

Date: 23/09/2019
Our Ref: RFI2777
Your Ref: FOI Request – Minor Works Framework
Tel: 0300 1234 500
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Homes
England

[REDACTED]
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By Email Only

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Homes England – 6th Floor
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Dear [REDACTED],

RE: Request for Information – RFI2777

Thank you for your recent email, which was processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). For clarification, you requested the following information:

We are writing to make a Freedom of Information request (“FOI request”) under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (“FOIA”).

This FOI request relates to the Framework Agreement for the following to be provided to us:

- 1. UK Minor Works Framework to Homes England (The name adopted by the Homes and Communities Agency)(“Homes England”) (Ref 18015), which was awarded on 23 May 2019. (hereinafter, altogether referred to as “Framework”).*

We hereby request that you provide the following information, from the award date of the Framework up to the date of this letter:

- The number of the contracts awarded under this Framework; and*
- The value of each call-off contract awarded through the Framework.*

We would like the above information to be provided to us as electronic copies.

The information received from you will be used to generate data for our analysis and research in relation to the application of current public procurement rules by public bodies in the United Kingdom. We believe that the information requested hereunder does not fall under any categories of exempt information as outlined by Part II of the FOIA.

Should you consider that a fee is chargeable for disclosing the requested information, please send a fee notice pursuant to Section 9(1) to the undersigned and state the fees in the notice.

According to section 10 of FOIA, please comply with the FOIA request within the 20 working days of receiving this letter or following the day you receive the required fee (as the case may be). If you refuse the FOIA request, please give us a notice in accordance with section 17 of FOIA.

Should you have any queries on this FOIA request, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned. We would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request.

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Response

We can confirm that we do hold information relating to your request.

No contracts have been awarded under the framework specified in the request.

The procurement of this framework was cancelled on 27 May 2019 and a contract award notice published that day confirmed that no award had been made.

Right to Appeal

If you are not happy with the information that has been provided or the way in which your request has been handled you may request an internal review by writing to;

The Information Access Team
Homes England – 6th Floor
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Or by email to foi@homesengland.gov.uk

You may also complain to the Information Commissioner however, the Information Commissioner does usually expect the internal review procedure to be exhausted in the first instance.

The Information Commissioner's details can be found via the following link

<https://ico.org.uk/>

Please note that the contents of your request and this response are also subject to the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Homes England may be required to disclose your request and our response accordingly.

Yours sincerely,

Information Access Team
For Homes England