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Award

Vulnerability Scanning Tool (September 2025)

University of Salford

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Scope

Description

The University of Salford Digital IT team is seeking to procure a vulnerability scanning solution to operate over the next three years.

Contract 1

Supplier

- Softcat Limited

Contract value

- £69,600 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

16 September 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

24 October 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 24 October 2025 to 17 September 2028
- 2 years, 10 months, 25 days

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems

Contract locations

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

Information about tenders

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

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Supplier

Softcat Limited

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

