



Legal Aid  
Agency

**Procurement of Criminal Defence Direct Services from 4 May 2026  
Amendment Notice with effect from 26 August 2025**

On 6 August 2025 the LAA launched the procurement of Criminal Defence Direct Services from 4 May 2026 on its e-Tendering system.

In accordance with paragraph 5.20 of the CDD Application Guide, Applicants are notified that the LAA has amended the CDD Costs Breakdown Pro Forma in the e-Tendering System to ensure that the cells to be completed are editable.

The latest version can be found in the supplier documents section of the e-Tendering System.

**Requirements upon Applicants**

Applicants should download the latest version of the CDD Costs Assessment Proforma