

## eMarketplace to Facilitate Tailend Spend (ITS2007 NE)

### SUMMARY

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Up to 50% saving on Business Prime costs

### SCOPE

The agreement allows access to the Amazon for Business eMarketplace incorporating access to a wide range of products usually required under the 'Tailend Spend' at institutions. These are low value non-strategic products where Framework Agreements are not already in place via consortia.

### AGREEMENT BENEFITS

Amazon Business have been awarded the sole supply of this framework following a detailed compliant process under the Public Contract Regulations. The process followed was a Competitive Dialogue with evaluation taking place on all mandatory and discretionary exclusion areas prior to the resulting stages developing the requirement to the best fit for the sector.

System capabilities include:

- Customised reports and Analytics
- Customisation of supplier and product restrictions
- Workflow management

Centralised framework management through the NEUPC

### USING THE FRAMEWORK

It is recommended that members consider the use of 'Business Prime' to enable the restriction of categories when implementing the system.

### SUPPLIERS

Amazon Business EU SARL,

### SUSTAINABILITY

Specifically evaluated were a number of policies and procedures in place which can be accessed using the following links.

- Code of Business Conduct and Ethics (<https://ir.aboutamazon.com/corporategovernance/documents-and-charters/code-of-business-conduct-and-ethics/default.aspx>)
- Modern Slavery Statement (<https://sustainability.aboutamazon.com/modern-slaverystatement-2020.pdf>)
- Diversity and Inclusion Goals (<https://www.aboutamazon.com/news/workplace/diversityequity-and-inclusion>)
- Amazon's Human Rights Principles (<https://sustainability.aboutamazon.com/people/human-rights/principles>)

### NEXT STEPS

Please refer to the buyers guide and call off procedures