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Mobile Phones - Ethically Sourced

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Key Information

Framework Start Date	17/02/2024
Current End Date	16/02/2027
Procurement Regulation	PCR2015

Framework Suppliers 1

Your Coop Business Solutions, part of OurCoop

Scope of Requirements

The scope covers the procurement of mobile phones that have been produced with the aim of minimising their social and environmental impact in conditions that protect the employment rights of workers throughout the supply chain including wages above the in-country minimum wage line and a device design that is both end-user repairable and with extended software support to maximize the phone's useful life. This includes the use of conflict free minerals including Fairtrade certified gold or equivalent and partners to the Responsible Lithium Initiative, five-year manufacturer warranty, affordable spare parts, free and public repair information, being electronic waste neutral, device take-back schemes, commitment to supply chain mapping and sourcing from fair mining initiatives wherever possible, or from recycled sources, high percentage of post-consumer recycled plastic within device content, minimum 10% recycled content, minimum 30% fair material content, working conditions assessed including worker surveys and worker-driven action plans, restricted substances removed from manufacturing process, including auditing, Scope 1, 2, 3 active measurement and reduction programmes in place and publicly available supply chain mapping including engagement report.

Accessibility

LUPC and all its members. Plus: APUC, NWUPC, NEUPC, HEPCW and SUPC.

Call Off Method

Direct Award only (single source)

Responsible Procurement

See Your Coop page at https://broadband.yourcoop.coop/fairphone-UK/ and Scope of Requirements

Added Value

- Direct access to discounted prices for the purchase of the only smartphone that has been produced using conflict free materials, Fairtrade gold and has a transparent supply chain
- Exclusive SIM-only and bundled handset deals
- An 8% saving compared to the best online prices for Fairphone devices
- Free delivery (normally payable under similar agreements)
- Loan agreement arrangements available to conduct end-user testing (see pricing*)
- Pricing equally applicable to personal purchases by staff and students

For further information, please refer to the Buyers Guide

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