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## **Provision of General Surgery Services (insourcing)**

Somerset NHS Foundation Trust

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-007494

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0445ba

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **Region code**

UKK23 - Somerset

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.somersetft.nhs.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.somersetft.nhs.uk/>

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Provision of General Surgery Services (insourcing)

Reference number

PSR/CLIN037

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85111100 - Surgical hospital services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.6) Original notice reference**

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## Section VII. Changes

### VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

Section number

II.2.4

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Text

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## VI.3

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This is a Provider Selection Regime (PSR) intention to award notice. The awarding of this contract is subject to the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 do not apply to this award. The publication of this notice marks the start of the standstill period. Representations by providers must be made to decision makers by midnight on 15 March 2024 via email to [serviceteam.procurement@somersetft.nhs.uk](mailto:serviceteam.procurement@somersetft.nhs.uk). This contract has not yet formally been awarded; this notice serves as an intention to award under the PSR. The decision makers were: Deputy Service Director – Surgery and Critical Care Group. No conflicts of interest were declared among decision makers. The key criteria were weighted as follows: 30% quality and Innovation, 30% Value, 15% Integration, Collaboration and Service Sustainability, 15% Improving access, reducing health inequalities and facilitating choice, 10% Social value. Quality and value are the most important factors to ensure a high quality, safe and effective service can be provided to as many patients as possible to minimise waiting times. The rationale for choosing the provider with reference to the key criteria: The existing supplier is an established surgical services provider with a proven track record, and they are highly likely to be able to satisfy the new contract to a sufficient standard.

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PSR and has re-visited an earlier stage in the process. The standstill period has been re-started as a result.

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