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Renewal of Microsoft Enterprise Agreement and Related Services

UNITED UTILITIES WATER LIMITED

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Scope

Description

This transparency notice is issued in accordance with the Procurement Act 2023 to inform the market of the contracting authority's intention to award a contract to Microsoft for the renewal of:

- Enterprise licensing,
- Software Assurance on existing perpetual licences,
- Other Microsoft subscriptions,
- Unified Support services.

For a five year term.

Contract 1

Supplier

• MICROSOFT LIMITED

Contract value

- £27,250,000 excluding VAT
- £32,700,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

15 December 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2030
- 5 years

Main procurement category

Services

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Annual true up of licences for growth, including the purchase of additional Microsoft licences and subscriptions as required.

CPV classifications

- 48000000 Software package and information systems
- 72261000 Software support services

Contract locations

• UKD - North West (England)

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Special regime

Utilities

Direct award justification

Additional or repeat goods, services or works - extension or partial replacement

United Utilities intends to enter into a further contract with Microsoft on the following basis:

The public contract concerns the supply of goods, services or works by the existing supplier, which are intended as an extension to or partial replacement of existing goods, services or works in circumstances where

- a) a change in supplier would result in the contracting authority receiving goods, services or works that are different from or incompatible with the existing goods services or works; and
- b) the difference or incompatibility would result in disproportionate technical difficulties in operation or maintenance.

Supplier

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Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

UNITED UTILITIES WATER LIMITED

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Organisation type: Private utility