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Linklaters LLP One Silk Street London EC2Y 8HQ

Date[:] 23rd December 2024

Attn: , Partner

Email:

Dear

Award of Contract for the Provision of Legal Advisers for Project Gordon. Contract Reference: P4104113

I am pleased to inform you that your company has been selected for a Direct Award for Provision of Legal Advisers for Project Gordon and therefore we would like to award the contract to you.

The call-off contract shall commence on the 4th November 2024 and the expiry date will be 3rd November 2025 for a period of 12 months, including an option to extend by 12 months (3rd November 2026) and an option to extend by a further five months (3rd April 2027).

The total contract value will be up to £800,000 excluding VAT. The contract value is subject to further internal approvals by the DfT and will be reviewed as part of the DfT's contract management procedures.

This Direct Award is being offered under Panel RM6204 Rail Legal Services Framework and the Panel Terms and Conditions shall apply. A copy of the contract is provided with this Award Letter and includes those Panel Terms and Conditions.

Please would you print and sign a copy of this Letter of Appointment with the acknowledgement signed by a partner of your firm and return via email.

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

Yours faithfully

Name: Commercial Relationship Adviser Signature: REDACTED

Signed for and on behalf of the Department for Transport

Date: 23rd December 2024

I hereby confirm receipt of the above Letter of Appointment and the agreement of Linklaters LLP provide to the Department for Transport (DfT) the Services as specified in the Letter of Appointment.

Signed on behalf of Linklaters LLP

Signature

REDACTED

Title: Counsel

Date: 10/01/25