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Award

Fire Alarm System Upgrade

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

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Scope

Reference

CTM-DIR-61131

Description

Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board (CTMUHB) intends to award a contract directly to Morris Churchfield Fire Ltd for the replacement and upgrade of essential fire alarm systems across multiple Health Board facilities.

The works will include the lifecycle replacement of obsolete fire alarm panels, devices, loop cards, and network components, ensuring continued compliance with BS 5839 and EN54 standards.

Morris Churchfield are the incumbent and BAFE-accredited specialist contractor currently responsible for the maintenance of CTMUHB's fire alarm infrastructure, which comprises GENT Vigilon and Advanced MX Pro systems. Due to the proprietary nature of these systems and the requirement to maintain manufacturer certification, warranty, and software access rights, only authorised and approved partners such as Morris Churchfield

are permitted to undertake the necessary works.

The direct award is made under Procurement Act 2023, Schedule 5, Section 7(2), as a change in supplier would result in incompatibility and disproportionate technical difficulties in operation and maintenance.

Contract 1. Fire Alarm System Upgrade

Supplier

- Morris Churchfield Fire

Contract value

- £299,286.01 excluding VAT
- £359,143.21 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

24 November 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 26 November 2025 to 1 March 2027
- 1 year, 3 months, 6 days

Main procurement category

Works

CPV classifications

- 45000000 - Construction work

Contract locations

- UKL - Wales

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

Morris Churchfield Fire

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMVX-2947-DTDP

Morris House, South Road, Bridgend Industrial Estate

Bridgend

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1. Fire Alarm System Upgrade

Contracting authority

NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership-Procurement Services (hosted by Velindre University NHS Trust)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXWV-6492-CGMN

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Region: UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board

Summary of their role in this procurement: NWSSP managing procurement on behalf of Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board

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