

# LI2507F - Multi Supplier Framework Agreement for the Supply of Recurring Resources to Include Serials, Journals and Associated Services

# **SUMMARY**

Framework Title:	Multi Supplier Framework Agreement for the Supply of Reoccurring Resources to include Serials, Journals and Associated Services	
EPS Reference Number:	LI2507F	
OJEU Reference Number:	2023/S 132-420569	
Category	Library	
Start date:	October 2023	
End date:	October 2025	
Term & Renewal Options:	The Contract is for an initial two-year term. The Contracting Authority reserves the right, at its discretion, to extend the Term for a period or periods of up to Twelve (12) months with a maximum of Two (2) such extension or extensions on the same terms and conditions, subject to the Contracting Authority's obligations at law. The Term will not exceed four (4) years in aggregate.	
Contracting Authorities who can avail of Framework:	Atlantic Technological University Dublin City University Dublin Dental University Hospital Dublin Institute of Advanced Studies Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design & Technology Dundalk Institute of Technology Mary Immaculate College Munster Technological University National College of Art and Design National University of Ireland Galway National University of Ireland Maynooth School of Tourism (LYIT) St. Angela's College, Sligo South East Technological University Trinity College Dublin Technological University Dublin Technological University Shannon University College Cork University College Dublin University of Limerick  In addition, the following entities (each a "Framework Client") may	
	award (or "call off") contracts (each a "Goods Contract") under the	



## Framework Agreement

Framework Agreement in accordance with the rules set out in the form of Framework Agreement set out at Appendix 5. The Contracting Authority is also a Framework Client.

- Ministers of the Government of Ireland, Central Government Departments, Offices and non-commercial Agencies and Organisations which have a formal reporting and legal relationship to Central Government Departments, including all local authorities in Ireland (themselves including regional assemblies, local enterprise boards and library bodies);
- 2. Entities in the Irish health sector including but not limited to the Health Service Executive (HSE) and the Health Information and Quality Authority (HIQA), provided that such entities are contracting authorities within the meaning of Regulation 2 of the European Union (Award of Public Authority Contracts) Regulations 2016 (Statutory Instrument 284 of 2016);
- Contracting authorities which are Education and Training Boards (ETBs) and ETB schools, primary, post-primary, special and secondary schools as well as ETBs acting on behalf of schools;
  - 4. An Garda Síochána (Police);
  - 5. The Irish Prison Service;
  - 6. The Defence Forces;
  - 7. Other State Agencies, such as the National Laboratories

# Method(s) of Drawdown

There are three methods of drawdown from this Framework – Cascade Method, Request for Quotation (RFQs) and Supplementary Request for Tender (SRFT)(Mini-Competition).

Each Contracting Authority must complete the Appendix 5 Goods Framework Contract & Appendix 6 Confidentiality Agreement with the relevant tenderer(s). Contact Details of contractor(s) are outlined below.

#### **SCOPE & SUPPLIERS**

There are 2 (two) suppliers appointed to this multi-supplier framework. The suppliers are ranked as follows:

- 1. EBSCO International Inc
- 2. Prenax Limited

Supplier contact details are as follows:

Scope	Supplier
Supply of Library Journal & Periodicals	EBSCO International Inc
Name of Contractor:	EBSCO International Inc
Address:	6th Floor Civic Centre. Silver Street, Enfield.
	Middlesex. ENI 3XA, UK
Contact person:	Carola Nilsson
Email:	cnilsson@ebsco.com
Telephone:	+44 02084474188

Scope	Supplier
Supply of Library Journal & Periodicals	Prenax Limited
Name of Contractor:	Prenax Limited
Address:	Barrington House, Lynx trading estate, Yeovil, BA20 2HL, UK
Contact person:	Simon Jackson
Email:	Simon.Jackson@prenax.co.uk
Telephone:	+44 7803002507

### **EPS CONTACT DETAILS**



For guidance and support on using this framework, please contact EPS on:

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