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Contract

Provision of Scholars Season Tickets

Surrey County Council

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Scope

Description

This requirement is for the purchase of Scholars season tickets. The rail tickets purchased are for children that are eligible for travel assistance to travel to school.

The Scholars season tickets are only issued when these are the most cost-effective option of all travel options available and where they deliver value for money in comparison to alternative means of transport such as taxis, coaches or shared minibus services.

Contract 1. Provision of Scholars Season Tickets

Supplier

- South Western Railway Limited

Contract value

- £500,000 excluding VAT
- £600,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

29 December 2025

Contract dates

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2026
- Possible extension to 31 December 2027
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

Optional extension for 12 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

Contract locations

- UKJ25 - West Surrey
- UKJ26 - East Surrey

Justification for not setting key performance indicators

Contract below £5 million

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

- Single supplier - intellectual property or exclusive rights
- Single supplier - technical reasons

There is only one provider for this service which is South Western Railway (SWR). SWR are a franchise holder for the local rail network and provide the ticketing.

Supplier

South Western Railway Limited

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQHL-7495-VCQT

South Bank Central 4th Floor, 30 Stamford Street

London

SE1 9LQ

United Kingdom

Email: customerrelations@swrailway.com

Region: UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

Surrey County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWRH-8974-TNBV

Woodhatch Place, 11 Cockshot Hill

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RH2 8EF

United Kingdom

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Region: UKJ26 - East Surrey

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government