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## **BLC0201 - Cyber Security Services (Preliminary Market Engagement)**

BLUELIGHT COMMERCIAL LIMITED

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

BLC0201

### **Description**

BlueLight Commercial are seeking to establish a multi-supplier Open Framework for the provision of Cyber Security Services. The Framework Agreement will be available for use by all UK Police Forces and all other agencies named in the Invitation to Tender documentation. The Framework is intended to have a total term of eight (8) years and will provide a route to market for the following Cyber Security Services:

Lot 1 - Penetration Testing and Vulnerability Management Scanning

Lot 2 - Cyber Incident Response and Planning Services

Lot 3 - Cyber Resilience Audit

Lot 4 - Cyber Security Training Services

To make an expression of interest in this tender please do so using the bluelight e-tendering portal at <https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/publictenders>. In order to locate the correct project please conduct a Keyword Search e.g. Cyber Security Services.

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes an open framework

A series of frameworks with substantially the same terms. Awarded suppliers are carried over and new suppliers can bid.

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £59,000,000 excluding VAT
- £70,800,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 19 December 2025 to 18 December 2028
- Possible extension to 18 December 2033
- 8 years

Description of possible extension:

3+5 Open Framework

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **Not the same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot LOT-0001. Penetration Testing & Vulnerability Management Scanning Services**

### **Description**

Penetration Testing & Vulnerability Management Scanning Services, please see documentation for further information.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £38,000,000 excluding VAT
- £45,600,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **CPV classifications**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 72220000 - Systems and technical consultancy services
- 72222000 - Information systems or technology strategic review and planning services
- 72222300 - Information technology services

- 72223000 - Information technology requirements review services
- 72225000 - System quality assurance assessment and review services
- 72246000 - Systems consultancy services
- 72254000 - Software testing
- 72254100 - Systems testing services
- 72590000 - Computer-related professional services
- 72610000 - Computer support services
- 72611000 - Technical computer support services
- 72800000 - Computer audit and testing services
- 72810000 - Computer audit services
- 72820000 - Computer testing services

### **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot LOT-0002. Incident Planning and Response Services**

### **Description**

Incident Planning and Response Services, please see documentation for further information.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £8,000,000 excluding VAT

- £9,600,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

## **CPV classifications**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 72220000 - Systems and technical consultancy services
- 72222000 - Information systems or technology strategic review and planning services
- 72222100 - Information systems or technology strategic review services
- 72222300 - Information technology services
- 72223000 - Information technology requirements review services
- 72225000 - System quality assurance assessment and review services
- 72224200 - System quality assurance planning services
- 72246000 - Systems consultancy services
- 72590000 - Computer-related professional services
- 72610000 - Computer support services
- 72611000 - Technical computer support services
- 72150000 - Computer audit consultancy and hardware consultancy services
- 72800000 - Computer audit and testing services
- 72820000 - Computer testing services

## **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot LOT-0003. Cyber Resilience Audit Services**

### **Description**

Cyber Resilience Audit Services, please see documentation for further information.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £4,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,800,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **CPV classifications**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 72150000 - Computer audit consultancy and hardware consultancy services
- 72800000 - Computer audit and testing services
- 72810000 - Computer audit services
- 72220000 - Systems and technical consultancy services
- 72222000 - Information systems or technology strategic review and planning services
- 72222100 - Information systems or technology strategic review services
- 72222300 - Information technology services
- 72223000 - Information technology requirements review services
- 72225000 - System quality assurance assessment and review services
- 72246000 - Systems consultancy services
- 72590000 - Computer-related professional services

### **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot LOT-0004. Cyber Security Training Services**

### **Description**

Cyber Security Training Services, please see documentation for further information.

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £8,000,000 excluding VAT
- £9,600,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

### **CPV classifications**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80500000 - Training services

### **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Framework**

### **Open framework scheme end date (estimated)**

18 December 2033

### **Maximum number of suppliers**

36

### **Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers**

1%

### **Further information about fees**

The fees are a percentage of the business transacted via the Framework, per supplier.

### **Framework operation description**

This Framework will be awarded to multiple suppliers by participants listed in the ITT documentation. The procedure for call-off contracts will be further competition or direct award.

### **Award method when using the framework**

Either with or without competition

### **Contracting authorities that may use the framework**



Establishing party only

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## **Participation**

### **Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation**

**Lot LOT-0001. Penetration Testing & Vulnerability Management Scanning Services**

**Lot LOT-0002. Incident Planning and Response Services**

**Lot LOT-0003. Cyber Resilience Audit Services**

**Lot LOT-0004. Cyber Security Training Services**

As per the Procurement Specific Questionnaire (PSQ)

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

**Lot LOT-0001. Penetration Testing & Vulnerability Management Scanning Services**

**Lot LOT-0002. Incident Planning and Response Services**

**Lot LOT-0003. Cyber Resilience Audit Services**

**Lot LOT-0004. Cyber Security Training Services**

As per the Procurement Specific Questionnaire (PSQ)

### **Particular suitability**

**Lot LOT-0001. Penetration Testing & Vulnerability Management Scanning Services**

**Lot LOT-0002. Incident Planning and Response Services**

**Lot LOT-0003. Cyber Resilience Audit Services**

**Lot LOT-0004. Cyber Security Training Services**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

10 October 2025, 12:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

24 October 2025, 12:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

Tenders must be submitted electronically via <https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/home>

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

### **Award decision date (estimated)**

21 November 2025

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## Award criteria

Name	Description	Type
Simple description	Award criteria is stated in the procurement documents	Price

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## Weighting description

Award criteria is stated in the procurement documents

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## Other information

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Documents

## Associated tender documents

<https://sell2.in-tend.co.uk/blpd/home>

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## Contracting authority

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