Policy
- i) Forensic Readiness Policy
- j) SMS Text Policy
- k) Privileged Users Security Policy
- I) User Access Control Policy
- m) Security Classification Policy
- n) Cryptographic Key Management Policy
- o) HMG Personnel Security Controls May 2018

(published on https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/hmg-personnel-security-controls)

p) NCSC Secure Sanitisation of Storage Media (published on https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/quidance/secure-sanitisation-storage-media)

ANNEX B - SECURITY STANDARDS

The Security Standards are published on:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/dwp-procurement-security-policies-and-standards:

- a) SS-001 Part 1 Access & Authentication Controlsb) SS-001 Part 2 Privileged User Access Controls
- c) SS-002 PKI & Key Management
- d) SS-003 Software Development
- e) SS-005 Database Management System Security Standard
- f) SS-006 Security Boundaries
- g) SS-007 Use of Cryptography
- h) SS-008 Server Operating System
- i) SS-009 Hypervisor
- j) SS-010 Desktop Operating System
- k) SS-011 Containerisation
- I) SS-012 Protective Monitoring Standard for External Use
- m) SS-013 Firewall Security
- n) SS-014 Security Incident Management
- o) SS-015 Malware Protection
- p) SS-016 Remote Access
- q) SS-017 Mobile Devices
- r) SS-018 Network Security Design
- s) SS-019 Wireless Network
- t) SS-022 Voice & Video Communications
- u) SS-023 Cloud Computing
- v) SS-025 Virtualisation
- w) SS-027 Application Security Testing
- x) SS-028 Microservices Architecture
- y) SS-029 Securely Serving Web Content
- z) SS-030 Oracle Database
- aa) SS-031 Domain Management
- bb) SS-033 Patching

Protection on Information

The Supplier and any of its Subcontractors, shall not access, process, host or transfer Buyer Data outside the United Kingdom without the prior written consent of the Buyer, and where the Buyer gives consent, the Supplier shall comply with any reasonable instructions notified to it by the Buyer in relation to the Buyer Data in question. The provisions set out in this paragraph shall apply to Landed Resources.

Where the Buyer has given its prior written consent to the Supplier to access, process, host or transfer Buyer Data from premises outside the United Kingdom: -

a) the Supplier must notify the Buyer (in so far as they are not prohibited by Law) where any Regulatory Bodies seek to gain or has gained access to such Buyer Data.

| b) the Supplier shall take all necessary steps in order to prevent any access to, or disclosure of, any Buyer Data to any Regulatory Bodies outside the United Kingdom unless required by Law without any applicable exception or exemption. |
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