full circumstances, the affected Confidential Information Contract and extent of the disclosure;

15.3.2. if the Recipient already had the information without obligation of confidentiality before it was disclosed by the Disclosing Party;

15.3.3. if the information was given to it by a third party without obligation of confidentiality;

15.3.4. if the information was in the public domain at the time of the disclosure;

15.3.5. if the information was independently developed without access to the Disclosing Party's Confidential Information;

15.3.6. to its auditors or for the purposes of regulatory requirements;

15.3.7. on a confidential basis, to its professional advisers on a need-to-know basis; and/or

15.3.8. to the Serious Fraud Office where the Recipient has reasonable grounds to believe that the Disclosing Party is involved in activity that may be a criminal offence under the Bribery Act 2010.

15.4 If the Recipient is required by Law to disclose Confidential Information, it should notify the Disclosing Party as soon as reasonably practicable and to the extent permitted by Law. It may advise the Disclosing Party of what Law or regulatory body requires such disclosure and what Confidential Information it will be required to disclose.

15.5 Subject to Clauses 15.3 the Supplier may disclose Confidential Information, on a confidential basis, to:

15.5.1. Supplier personnel or Sub-Contractors who are directly involved in the provision of the Project and need to know the Confidential Information to enable performance under this Contract, and

15.5.2. its professional advisers for the purposes of obtaining advice in relation to this Contract.

15.6 Where the Supplier discloses Confidential Information in such circumstances, it remains responsible for ensuring the persons to whom the information was disclosed comply with the confidentiality obligations set out in this Contract.

15.7 The Customer may disclose the Confidential Information of the Supplier:

15.7.1. to any Central Government Body, on the basis that the information may only be further disclosed to Central Government Bodies

15.7.2. to Parliament, including any Parliamentary committees, or if required by any British Parliamentary reporting requirement

15.7.3. if disclosure is necessary or appropriate in the course of carrying out its public functions

15.7.4. on a confidential basis to a professional adviser, consultant, supplier or other person engaged by a Central Government Body or Contracting Body (including any benchmarking organisation) for any purpose relating to or connected with this Contract

15.7.5. on a confidential basis for the purpose of the exercise of its rights under this Contract, or