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## **715109450-A - DM00186: Maintenance and Repair of Guardian Fire Detection Equipment**

Defence Equipment and Support

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

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### **Description**

Defence Munitions ('the Authority') requires the Contractor to provide maintenance and repair services for the Guardian Fire Detection systems installed at Defence Munitions (DM) Gosport and DM Beith.

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## **Contract 1**

### **Supplier**

- FIRE ALARM FABRICATION SERVICES LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £265,000 excluding VAT
- £315,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

20 March 2026

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 20 March 2026 to 31 March 2030
- 4 years, 12 days

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 31625100 - Fire-detection systems
- 44482000 - Fire-protection devices

- 45312100 - Fire-alarm system installation work
- 45343000 - Fire-prevention installation works
- 51700000 - Installation services of fire protection equipment
- 50413200 - Repair and maintenance services of firefighting equipment

## **Contract locations**

- UKM - Scotland
- UKK - South West (England)

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Direct award

### **Special regime**

Defence and security

### **Direct award justification**

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

FAFs are the OEM and IP holders for the equipment and are the only contractor with the technical knowledge to maintain the equipment installed at DM sites.

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### **Supplier**

#### **FIRE ALARM FABRICATION SERVICES LIMITED**

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Region: UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

### Defence Equipment and Support

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVRL-5831-GLMM

MOD Abbey Wood

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BS34 8JH

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Email: [DESWpnsDM-CSI-Comrcl@mod.gov.uk](mailto:DESWpnsDM-CSI-Comrcl@mod.gov.uk)

Website: <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/defence-equipment-and-support>

Region: UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Organisation type: Public authority - central government