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Contract

SMG Fire Engineering Framework

Science Museum Group

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The previous version is still available.

Scope

Description

The Science Museum Group would like to appoint a framework of three qualified and competent organisations that will provide SMG with expert fire engineering expertise in response to specific project requirements, fire safety and fire legislation queries as well as ad hoc requests from all Departments across the Group.

Details are provided in the ITT document pack.

Commercial tool

Establishes an open framework

A series of frameworks with substantially the same terms. Awarded suppliers are carried over and new suppliers can bid.

Framework

Open framework scheme end date (estimated)

18 December 2029

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Further competition is required.

Award method when using the framework

With competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Contract 1

Suppliers (3)

- [Maze Fire Consulting](#)

- [OFR Consultants](#)

- [Ove Arup & Partners Limited](#)

Contract value

- £500,000 excluding VAT

- £600,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

4 December 2025

Contract dates

- 19 December 2025 to 18 December 2028

- Possible extension to 18 December 2029

- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

5.1. The Agreement is intended to run for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for up to 1 year at SMG's sole discretion.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 71317100 - Fire and explosion protection and control consultancy services

- 71324000 - Quantity surveying services

- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Suppliers

Maze Fire Consulting

- Companies House: 14141136

5 John Dalton Street

Manchester

M2 6ET

United Kingdom

Telephone: 07425573283

Email: karl.appleton@mazefire.com

Region: UKD33 - Manchester

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

OFR Consultants

- Companies House: 09834368

Lever Street

Manchester

M1 1JA

United Kingdom

Telephone: 03309950648

Email: accounts@ofrconsultants.com

Region: UKD33 - Manchester

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Ove Arup & Partners Limited

- Companies House: 01312453

8 Fitzroy Street

London

W1T 4BJ

United Kingdom

Telephone: 02076361531

Email: uk.procurement@arup.com

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

Science Museum Group

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDTR-3338-MNPG

The Science Museum

London

SW7 2DD

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@sciencemuseum.ac.uk

Region: UKI33 - Kensington & Chelsea and Hammersmith & Fulham

Organisation type: Public authority - central government