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To: Subject: FOI Response Importance: Normal Sensitivity: None

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 17 April 2025 for information about call-off contracts in the public sector. Please find below and attached City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

## **Request:**

I am doing a research project investigating call-off contracts in the public sector. I have identified ten potential call-off contracts awarded by Doncaster Metropolitan Borough Council, but I can't find details of the framework agreements they were awarded from.

I have attached an Excel file that contains the information I am looking at. The last two columns ("Title of framework used" and "Further framework info") is where I am missing information. Please could you provide the name of the specific framework agreements or DPS agreements used here. If there is any further info which you think would help me locate the framework agreements (e.g., a link to the framework's Contract Finder or FTS listing, the framework provider, or a widely-used reference number such as CCS's RM codes), please use the final column for this.

Please note that I have identified these contracts as possible call-off contracts, so some of them might not be. Some could be, for instance, procured directly (without being called off from a framework agreement), or could be themselves notices of the establishment of a framework agreement. Therefore I would kindly ask you to specify in these incidences what kind of procurement was used in the "Title of framework used" column.

I have provided the title, description, the publication date, and procedure type used to award each potential call-off, as well as a URL link to the call-off in question and a unique reference ID for each potential call-off. Please let me know if there is anything else you need to complete the request.

## **Response:**

Please find attached excel spreadsheet. Please note that for the column within your spreadsheet 'further framework info (e.g., link to framework Contract Finder award or CCS RM code)' This information is not held by the City of Doncaster Council. The information for each framework will be publicly available by searching the relevant databases or by contacting the framework provider.

I hope that this information is useful to you.

City of Doncaster Council estimates that it has cost £49.00 to respond to this request for information.

## Reviewing any decisions made:

If you are not happy with this reply you can ask us to review our response. To do this write to us within 40 working days of receiving your response at the address below or email <u>FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk</u>

If you do not agree with the review decision you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision about our compliance or otherwise with the Freedom of Information legislation. Contact details for the ICO are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. <u>www.ico.org.uk</u> Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Yours sincerely,

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