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Strengthening the Supported Internships Programme

Department for Education

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03180f

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Strengthening the Supported Internships Programme

Reference number

2022/S 000-025256

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 75121000 - Administrative educational services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Supported Internships (SIs) are a work-based study programme for 16-24 year olds with SEND who have an

Education Health and Care plan, who want to move into employment and who need extra support to do so. SIs

are designed to equip young people with the skills they need to secure and sustain employment through

learning in the workplace.

The DfE wants to build the capacity of the SI programme and are aiming to double the number of SIs from

c.2,250 internship enrolments per annum to c.4,500 per annum by 2025.

We are commissioning two contracts to deliver services to meet these aims.

Lot 1 'Strengthening the Supported Internships Programme'

Lot 2 'Delivery of Job Coach training'

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: [2022/S 000-025256](#)

Section VII. Changes

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

Section number

Section II: Object

Lot No

1 & 2

Place of text to be modified

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

Instead of

Text

Value excluding VAT: £5,766,991.54

Read

Text

Value excluding VAT: £7,508,857.16

Section number

Section V.

Lot No

1

Place of text to be modified

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

Instead of

Text

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,537,165.04

Read

Text

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,966,482.76

Section number

Section V.

Lot No

2

Place of text to be modified

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

Instead of

Text

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,229,827

Read

Text

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,542,374.40 (excl. VAT)

Section number

Section VI.

Lot No

1 & 2

Place of text to be modified

VI.3) Additional information

Read

Text

On 11th April 2025 a variation was to extend both the Lot 1 and Lot 2 contracts for a further 12 months with a revised end date of 31st March 2026.