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Convenience Retail 2024

Contracting Authority TUCO

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Key Information

Framework Start Date 01/07/2024

Current End Date

30/06/2026

Framework Suppliers

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Adamsons Drinks Ltd

Batleys Food Service Ltd

Bidfood (formerly Bidvest Foodservice

(formerly 3663)

Blakemore Food Service

Chapple & Jenkins

Dunsters Farm Ltd

Evapo

Handmade Speciality Products Ltd

Harlech Foodservice

Premcrest

Sysco GB Limited (Brakes Bros)

WDS Group

Lot Information

1: Confectionery, Snacks & Soft Drinks

Adamsons Drinks Ltd

Batleys Food Service Ltd

Bidfood (formerly Bidvest Foodservice

(formerly 3663)

Blakemore Food Service

Chapple & Jenkins

Dunsters Farm Ltd

Harlech Foodservice

Premcrest

Sysco GB Limited (Brakes Bros)

WDS Group

2: Cakes

Batleys Food Service Ltd

Bidfood (formerly Bidvest Foodservice

(formerly 3663)

Blakemore Food Service

Handmade Speciality Products Ltd

Premcrest

Sysco GB Limited (Brakes Bros)

WDS Group

3: Non-Food (Retail)

Batleys Food Service Ltd Blakemore Food Service

Premcrest

Scope of Requirements

The purpose of this framework agreement is to deliver an efficient and compliant route to market for participating public bodies, by minimising the resource and providing value for

This framework agreement was procured via the open tendering process and advertised on Find a Tender Service (FTS) - reference 2024/S 000-007371

The primary scope of commodities covered within the agreement is:

Lot 1 Confectionery, snacks and soft drinks

Lot 2 Cakes (ambient, chilled, fresh and frozen)

Lot 3 Convenience Retail Non-Food

Lot 4 Cigarettes, Tobacco, E-Cigarettes and associated products

Lot 5 One Stop Shop (incl. all above with the inclusion of grocery items and alcohol)

Accessibility

Members of the following organisations can access this framework agreement:

Advance Procurement for Universities and Colleges (APUC)

Higher Education Purchasing Consortium Wales (HEPCW)

London Universities Purchasing Consortium (LUPC)

North Western Universities Purchasing Consortium (NWUPC)

North Eastern Universities Purchasing Consortium (NEUPC)

Southern Universities Purchasing Consortium (SUPC)

TUCO Ltd (TUCO)

Call Off Method

Call-off from this framework agreement is by means of [direct award / further-competition / combination ranked and further-competition]

Institutions will determine the correct lot to use when placing a call-off contract from the framework agreement by assessing their requirement against the available lots.

- 1. Direct award without re-opening competition.
- 2. Mixture of direct award and mini-competition (New).
- 3. Mini-competitions.

For full details, please see Buver's Guide -

https://www.tuco.ac.uk/procurement/frameworks/convenience-retail-2024

- 4 : Cigarettes & associated products Batleys Food Service Ltd Blakemore Food Service Evapo
- 5 : One Stop Shop Batleys Food Service Ltd Blakemore Food Service

Responsible Procurement

The NETpositive Supplier Engagement Tool will be used as part of contract management.

At Selection Suppliers were assessed for:

- Compliance with the requirements of the Modern Slavery Act 2015
- · Payment of the Real Living Wage

Added Value

There are several benefits to using this framework:

- · It is free to use for customers.
- Eliminates the need for organisations to individually undertake their own full procurement exercise, which saves time and resources.
- Simplifies the process and removes the cost to public sector bodies in procuring the services and providers.
- \bullet Legally compliant framework agreement developed within the UK public procurement regulations.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Consistent terms & conditions of contract.
- Opportunity for further savings through further competition.
- \cdot TUCO regularly audit the nominated suppliers to assist in the management and reduction of food safety risks.

General benefits of TUCO membership:

- Delivering annual savings to members in excess of £15million
- £146million+ annual spend
- Giving members access to almost 300 quality-assured suppliers
- 21 EU-compliant framework agreements
- Full time CIPS qualified team dedicated to cutting costs
- No barriers to entry 80% of TUCO suppliers are SMEs or micro enterprises
- Award-winning training academy
- In-depth, insightful market intelligence through TUCO research
- Sharing best-practice through member case studies
- Access to added-value benefits such as:
- TUCO Online: a revolutionary web-based eProcurement system that provides a dynamic online purchasing portal
- Further Competitions: a personalised procurement service that is FREE to members we work with your staff to offer as much or as little support as they need, freeing them up to focus on other areas.

For further information, please refer to the <u>Buyers Guide</u>
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