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Pipeline

Outsourced Catering Services

CRESCENT PURCHASING LIMITED

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Scope

Reference

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Description

The assignment of outsourced catering organisations to a procurement system which offers primarily educational establishments (which are members of the Contracting Authority Crescent Purchasing Consortium) across the United Kingdom the ability to appoint a contractor to wholly manage their catering provision. Any resulting procurement system will also be made available to organisations within the wider public sector.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Contract dates (estimated)

- 26 September 2026 to 25 September 2028
- Possible extension to 25 September 2030
- 4 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 55520000 - Catering services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 February 2026

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

CRESCENT PURCHASING LIMITED

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