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## **Part replacement of timing system at Aurora Aquatic and Leisure Complex**

Ards and North Down Borough Council

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### **Scope**

#### **Description**

Replacement timing equipment and LED video board to include delivery, installation, commissioning and training.

Council intends to award a direct award contract due to both technical and exclusivity rights reasons.

Although this is a below threshold direct award contract, for transparency, Council is incorporating a voluntary standstill period of 8 working days prior to awarding of a contract.

The last day of the voluntary standstill period will be 23 December 2025.

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## **Contract 1**

### **Supplier**

- The Swatch Group UK Ltd (Swiss Timing)

### **Contract value**

- £178,527 excluding VAT
- £214,232.40 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

12 December 2025

### **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

29 December 2025

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 30 December 2025 to 30 April 2026
- 4 months, 2 days

### **Main procurement category**

Goods

## **CPV classifications**

- 37400000 - Sports goods and equipment
- 45212290 - Repair and maintenance work in connection with sports facilities

## **Contract locations**

- UKN09 - Ards and North Down

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Below threshold - without competition

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## **Supplier**

### **The Swatch Group UK Ltd (Swiss Timing)**

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United Kingdom

Email: [sales@swisstiming.co.uk](mailto:sales@swisstiming.co.uk)

Region: UKJ35 - South Hampshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Ards and North Down Borough Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PTTZ-3295-PYCW

City Hall

Bangor

BT20 4BT

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@ardsandnorthdown.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@ardsandnorthdown.gov.uk)

Region: UKN09 - Ards and North Down

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Northern Ireland