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Background

This framework has been formed to meet the demands of latest developments in the NHS IT Infrastructure market. The framework offers a compliant route to market for Authorities to purchase IT Enterprise solutions from a range of market providers to include enterprise hardware, software, services including hosting.

The framework is split across five Lots. The Lots within this framework enable the purchase of a wide range of IT Enterprise products and service as follows;

- Lot 1 - Enterprise Hardware
- Lot 2 - Enterprise Software
- Lot 3 - Enterprise Services
- Lot 4 - Hosting Services
- Lot 5 - Enterprise Solutions

Benefits

The benefits from the delivery of a framework agreement for use by NOE CPC members and the wider NHS will be:

- Single framework covering a wide portfolio of IT infrastructure hardware, software and services available;
- Flexible framework for use by NHS and other public sector organisations - "spot-buying" as well as longer term strategic purchases;
- Provides a compliant route to market to access capable suppliers in the market;
- Shorten the procurement timescales for the purchasing of products and services;
- Reduce the procurement costs incurred across the NHS;
- Establish framework baseline costs and % discounts, therefore facilitating commercial value;
- Saving opportunities - depending on product specification and supplier choice;
- Robust contractual protection;
- Flexibility to direct purchase with no minimum volume or commitment period;

What is included?

LOT 1 – Enterprise Hardware
A range of infrastructure hardware including; Servers, Storage, Network Infrastructure Hardware and Peripherals, Data Centre Infrastructure Hardware including upgrades, maintenance and installation requirements.

LOT 2 – Enterprise Software
Enterprise Software including; Commoditised Software, Virtualisation Software, Optimisation Software, Networking Software, Interfacing Software, Communication Software, Enterprise Security Software, Backup Software, Bespoke enterprise-related software including software renewals.

LOT 3 – Enterprise Services
Infrastructure Services include; WAN/LAN Network Services, Disaster Recovery Services, Mobile Connectivity, Mobile Application Services, Telecoms network connectivity including IP, Intelligent Network Services

Further information and access

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(Unified Communication Services), Interoperability and Interfacing Services, Managed Firewall Services, Data Management Services, Backup Services, Professional Consultancy and Support Services, Consultancy, Auditing and Testing, Software Development, Enterprise Hardware Support and Maintenance, Enterprise Hardware Managed Services.

LOT 4 – Hosting Services Private and Secure Cloud Hosting, Public Cloud Hosting and Co-location Hosting.

LOT 5 – Enterprise Solutions Combined products and services including Open Networking, Hyper Converged Infrastructure, Public Cloud Transformation.

Trusts will have the ability to direct award or undertake further competitions for a combination or all of the above depending on their requirement.

Pricing Structure

Fixed pricing across commonly purchased core devices and services alongside % discounts available across the framework.

Suppliers by Lot

Framework Supplier	Lot 1	Lot 2	Lot 3	Lot 4	Lot 5
CAE Technology Services Limited	■	■	■	■	■
CDW Limited				■	
Comparex UK Ltd		■			
Daisy IT Managed Services Ltd		■	■		
Esteem Systems Ltd	■	■	■		■
European Electronique				■	
Insight Direct (UK) Ltd	■	■	■	■	■
MCSA Group Ltd	■				
MTI Technology Limited	■	■	■	■	■
Redcentric Solutions Ltd			■	■	
Softcat	■	■	■	■	■
Software Box Limited	■	■			

■ Supplier offers products and/ or services within this lot

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