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Contract

## **Cybersecurity Licences - PP-UKIFS-507**

UK Industrial Fusion Solutions Ltd

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2026/S 000-012825

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-064ee0

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

UK Industrial Fusion Solutions Ltd

Culham Science Centre

Abingdon

OX14 3DB

#### **Contact**

Operational Procurement Team

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://stepfusion.com/about/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Energy

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

Cybersecurity Licences - PP-UKIFS-507

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

Purchase of OKTA Licences

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £294,972.72

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

Main site or place of performance

Oxfordshire

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Purchase of x600 OKTA licences.

To provide a secure, scalable identity broker to enable single sign-on (SSO), strong authentication, and centralized access policies for workforce and contractors.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 90

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This contract has been awarded without prior publication of a contract notice because it is a call?off contract under an existing framework agreement that was itself lawfully advertised in accordance with Directive 2014/24/EU. In accordance with Regulation 33 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015, contracting authorities may award call?off contracts without the need for a further call for competition where the terms of the framework agreement have already been established. The G?Cloud 14 framework (RM1557.14) was procured under PCR 2015 and provides the legally valid basis for direct award or further?competition award to framework suppliers. Therefore, in line with Directive 2014/24/EU and PCR 2015, no additional publication was required prior to this award

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## Section V. Award of contract

### Title

Cybersecurity Licences - PP-UKIFS-507

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

26 January 2026

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Somerford Associates Limited

Park House, Church Place

Swindon

SN1 5ED

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+44 1793698047

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK14 - Swindon

National registration number

04250112

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £294,972.72

Total value of the contract/lot: £294,972.72

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

21 January 2026

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

The High Court of Justice (Technology and Construction Court)

The Royal Courts of Justice

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom