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Award

Spectralogic Support and Maintenance 2026 eAuction

British Film Institute

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Scope

Reference

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Description

The BFI National Archive has two SpectraLogic T-950 data tape libraries and two Black Pearl gateway appliances to manage those two data tape libraries. We need to renew the support and maintenance of all four devices, for a 3 year period starting on 19th April 2026.

We require official SpectraGuard Next Business Day On Site Support, not third party support, and require the specific support provision described below, with serial numbers for the devices themselves.

Contract 1. Spectralogic Support and Maintenance 2026 eAuction

Supplier

- [Soluble Ltd](#)

Contract value

- £435,462.10 excluding VAT
- £522,554.53 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

11 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

11 December 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

5 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 19 April 2026 to 18 April 2029

- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 30200000 - Computer equipment and supplies
- 50312000 - Maintenance and repair of computer equipment
- 50312300 - Maintenance and repair of data network equipment
- 50312410 - Maintenance of microcomputers
- 50312600 - Maintenance and repair of information technology equipment
- 50312610 - Maintenance of information technology equipment

Information about tenders

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

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Supplier

Soluble Ltd

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Lamberhurst, Tunbridge Wells

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United Kingdom

Email: sales@soluble.org.uk

Region: UKJ46 - West Kent

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Spectralogic Support and Maintenance 2026 eAuction

Contracting authority

British Film Institute

- Charity Commission (England and Wales): 287780

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government