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Award

FortiNet Licence Renewal

University of Salford

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Scope

Description

The University of Salford have the below FortiNet licences which are due for renewal on 19/08/25. We are looking to renew for a 3 year term.

2x FortiGate-2600F 3 Year Unified Threat Protection (UTP) (IPS, Advanced Malware Protection, Application Control,

URL, DNS & Video Filtering, Antispam Service, and FortiCare Premium) - F2K60FTK21900900 and F2K60FTK21900979

2x FortiGate-600E 3 Year Unified Threat Protection (UTP) (IPS, Advanced Malware Protection, Application Control, URL, DNS & Video Filtering, Antispam Service, and FortiCare Premium) - FG6H0ETB21908616 and FG6H0ETB21908872

Contract 1

Supplier

- Softcat Ltd

Contract value

- £182,852.83 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

14 August 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

14 August 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 19 August 2025 to 19 August 2028
- 3 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems

Contract locations

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

Information about tenders

- 3 tenders received
- 3 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 1 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 2 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - limited competition

Supplier

Softcat Ltd

Universal Square Devonshire Street

Manchester

M12 6JH

United Kingdom

Email: creditcontrol@softcat.com

Region: UKD33 - Manchester

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

University of Salford

- Charity Commission (England and Wales): RC000666
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDHR-3751-QPQR

43 The Crescent

Salford

M5 4WT

United Kingdom

Email: procurement-finance@salford.ac.uk

Region: UKD34 - Greater Manchester South West

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government