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Contract

## **DfC Work Ready Employability Services**

Department for Communities

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-012853

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02b9a6

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

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

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#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

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Buyer's address

<https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/topics/procurement>

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

Body governed by public law

#### **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

DfC Work Ready Employability Services

Reference number

ID3161153

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

As part of a move across government in Northern Ireland to respond to the impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic and the significant rise in unemployment, the Department for Communities (DfC) wishes to procure Work Ready Employability Services. Work Ready Employability Services (WRES) will provide additional capacity and/or expertise to supplement and complement existing DfC employability provision in a responsive and agile manner, to ramp up and down, as and when required. Full details of DfC's requirements can be found in the Specification .

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £176,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council

Lot No

1

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Quality criterion - Name: AC2 Innovation and Improvement / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: AC3 Delivery across the Lot / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: AC4 Key Personnel / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: AC5 Contract Management / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: No quantitative assessment in the evaluation process / Weighting: 0

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option.

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Ards and North Down Borough Council

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Cost criterion - Name: No quantitative assessment as part of the evaluation process / Weighting: 0

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Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option.

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option.

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Belfast City Council

Lot No

4

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Cost criterion - Name: No quantitative assessment as part of the evaluation process /  
Weighting: 0

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option.

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council

Lot No

5

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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

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Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Derry City and Strabane District Council

Lot No

6

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Fermanagh and Omagh District Council

Lot No

7

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council

Lot No

8

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Description of options

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council

Lot No

9

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
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NUTS codes

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Mid Ulster District Council

Lot No

10

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
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NUTS codes

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option

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

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

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Newry, Mourne and Down District Council

Lot No

11

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 80521000 - Training programme services
- 80522000 - Training seminars
- 80530000 - Vocational training services
- 80500000 - Training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

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Options: Yes

Description of options

2-year initial period/1-year extension option

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

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

## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

Accelerated procedure

Justification:

Contracting authority publishing of prior information notice (2020/S 123-302667 of 29/6/20) justifies reduction of timescales as per 27(4) and 27(5) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2020/S 205-500592](#)

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

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Antrim and Newtownabbey Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Turas Nua Limited

Roscrea

Email

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Country

Ireland

NUTS code

- IE - Ireland

Internet address

<https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/topics/procurement>

The contractor is an SME

No

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

NETWORK PERSONNEL LTD

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

RUTLEDGE RECRUITMENT TRAINING LTD

COLERAINE

Email

[teisen33@rutledgegroup.co.uk](mailto:teisen33@rutledgegroup.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Ards and North Down Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

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Country

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NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

CLANRYE GROUP LIMITED

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

3

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

21 May 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

D.F.P.F. LTD

BELFAST

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

CLANRYE GROUP LIMITED

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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The contractor is an SME

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

The Skills Team Group Limited

Dublin

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Country

Ireland

NUTS code

- IE0 - Ireland

Internet address

<https://www.skillsteam.ie/>

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: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

4

### **Lot No**

4

### **Title**

Belfast City Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

23 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

WORKFORCE TRAINING SERVICES LIMITED

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Email

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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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: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

5

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

6

**Lot No**

6

**Title**

Derry City and Strabane District Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

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

13 April 2021

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

7

### **Lot No**

7

### **Title**

Fermanagh and Omagh District Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

8

### **Lot No**

8

### **Title**

Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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The contractor is an SME

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

9

### **Lot No**

9

### **Title**

Mid and East Antrim Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

10

### **Lot No**

10

### **Title**

Mid Ulster District Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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

### **Contract No**

11

### **Lot No**

11

### **Title**

Newry, Mourne and Down District Council

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

13 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 17

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 17

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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Total value of the contract/lot: £16,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

The estimated contract value is a broad estimate only and includes additional quantum for unforeseen demand and to future proof. There is no guarantee of any level of business under this contract, either for any individual Lot, or for the contract as a whole. The estimate is not deemed to be a condition of contract nor a guarantee of minimum demand or uptake. No compensation will be payable to a contractor should the actual demand be less than that stated. The Department would again stress that on a demand-led contract, throughput / uptake could be influenced by a wide range of factors on a local level, so the values for individual Lots should also be considered as broad estimates only at this time..

. The successful contractor's performance on this contract will be managed as per specification and regularly monitored (see Procurement Guidance Note 01/12 Contract Management: <https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/sites/default/files/publications/dfp/PGN-01012-Contract-Management-Principles-Procedures-25-Sept-2017.PDF>). Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a notice of written warning and notice of unsatisfactory performance and this contract may be terminated. The issue of a notice of written warning and notice of unsatisfactory performance will result in the contractor being excluded from all procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy for a period of up to 3 years from the date of issue of the notice.

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

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

See VI.4.3/Review procedure

See VI.4.3/Review procedure

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

See VI.4.3/Review procedure

See VI.4.3/Review procedure

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United Kingdom

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Instead, any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.