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# 2025 - Web Application Firewall (WAF) for British Council China

**British Council** 

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# Scope

# **Description**

The British Council China is looking for one capable service provider for Web application firewall (WAF) to cope with business needs and enhance security features especially in local context.

# **Contract 1**

# **Supplier**

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#### **Contract value**

• 449334.00 CNY including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

#### Award decision date

25 April 2025

# Earliest date the contract will be signed

25 May 2025

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 June 2025 to 1 June 2026
- Possible extension to 1 June 2028
- 3 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Contract can be extended for another 12+12 months. The amount is an estimation for total 3-year contract.

# Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

- 72268000 Software supply services
- 72260000 Software-related services

#### **Contract locations**

• CN - China

# Information about tenders

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

#### **Procedure**

# **Procedure type**

Below threshold - open competition

# **Supplier**

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China

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1

# **Contracting authority**

# **British Council**

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government