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## **HO3 Body Armour**

Metropolitan Police Service

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-026489

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04697d

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

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

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United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[https://supplier.coupahost.com/quotes/public\\_events?customer=metpolice](https://supplier.coupahost.com/quotes/public_events?customer=metpolice)

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

HO3 Body Armour

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

- 35815000 - Garments for anti-ballistic protection

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

Supplies

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

Framework contract on behalf of the Counter Terrorism Specialist Firearms Officer (CTSFO) network, for the provision of HO3 standard body armour. The scope of the contract will cover CTSFO hubs across the UK and Northern Ireland. MOPAC on behalf of the Counter Terrorism Policing HQ (CTPHQ) will be the main contracting authority to contract with the successful supplier. The terms agreed at this framework level will roll down to the individual call-offs put in place between the CTSFO hubs and the successful supplier.

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.6) Original notice reference**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-016099](#)

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## **Section VII. Changes**

### **VII.1) Information to be changed or added**

### **VII.2) Other additional information**

This is a F14 (Corrigendum notice for changes or additional information) notice to notify the market of the abandonment of the proposed procurement in Prior Information Notice (PIN) reference 2024/S 000-016099.

Following consultation with the market and internal SMEs across the CTP network, this procurement is being abandoned due to a change in circumstances. This change means a new procurement strategy must be created following further refinement of the requirement. The requirement for body armour still exists, however internal decision making must develop further prior to the entering of any commercial process.

When the new strategy is signed off, a revised PIN will be released to the market to gauge interest, and also request information from interested bidders prior to the commencement of the procurement activity. All procurement activity will take place on the Authority's Coupa Sourcing Portal, accessible at:

[https://supplier.coupahost.com/quotes/public\\_events?customer=metpolice](https://supplier.coupahost.com/quotes/public_events?customer=metpolice).

This decision is being communicated via an F14 notice due to an inability to publish a F03 (Contract award notice) in line with the Major Changes policy found at: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Home/PublishedNotice/Changes>. The F14 was deemed the most appropriate way to notify the market of the decision.