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Award

DGM/1928 - Provision of Pyrotechnics - 2 Year Contract Extension

Defence Equipment and Support

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Scope

Reference

DGM/1928

Description

This contract covers the supply of Pyrotechnics to UK MOD under contract number DGM/1928 with PW Defence Ltd

Contract 1. DGM/1928 - Provision of Pyrotechnics

Supplier

- PW Defence Ltd

Contract value

- £15,625,000 excluding VAT
- £18,750,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

23 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- 2 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 39225500 - Pyrotechnics

Contract locations

- UKF11 - Derby

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Special regime

Defence and security

Direct award justification

Single supplier - technical reasons

The Defence General Munitions (DGM) Delivery Team, part of the UK Ministry of Defence (MoD), has a requirement for ammunition delivery in April 2027 and intends to award a two-year contract extension to DGM/1928 with PW Defence for the repeat procurement of the MODs portfolio of Pyrotechnics. The estimated total value of the proposed award is £18.75m inclusive of VAT.

Direct award is justified In accordance with the Procurement Act 2023 Paragraph 6 of

Schedule 5 for Technical Reasons.

This is on the basis that PW Defence are the Original Equipment Manufacturers of the in-service natures which makes up the current stockpile and have satisfied MoD Standards for Safety and Suitability for Service. PW Defence, have the technical knowledge and documentary evidence which is necessary for upholding the quality and safety standards required by the MoD to meet and therefore fulfil this requirement. Obtaining goods from another supplier could result in disproportional effort to evidence compatibility with existing weapon systems and create significant interoperability issues for a diverse range of weapon systems which this requirement supports.

Supplier

PW Defence Ltd

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

Defence Equipment and Support

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Region: UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Organisation type: Public authority - central government