



UNIVERSITY
of HULL

Request Ref: 2973

FOI Request dated **06/09/2023** as follows –

I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect to the contract below.

Marketing Services:

<https://eur02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk%2FNotice%2Ff29bd08b-160b-4715-8f3a-465bdd6dcfb1&data=05%7C01%7Cfoi%40hull.ac.uk%7C992be26dd8754d90d19b08dbaebf3f62%7C490a81977b834f1089b983189be3835e%7C0%7C0%7C638295908922354838%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6IjEhaWwiLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C2000%7C%7C%7C&sdta=Sxdeq241ApZltEhKoGNkAtbRbW5oyVDkq18oOaBijtE%3D&reserved=0>

The details we require are:

- What are the contractual performance KPI's for this contract?
- Suppliers who applied for inclusion on each framework/contract and were successful & not successful at the PQQ & ITT stages
- Actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub lots), from the start of the contract to the current date
- Start date & duration of framework/contract?
- Could you please provide a copy of the service/product specification given to all bidders for when this contract was last advertised?
- Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension?
- Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed?
- When are you likely to be publishing tender documents for the next contact period?
- Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?

Response

- Please see attached
- Successful: AIP and McCann
- The digital budget is £800,000 - £1m, The OOH budget is £800,000 - £1m and The Creative Services budget is £120,000 to £130,000
- This can be found on the contract finder link you have provided as part of this request
- Please see attached
- Yes – with an option to extend for a further 2 periods of 12 months
- N/A
- N/A
- The Director of Marketing

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To assist you on this occasion and for future reference, you may find the following information helpful:

- If you are interested in becoming a supplier, please see our webpage: Buyer Profile (<https://www.hull.ac.uk/work-with-us/more/supplying-our-university/buyer-profile#:~:text=Applying%20to%20be%20a%20Supplier%2FContractor%20to%20the%20University&text=To%20let%20us%20know%20about,not%20telephone%20the%20Procurement%20Office.>)
- We suggest you view the University’s E-Tendering Website (<https://www.hull.ac.uk/work-with-us/more/supplying-our-university/procurement>) and the Contracts Finder (government website): <https://www.gov.uk/contracts-finder> for information about contracts awarded/due for tender.
- For all procurement enquiries, see <https://www.hull.ac.uk/work-with-us/more/supplying-our-university/procurement>