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Courier, Distribution, Storage and Specialist Solutions

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Scope

Reference

RM6354

Description

This framework is for the provision of Courier, Distribution, Storage and Specialist Solutions to be utilised by Central Government Departments and all other UK Public Sector Bodies, including Local Authorities, Health, Police, Fire and Rescue, Education, Third Sector and Devolved Administrations.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 22 January 2026 to 21 January 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

Not the same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

Lot 1a (was 1). International Storage

Description

Provides a range of services for secure storage and fulfilment in international locations. Services include but are not limited to:

Inbound warehousing processes;

Warehouse storage;

Fulfilment services, order consolidation, merge in transit;

Packaging and goods/material handling equipment;

Stock Control;

Inventory and asset management systems (including asset traceability);

Customs services and clearance, this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported and exported.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 63700000 - Support services for land, water and air transport
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
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Same for all lots

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Lot 1b. Air freight and Air Charter Services

Description

Provides a range of services for managing the transportation of goods to and from the UK to international locations using air freight and air charter services.

Services include but are not limited to:

Charter booking services;

Air freight management;

Airport ground handling services for items arriving into international destinations and into the UK, such as loading and unloading cargo items.

Customs services and clearance, this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported and exported to and from the UK

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 60423000 - Air-charter services
- 63000000 - Supporting and auxiliary transport services; travel agencies services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey

- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey
- AI - Anguilla
- BM - Bermuda
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- GI - Gibraltar
- GS - South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands
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Same for all lots

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Lot 1c. Rail Freight

Description

Provides a range of services to help you transport goods by rail to the UK and from international destinations. Services include but are not limited to:

Managing and booking rail freight transportation;

Customs services and clearance, this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported and exported to and from the UK;

Shipping container movement and management;

Onward transportation of items

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 60200000 - Railway transport services
- 63100000 - Cargo handling and storage services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 63711000 - Support services for railway transport
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
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- GI - Gibraltar
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- VG - British Virgin Islands

Same for all lots

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Lot 1d. Road Freight

Description

Provides a range of services to transport goods by road to and from the UK to international destinations. Services include but are not limited to:

Managing road freight services;

Providing specialist vehicles such as temperature controlled or vehicles capable of transporting bulky items;

Customs services and clearance, this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported or exported to and from the UK;

Onward transportation of items.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 60100000 - Road transport services
- 63110000 - Cargo handling services

- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 63710000 - Support services for land transport
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
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Lot 1e. Sea Freight

Description

This sub-lot provides a range of services for transporting by sea to and from the UK to international destinations. Services include but are not limited to:

Managing and booking freight services;

Container management and transportation;

Customs services and clearance, this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported or exported to and from the UK;

Onward transportation of items.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers

- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 60600000 - Water transport services
- 63521000 - Freight transport agency services
- 63522000 - Ship brokerage services
- 63523000 - Port and forwarding agency services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

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- VG - British Virgin Islands

Same for all lots

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Lot 1f. Managed Service for International Storage and Transportation

Description

Provides a full suite of services for the international storage and onward transportation of items either to the UK or to other international destinations. Services include but are not limited to:

Inbound warehousing processes;

Warehouse storage;

Fulfilment services, order consolidation, merge in transit;

Packaging and goods/material handling equipment;

Stock control;

Inventory and asset management systems (including asset traceability);

Onward transportation which may be via sea, rail, road, air or sea;

Customs services and clearance this includes preparing documents to allow items to be imported or exported

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 60640000 - Shipping operations
- 63120000 - Storage and warehousing services
- 63522000 - Ship brokerage services

- 63523000 - Port and forwarding agency services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 71630000 - Technical inspection and testing services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

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- GG - Guernsey
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Lot 2a. Storage Solutions

Description

Provides a range of storage solutions and related services within the UK. Services include but are not limited to:

Inventory and asset management systems (including asset tracking);

Inbound warehousing processes;

Warehouse storage;

Fulfilment services and order consolidation, for example picking and packaging items ready for dispatch;

Packaging of items and material handling equipment to enable the dispatch;

stock control.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services
- 63122000 - Warehousing services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64100000 - Post and courier services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
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Same for all lots

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Lot 2b. Kitting, Fulfilment and Asset Management

Description

Provides a range of fulfilment and kitting solutions and services within the UK. Services include but are not limited to:

Asset tracking;

Picking and packaging of products;

Unpacking received products into individual cases;

Preparing items for dispatch according to buyer needs.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services
- 63122000 - Warehousing services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64100000 - Post and courier services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79571000 - Mailing services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services

- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

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Lot 2c. Transportation and Distribution

Description

Provides a range of services for the transportation and distribution of items within the UK such as:

Pallets;

Individual boxes;

Containers;

Medical equipment;

Large bulky items.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141000 - Disposable non-chemical medical consumables and haematological consumables
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services
- 63122000 - Warehousing services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64100000 - Post and courier services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services

Contract locations

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Lot 2d. Managed Service for Storage and Distribution

Description

Provide a range of services for the storage and distribution in the UK. Services include but are not limited to:

Inbound warehousing processes;

Warehouse storage;

Fulfilment services, order consolidation, merge in transit;

Packaging and goods/material handling equipment;

stock control;

Inventory and asset management systems (including asset traceability);

Onward transportation.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141000 - Disposable non-chemical medical consumables and haematological consumables
- 42961400 - Dispatch system
- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services
- 63122000 - Warehousing services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64100000 - Post and courier services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services
- 72225000 - System quality assurance assessment and review services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services

- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
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- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2e. Managed Service for the Storage and Distribution of Vaccines, Pharmaceuticals and Associated Medical Products

Description

Provide a range of services for the storage and distribution of vaccines and pharmaceuticals and associated products in the UK.

Services include but are not limited to:

Inbound warehousing processes;

Warehouse storage;

Temperature controlled and refrigerated storage;

Fulfilment services, order consolidation, merge in transit;

Packaging and goods/material handling equipment;

stock control;

Inventory and asset management systems (including asset traceability);

Onward transportation including temperature controlled or dual zone vehicles.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 24000000 - Chemical products
- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits
- 33199000 - Medical clothing
- 33620000 - Medicinal products for the blood, blood-forming organs and the cardiovascular system
- 33651000 - General anti-infectives for systemic use and vaccines
- 33680000 - Pharmaceutical articles
- 33690000 - Various medicinal products
- 33741300 - Hand sanitizer
- 33954000 - Biological evidence collection kits
- 38911000 - Manual swab test kits
- 38912000 - Automated swab test kits
- 42961400 - Dispatch system

- 42965100 - Warehouse management system
- 42998000 - Pallet-picking system
- 43411000 - Sorting and screening machines
- 44143000 - Pallets
- 44423300 - Goods-handling equipment
- 44613300 - Standard freight containers
- 44613400 - Storage containers
- 44614300 - Container storage system
- 48311100 - Document management system
- 48720000 - Bar coding software package
- 48921000 - Automation system
- 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services
- 63122000 - Warehousing services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64100000 - Post and courier services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79920000 - Packaging and related services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 85142400 - Home delivery of incontinence products
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3a. Collection and Delivery Services

Description

Provides collection and delivery services within the UK and international destinations
`items include but are not limited to:

Documents;

Parcels;

Pallets;

Bulk movements.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 60160000 - Mail transport by road
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

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Same for all lots

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Lot 3b. Secure Services

Description

Provides secure collection and delivery within the UK, where suppliers provide additional insurances and double manned vehicles for high value secure items. Items include but are not limited to:

Documents;

IT equipment;

Art work and museum artefacts;

Mobile Phones;

Parcels;

Pallets;

Bulk movements

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 60161000 - Parcel transport services
- 64121000 - Multi-modal courier services
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3c. Secure Collection and Delivery of Examination, Test Papers and Materials

Description

Provides secure distribution of exam papers and associated materials to test centres, awarding organisations and examiners in the UK.

Services include overnight and same day.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 22832000 - Exercise papers
- 64121000 - Multi-modal courier services
- 75130000 - Supporting services for the government
- 90511400 - Paper collecting services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3d. Managed Service for Specialist Movements

Description

Provides a full suite of services for the collection and delivery of specialist items which may include but is not limited to:

Documents and parcels;

Infectious Substances Category A UN Class 6, division 6.2 UN 2814;

Toxic Substances UN Class 6, division 6.1;

Genetically modified organisms, which are classed as UN 2814 and UN 2900;

Any diagnostic and/or investigative specimens for laboratory analysis, which are classified as UN2814 and/or UN2900;

Genetically modified organisms and any diagnostic and/or investigative specimens for laboratory analysis, which are classified as UN337;

Water Samples.

Non-infectious substances including but not limited to:

Controlled drugs;

Pharmaceuticals;

Medical supplies;

Associated equipment;

Compressed gases including birthing gases.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33141510 - Blood products
- 33141620 - Medical kits
- 33141625 - Diagnostic kits

- 33191000 - Sterilisation, disinfection and hygiene devices
- 33192000 - Medical furniture
- 33680000 - Pharmaceutical articles
- 33741300 - Hand sanitizer
- 38911000 - Manual swab test kits
- 38912000 - Automated swab test kits
- 60420000 - Non-scheduled air transport services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 85111800 - Pathology services
- 85111810 - Blood analysis services
- 85111820 - Bacteriological analysis services
- 85142400 - Home delivery of incontinence products
- 85145000 - Services provided by medical laboratories

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
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Lot 3e. International Courier Services

Description

Provides secure collection and delivery of documents and parcels to international destinations.

Services include:

Priority:

Europe - 1 to 3 days after collection

Worldwide - 1 to 4 days after collection;

Standard:

Europe - 2 to 4 days after collection,

Worldwide - 3 to 7 days after collection;

Economy:

Europe - 3 to 7 days after collection,

Worldwide - 7 to 10 days after collection;

Customs clearance.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 33600000 - Pharmaceutical products
- 60400000 - Air transport services
- 63524000 - Transport document preparation services
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 75131000 - Government services

Contract locations

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Lot 4a. Managed service for the Transportation and Disposal of Firearms, Weapons and Explosives (Class 1)

Description

Provides a fully managed service for the secure collection, delivery and disposal of items which may include but not limited to:

- ? UN Class 1 High Consequence Explosive Substances and articles;
- ? UN Class 1 Explosive Substances and articles and articles division 1.1-1.6;
- ? Section 5 Firearms;
- ? Section 1 Firearms;
- ? Section 2 Firearms;
- ? Handguns for humane dispatch;
- ? Small arms ammunition;
- ? CS Gas and PAVA Spray;
- ? Chain of custody transportation service and services
- ? Weapons including knives and tools
- ? Fireworks

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 24600000 - Explosives
- 35200000 - Police equipment

- 35300000 - Weapons, ammunition and associated parts
- 39241100 - Knives
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 71631000 - Technical inspection services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 75220000 - Defence services
- 75241100 - Police services
- 75251000 - Fire-brigade services
- 90511000 - Refuse collection services
- 90512000 - Refuse transport services
- 90513000 - Non-hazardous refuse and waste treatment and disposal services
- 90520000 - Radioactive-, toxic-, medical- and hazardous waste services

Contract locations

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Lot 4b. Managed Service for Recycling and Disposal

Description

Provides a range of services for the recycling and disposal of items which may include incineration, resale, donation and auctioning. Items may include, but are not limited to:

Medical equipment;

Packaging;

PPE;

IT equipment.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT

- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 63120000 - Storage and warehousing services
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79342400 - Auction services
- 79342410 - Electronic auction services
- 79957000 - Auction organisation services
- 79991000 - Stock-control services
- 90500000 - Refuse and waste related services
- 92512100 - Archive destruction services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 4c. Managed Service for Asset Recovery

Description

Provides a fully managed service for the transportation, resale or disposal of any item or asset including:

High value items;

Electrical equipment;

Office equipment and machinery;

Vehicles.

Lot value (estimated)

- £3,680,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,600,000,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

CPV classifications

- 15991000 - Tobacco goods
- 35320000 - Firearms
- 39241100 - Knives
- 45111200 - Site preparation and clearance work
- 50117300 - Reconditioning services of vehicles
- 50118110 - Vehicle towing-away services
- 50118400 - Breakdown and recovery services for motor vehicles

- 50190000 - Demolition services of vehicles
- 64120000 - Courier services
- 70122100 - Land sale services
- 70123000 - Sale of real estate
- 71632000 - Technical testing services
- 75131000 - Government services
- 79342400 - Auction services
- 79342410 - Electronic auction services
- 79957000 - Auction organisation services
- 90513000 - Non-hazardous refuse and waste treatment and disposal services
- 90900000 - Cleaning and sanitation services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
- GG - Guernsey
- IM - Isle of Man
- JE - Jersey
- AI - Anguilla
- BM - Bermuda
- FK - Falkland Islands
- GI - Gibraltar
- GS - South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands
- IO - British Indian Ocean Territory

- KY - Cayman Islands
- MS - Montserrat
- PN - Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands
- SH - Saint Helena, Ascension and Tristan da Cunha
- TC - Turks and Caicos Islands
- VG - British Virgin Islands

Same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

Unlimited

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0.75%

Further information about fees

The Supplier will pay, excluding VAT, 0.75% (Lots 1a-f and Lots 2a-e) and 0.5% (Lots 3a - e and Lots 4a - c) of all the Charges for the Deliverables invoiced to the Buyer under all Call-Off Contracts.

Framework operation description

Refer to Framework Schedule 7 - Call Off Award Procedure for details of the competitive selection processes for the award of contracts under this framework.

In the event that there is a challenge to the Competition and such a challenge is confined to any one particular Lot, the Authority reserves the right to the extent that it is lawful to do so, to conclude a Framework Contract with the successful Suppliers in respect of the Lot(s) that has (have) not been so challenged." and this should go in the lot descriptions the rest is covered in the ITT The Authority also reserves the right to extend Lots by varying durations.

Award method when using the framework

Either with or without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Refer to RM6354 - Courier, Distribution, Storage and Specialist Solutions - Customer List for details of contracting authorities that may use the framework

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Lot 1a (was 1). International Storage

Lot 1b. Air freight and Air Charter Services

Lot 1c. Rail Freight

Lot 1d. Road Freight

Lot 1e. Sea Freight

Lot 1f. Managed Service for International Storage and Transportation

Lot 2a. Storage Solutions

Lot 2b. Kitting, Fulfilment and Asset Management

Lot 2c. Transportation and Distribution

Lot 2d. Managed Service for Storage and Distribution

Lot 2e. Managed Service for the Storage and Distribution of Vaccines, Pharmaceuticals and Associated Medical Products

Lot 3a. Collection and Delivery Services

Lot 3b. Secure Services

Lot 3c. Secure Collection and Delivery of Examination, Test Papers and Materials

Lot 3d. Managed Service for Specialist Movements

Lot 3e. International Courier Services

Lot 4a. Managed service for the Transportation and Disposal of Firearms, Weapons and Explosives (Class 1)

Lot 4b. Managed Service for Recycling and Disposal

Lot 4c. Managed Service for Asset Recovery

The conditions of participation relating to the legal and financial capacity are set out in the ITT, in the procurement specific questionnaire. The conditions of participation will be assessed in accordance with the assessment methodologies detailed in the procurement specific questionnaire and Attachment 2 How to tender.

Technical ability conditions of participation

Lot 1a (was 1). International Storage

Lot 1b. Air freight and Air Charter Services

Lot 1c. Rail Freight

Lot 1d. Road Freight

Lot 1e. Sea Freight

Lot 1f. Managed Service for International Storage and Transportation

Lot 2a. Storage Solutions

Lot 2b. Kitting, Fulfilment and Asset Management

Lot 2c. Transportation and Distribution

Lot 2d. Managed Service for Storage and Distribution

Lot 2e. Managed Service for the Storage and Distribution of Vaccines, Pharmaceuticals and Associated Medical Products

Lot 3a. Collection and Delivery Services

Lot 3b. Secure Services

Lot 3c. Secure Collection and Delivery of Examination, Test Papers and Materials

Lot 3d. Managed Service for Specialist Movements

Lot 3e. International Courier Services

Lot 4a. Managed service for the Transportation and Disposal of Firearms, Weapons and Explosives (Class 1)

Lot 4b. Managed Service for Recycling and Disposal

Lot 4c. Managed Service for Asset Recovery

The conditions of participation relating to technical capability are set out in the ITT, in the procurement specific questionnaire. The conditions of participation will be assessed in accordance with the assessment methodologies detailed in the procurement specific questionnaire and Attachment 2 How to tender.

Particular suitability

Lot 1a (was 1). International Storage

Lot 1b. Air freight and Air Charter Services

Lot 1c. Rail Freight

Lot 1d. Road Freight

Lot 1e. Sea Freight

Lot 1f. Managed Service for International Storage and Transportation

Lot 2a. Storage Solutions

Lot 2b. Kitting, Fulfilment and Asset Management

Lot 2c. Transportation and Distribution

Lot 2d. Managed Service for Storage and Distribution

Lot 2e. Managed Service for the Storage and Distribution of Vaccines, Pharmaceuticals and Associated Medical Products

Lot 3a. Collection and Delivery Services

Lot 3b. Secure Services

Lot 3c. Secure Collection and Delivery of Examination, Test Papers and Materials

Lot 3d. Managed Service for Specialist Movements

Lot 3e. International Courier Services

Lot 4a. Managed service for the Transportation and Disposal of Firearms, Weapons and Explosives (Class 1)

Lot 4b. Managed Service for Recycling and Disposal

Lot 4c. Managed Service for Asset Recovery

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

Submission

Enquiry deadline

11 August 2025, 3:00pm

Tender submission deadline

28 August 2025, 3:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://crowncommercialservice.bravosolution.co.uk>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

12 January 2026

Award criteria**Lot 1a (was 1). International Storage**

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1a	Price	40%
Storage solutions	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 1b. Air freight and Air Charter Services

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1b	Price	40%
Air freight and air charter services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 1c. Rail Freight

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1c	Price	40%
Freight services	Quality	30%

Name	Type	Weighting
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 1d. Road Freight

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1d	Price	40%
Freight services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 1e. Sea Freight

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1e	Price	40%
Freight services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 1f. Managed Service for International Storage and Transportation

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 1f	Price	40%
Managed services for international storage and transportation	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 2a. Storage Solutions

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 2a	Price	40%
Storage solutions	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 2b. Kitting, Fulfilment and Asset Management

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 2b	Price	40%
Kitting, fulfilment and asset management	Quality	30%

Name	Type	Weighting
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 2c. Transportation and Distribution

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 2c	Price	40%
Transport and distribution	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 2d. Managed Service for Storage and Distribution

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 2d	Price	40%
Transport and distribution	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 2e. Managed Service for the Storage and Distribution of Vaccines, Pharmaceuticals and Associated Medical Products

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 2e	Price	40%
Managed service for storage and distribution of vaccines, pharmaceuticals and associated medical products	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 3a. Collection and Delivery Services

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 3a	Price	40%
Collection and delivery services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 3b. Secure Services

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 3b	Price	40%
Secure services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 3c. Secure Collection and Delivery of Examination, Test Papers and Materials

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 3c	Price	40%
Secure collection and delivery of examination, test papers and materials	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 3d. Managed Service for Specialist Movements

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 3d	Price	40%
Managed service for specialist movements	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 3e. International Courier Services

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 3e	Price	40%
International courier services	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 4a. Managed service for the Transportation and Disposal of Firearms, Weapons and Explosives (Class 1)

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 4a	Price	40%
Managed service for the transportation and disposal of firearms, weapons and explosives	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%

Name	Type	Weighting
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 4b. Managed Service for Recycling and Disposal

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 4b	Price	40%
Managed service for recycling and disposal	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Lot 4c. Managed Service for Asset Recovery

Name	Type	Weighting
Price - Lot 4c	Price	40%
Managed service for asset recovery	Quality	30%
Value for money	Quality	20%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
- Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

[Customer List - RM6354.docx](#)

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