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Planning

## **Lift Autodialers (Corporate and Housing)**

Sheffield City Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

100306

### **Description**

As the digital switchover approaches, it is crucial to transition analogue phone lines in passenger lifts within Sheffield City Council's Housing and Corporate buildings to digital technology. Analogue lines are becoming obsolete with the shift to digital communications and telecommunication providers within the UK are starting to switch these analogue lines off. This produces risk to the Council as it will result in potential service disruptions for lift emergency communication systems. These systems are vital for safety, as they allow for quick communication in the event of an emergency.

Switching to digital technology ensures that passenger lifts remain operational and compliant with safety regulations, whilst also providing more reliable, secure and efficient communication.

This programme will replace the current analogue phonelines that are located with each

passenger lift, which is connected to the emergency button inside the lift as well as the supply of a back office system.

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

- 1 August 2025 to 31 July 2027
- 2 years

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 42416100 - Lifts
- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 51300000 - Installation services of communications equipment

### **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)

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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

1 April 2025

The engagement was carried out before this notice was published.

### **Engagement process description**

Scope of the engagement was to identify suppliers within the market

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Contracting authority**

**Sheffield City Council**

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