



Emergency Response, Rescue Equipment and Associated Services

Procurement Services, established in 2015, is part of the Commercial Services Group. (CSG) one of the largest, local authority-owned, trading organisations of its kind in the UK mission is to deliver compliant routes to procurement for all public sector organisations..

Procurement Services offer:

- Access to market-leading global, national and local suppliers.
- Frameworks which are easy to use and free to access.
- Terms and conditions which are designed to protect you.
- Full support on your procurement journey.
- Both direct award or further competition to suit your procurement needs.
- Frameworks which are fully compliant with the Public Contract Regulations 2015.



HOW TO USE THE FRAMEWORK

Customers have two compliant routes of procurement to choose from; direct award or further competition, depending on their requirements. To understand more, take a look at the framework [user guide](#).

DIRECT AWARD	FURTHER COMPETITION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compliant route to market • Effective and simple procurement • Reduce timely processes, allowing projects to commence on time • Straight forward procurement method without the need for a competitive process • Easy appointment of suppliers • Total transparency • Puts the customer in complete control 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compliant route to market • Drives competition and value, particularly for high-value or complex goods and services • Tests the market to find the right solution at the best value for money • Help the customer understand the alternatives available • Gives a thorough, fair and open route • Total transparency • Puts the customer in complete control

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