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Award

Powder activated carbon dosing system

UNITED UTILITIES WATER LIMITED

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Scope

Description

Supply of 2 Powder activated carbon dosing systems

Contract 1

Supplier

- Transvac Systems Limited

Contract value

- £744,000 excluding VAT
- £892,800 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

17 June 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 17 June 2025 to 31 December 2025
- 6 months, 14 days

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 42993200 - Dosing plant

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Special regime

Utilities

Direct award justification

Extreme and unavoidable urgency

Extreme dry weather incident has resulted in reservoir stocks being substantially below the annual norm (circa 60%) which causes a risk to the provision of water services. Carbon dosing equipment is required as soon as possible to mitigate the effects of the drought. Carbon dosing equipment which is typically on a long lead time (6 months or longer) has been sourced via a supplier who have been able to deliver in less than half of this timescale after a search of the market. United Utilities are making a direct award on the basis that the equipment will be delivered in the shortest known lead-time available.

Supplier

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Contract 1

Contracting authority

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