SUMMARY

Start date: 1st March, 2018
End date: 28th February, 2021
OJEU Number: 2017/S 154-319070
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SCOPE

Soft Furnishings tender:
Lot 1 – Bedding and Bathroom Textiles and Associated Student Accommodation Products
Lot 2 – Student Kitchen Starter Packs
Lot 3 – Window Coverings (Supply and Installation)

AGREEMENT BENEFITS

· Process savings for Universities using the agreement where the Institution would need to go out to Tender
· Cost Savings – Lot 1: 16.42%, Lot 2: 11.77% and Lot 3: 1.76%

USING THE FRAMEWORK

Ena Shaw is no longer on the agreement, having entered administration.
Call Off Options Available:

- Direct Award
- Desktop Exercise
- Mini Competition

Please see the buyer’s guide for further information on each of these call off mechanisms. There is a Desktop calculator available on HEContracts.

### SUPPLIERS

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<td>Lot 1 – Bedding and Bathroom Textiles and Associated Student Accommodation Products</td>
<td>Dark Blue International Ltd., E. Sunter Ltd t/a Musbury Fabrics, Gailarde Ltd, Thomas Kneale &amp; Co Ltd.,</td>
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<td>Lot 2 – Student Kitchen Starter Packs</td>
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<td>Bridge Contract Solutions, Custom Group, Thomas Kneale &amp; Co Ltd.,</td>
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### SUSTAINABILITY

The tender process considered:

- Product packaging volume and, in the case of installation, removal and recycling
- The recycling and disposal of redundant window coverings
- The sourcing process for raw materials and finished products in the delivery of the framework agreement

### NEXT STEPS

Please see the buyer’s guide and supporting documentation available on HEContracts for more comprehensive information relating to this framework agreement.