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Dear [Redacted],

Thank you for your enquiry of 29 August 2015 relating to information about unsuccessful bidders for various Ministry of Defence (MOD) contracts. Specifically you requested:

According to a search of Tenders Electronic Daily (TED), between 1/4/15 and 31/7/15, the MoD published 65 contract award notices. The majority were using either the negotiated procedure without a call for competition, the award of a contract without prior publication of a contract notice in the Official Journal of the European Union or only one offer received. Of the remainder, a dozen followed the restricted procedure. For those dozen procurements to which the award notices relate I ask please for the names only of the companies which were unsuccessful at the pre-qualification questionnaire stage and the names of those companies which were unsuccessful at the tender stage.

You then listed a number of contract award notices which, for ease of reference, are included in the below table.

I am treating your enquiry as a request for information under the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000. A search for the information has now been completed within the MOD, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held. The names of unsuccessful bidders for the contract award notices you listed at the pre-qualification questionnaire (PQQ) and tender stages are in the table below:

Contract award notice	Unsuccessful at pre-qualification questionnaire stage	Unsuccessful at tender stage
Sports-event organisation services 2015/S 146-269336	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Powderworks Wintersport • Vision Nine HQ Limited
Parts of military vehicles 2015/S 137-252512	None	None. This requirement resulted in multi contracts being awarded
Radar 2015/S 133-245464	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lockheed Martin • Raytheon Anschutz

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Repair, maintenance and associated services of vehicles and related equipment 2015/S 117-212103	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALC • Finning UK
Small craft 2015/S 103-187190	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Berthon Boat Company Limited • Supacat Ltd • Water Craft World Limited • Yamaha Motor Europe NV Branch UK
Lighting systems 2015/S 099-180567	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASD Engineering Services Limited • Environment 2000 Ltd trading as Elite Energy • Kellogg Brown & Root Limited • McGeoch Technology Limited • SEE Plc 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G3 Systems Limited • Powerfield Limited trading as Rolls-Royce Distributed Generation Systems (RRDGS) • Thyson Technology Limited
Generators 2015/S 099-180566	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burtonwood Generator & Switchgear Services Limited • Carwood Motor Units Limited • James Troop & Company Limited • Kellogg Brown & Root Limited • Pharos Generator Services Limited • Power Electrics Generators Limited • Speedy Asset Services Limited • Turner Engine Powered Services Limited • Van Kappel Limited • Workspace Technology Limited 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acclimatise Limited • LH Group Services Limited • Powerfield Limited trading as Rolls-Royce Distributed Generation Systems (RRDGS) • Harrington Generators International Limited
Echo sounders 2015/S 096-173875	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shark Marine Technologies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kongsberg Geoacoustics Ltd • Kongsberg Maritime Ltd • Saderet Ltd • Seabed BV • Swathe Services
Protective and safety clothing 2015/S 087-157288	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultimate Ear Protection Limited • Level Peaks Associates Limited 	None. All three remaining companies were awarded contracts.
Facilities management services 2015/S 086-156342	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tascor Services Ltd • G4S Facilities Management (UK) Limited 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aramark Ltd • Elixor UK plc • Sodexo Limited • ISS Facility Services Defence

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Building construction work 2015/S 094-168338	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morgan Sindall plc • Wernick Buildings Ltd • Mansell Balfour Beatty • Zikurat Ltd • Walker Construction • Brymor • Lakehouse Contracts Ltd • Thurston Building Systems • Caledonian Modular 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kier Construction • Henry Brothers
Technical services 2015/S 089-160686	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Event Horizon Pyrotechnics Ltd • Green's Global Trading Ltd <i>trading as Future Clean</i> • Hesse Dock Company • Q3 Analytical Ltd 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ascentor • Atos • BAe Deployed Systems • Bearing Point • Cambridge Consultants • Cobham CTS • Cuerden Consulting • DRS Technology • Envita • ESL Defence • EW Solutions • IBM UK Ltd • Integrate Systems • L3 TRL • LEO Learning • MSI Defence • One Two Four Media • PA Consulting • Rhead Group • SAAB • Supacat • Systematic Software • Thales UK • T-Kartor • TRaC Global

If you are not satisfied with this response or you wish to complain about any aspect of the handling of your request, then you should contact me in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an independent internal review by contacting the Information Rights Compliance team, 1st Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review must be made within 40 working days of the date on which the attempt to reach informal resolution has come to an end.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may take your complaint to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has been completed. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website, <http://www.ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely,

