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To:
Subject: RE: FOI Request - Data Centre
Date: 14 November 2024 12:22:38
Attachments: [FOI.pdf](#)

Dear

As requested, please find attached the updated information regarding the BZB and Cognisys contracts. The Cognisys contract has been extended by one year, and BZB's has been extended further until the tender process is complete.

There are no other changes to information already supplied.

Yours sincerely

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Sent: 13 November 2024 07:20
To: Enquiries <Enquiries@estyn.gov.uk>
Subject: 17 24 01 FOI Request - Data Centre

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Hi,

Hope you are well.

Further to below response, BZB IT and Cognisys Ltd contracts expired. I would like to know whether these contracts are still valid or replaced by another supplier. If the contract extended further, please share the latest contract end dates and also confirm other contract information remains the same.

Thanks,

On Mon, Jun 17, 2024 at 8:03 PM Enquiries <Enquiries@estyn.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear

Thank you for your further query. I have clarified that the IT service contract is up for renewal and we will be issuing the invitation to tender during the next few weeks.

Yours sincerely

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From:

Sent: Friday, June 7, 2024 6:56 AM

To: Enquiries <Enquiries@estyn.gov.uk>

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Hi,

Thanks for the response.

Can you please confirm when the new contract information will be ready for BZB IT.

Thanks,

On Wed, May 22, 2024 at 7:23 PM Enquiries <Enquiries@estyn.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear

Thank you again for your further query. I have now been able to confirm the following:

The BT contract has not expired, as it is a rolling contract on an annual basis. The new end date will be the anniversary of the last date provided.

The BZB contract is on a three month extension, whilst tenders are prepared.

Yours sincerely

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From: I

< **Sent:** Wednesday, May 15, 2024 11:25 AM

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Hi,

Further to my records, BT and BZB IT contracts have expired. Please provide the

latest contract updates.

Thanks,

Title	Supplier	Contract/Framework rk/PO Ref	Procurement Route	Contract Start Date	Contract Term	Contract End Date	Financial Year Awarded	Spend (Annual)
CON06 21-22 - OUTSOURCED IT	BZB IT	ITT	ITT	07/02/2022	Rolling until new tender award	31/03/2025	21-22	£60,000
Penetration Testing	Cognisys Ltd	CON04 22-23	ITT	04/10/2022	1 year +2 years on extension	03/10/2025	22-23	<£10,000