

HCAP17011: LC160: Dorset Green Technology Park, Winfrith Newburgh, Term Landscape Maintenance and Cleansing Contract 2016-2019

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Q1. Suitability Assessment Query

Having accessed the above titled tender opportunities via “Contracts Finder”, I note that each one requires the bidding contractors to complete a comprehensive Suitability Assessment. As we are an approved supplier for HCA and have many contracts with you, can you confirm if we have to complete all this information, even though we already work for you? The info required is very in depth and will be very time consuming to collate and submit when you already have our company information.

A It is a requirement of each supplier that the Suitability Assessment is completed. The criteria for evaluation are pass or fail. The suitability assessment will be evaluated first. If a supplier ‘fails’ any element of the Suitability Assessment, then further quality and price submissions will not be evaluated.

Q2. Tree Specification

“Watering of young trees up to 2yrs old” – Are there a mains watering point close by?

A There are no mains watering points on the site. Water is to be supplied by the Contractor.

Q3. Tree Replacements

Would these be one off works outside of the contract?

A Tree replacements refer to newly planted trees that would be replaced as they did not thrive or successfully establish. New planting schemes would be tendered in accordance with HCA’s procurement strategy outside of this contract.