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Award

Provision of Disclosure & Barring Services

Flintshire County Council

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Scope

Description

This notice is for the award of the contract for the provision of disclosure and barring services for Flintshire County Council (The Authority).

The Authority have concluded the evaluation and this notice is to commence the 8 working day standstill period that is required under the Procurement Act 2023.

Contract 1. Provision of Disclosure & Barring Services for Flintshire County Council

Supplier

- New Directions Holdings Limited t/a Checks Direct

Contract value

- £431,503 excluding VAT
- £517,803 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

25 September 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

25 September 2025

Standstill period

- End: 13 October 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

14 October 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 18 October 2025 to 17 October 2030

- Possible extension to 17 October 2033
- 8 years

Description of possible extension:

The Authority has the option to extend for a further 3 years on a 1year + 1year + 1year basis to a maximum end date of 17th October 2033.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security
- 75000000 - Administration, defence and social security services

Contract locations

- UKL23 - Flintshire and Wrexham

Information about tenders

- 5 tenders received
- 5 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
- 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

New Directions Holdings Limited t/a Checks Direct

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZDL-2396-NRVN

Lambourne House

Cardiff

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Email: matthew.farr@checksdirect-co.uk

Region: UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Provision of Disclosure & Barring Services for Flintshire County Council

Contracting authority

Flintshire County Council

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales