

Our ref: 802133 5 February 2018

Mr Richard Davis

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## Freedom of Information Act 2000

Dear Mr Davis

I can confirm that the information requested is held by Birmingham City Council. I have detailed below the information that is being released to you.

### Request

Following submission of the PQQ (Pre-Qualification Questionnaire) when bidding for the PFI highways contract, was it a requirement of the bid process for Amey to inform BCC of any changes to the information previously submitted in their PQQ?

If there is a document that stipulates this, could a copy please be provided.

Can you also confirm what legal framework the contracting process took place under? (for example, the Public Contracts Regulations)

## Response

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At each successive stage of the procurement bidders were required to answer specific requirements. At those stages the bid was confirmed on the basis of the information at the time of submission. There was no specific requirement to confirm previous submissions. Relevant information for the assessment of the bid was requested at each stage.

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# Can you also confirm what legal framework the contracting process took place under? (for example, the Public Contracts Regulations)

The Contract was procured in accordance with the Public Services Contracts Regulations 1993 (as amended by the Public Contracts (Works, Services and Supply) (Amendment) Regulations 2000) using the competitive negotiated procedure.

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Website: www.ico.gov.uk

I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

Jenny Bent Senior Service Improvement Officer

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