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Award

Learning Management System with Integrated Events Booking

Cambridgeshire County Council

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Scope

Reference

DN790954

Description

Cambridgeshire County Council is seeking to procure a Learning Management System (LMS) with integrated event booking functionality to replace separate legacy systems currently used across the organisation. This initiative is driven by the need to modernise our learning infrastructure, streamline operations, and improve the user experience for internal staff, external professionals, and members of the public.

The Council wishes to introduce an LMS that supports a wide range of learning formats, including eLearning, digital classrooms, and in-person training. It should offer robust reporting capabilities to meet governance requirements and provide evidence to support inspection frameworks including Ofsted and CQC.

Additionally, the system must accommodate a diverse user base, including approximately 4,800 employees, 8,000 external professionals, and over 10,000 citizens and residents,

with flexible licensing and payment processing options.

Contract 1

Supplier

- CDSM INTERACTIVE SOLUTIONS LTD

Contract value

- £405,969 excluding VAT
- £487,162.80 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

22 January 2026

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

22 January 2026

Standstill period

- End: 2 February 2026

- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

6 February 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 6 February 2026 to 5 April 2030
- Possible extension to 5 April 2032
- 6 years, 2 months

Description of possible extension:

There is the potential for two contract extensions of 12 months, depending on both the success in achieving the required outcomes and availability of further funding.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 72260000 - Software-related services
- 80500000 - Training services

Contract locations

- UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC
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Information about tenders

- 17 tenders received
 - 4 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 4 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 1 supplier awarded contracts
 - 3 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Submission

Submission type

Tenders

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Supplier

CDSM INTERACTIVE SOLUTIONS LTD

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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Contracting authority

Cambridgeshire County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJVB-3262-VGVJ

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government