FRAMEWORK SCHEDULE 6: AWARD CRITERIA

General

This Framework Schedule 6 is designed to assist Contracting Bodies when drafting an invitation to tender for a Further Competition Procedure.

A contract may be awarded on the basis of most economically advantageous tender ("MEAT").

This Framework Schedule 6 will include details of the evaluation criteria and any weightings that will be applied to that criteria.

Part A: Direct Award

1. The following criteria and weightings shall be applied to the Framework Suppliers' compliant tenders submitted through direct award.

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| **Criteria Number** | **Criteria - ranked in order of importance** | **Percentage Weightings (or rank order of importance where applicable) - to be set by the Contracting Body conducting the direct award** |
| 1 | Price (life cycle costs, cost effectiveness & price; price and running costs) | 0 – 100% |
| 2 | Quality (including delivery time, sales service, good value, accessories, service fitness for purpose)  Technical merit; coverage, network capacity and performance as specified in relevant service levels | 0 – 100% |
| 3 | Environmental characteristics | 0 – 100% |
|  | **Total Weighting** | **100%** |

Part B: Further Competition Award Criteria

1. The following criteria shall be applied to the Goods and/or Services set out in the Suppliers' compliant tenders submitted through the Further Competition Procedure:

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| **Criteria Number** | **Criteria - ranked in order of importance** | **Percentage Weightings (or rank order of importance where applicable) - to be set by the Contracting Body conducting the direct award** |
| 1 | Price (life cycle costs, cost effectiveness & price; price and running costs) | 0 – 100% |
| 2 | Quality (including delivery time, sales service, good value, accessories, service fitness for purpose)  Technical merit; coverage, network capacity and performance as specified in relevant service levels | 0 – 100% |
| 3 | Environmental characteristics | 0 – 100% |
|  | **Total Weighting** | **100%** |