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Further to your information request FOI/EIR 20/21-205 please find your question and our response below.

Request:

1. If your organisation uses contingent workers (contractors, temps, freelancers), how many working currently across the organisation?
2. What is the annual spend on contingent workers?
3. If you have any framework and technology platform (Managed Service Programme or Provider /Vendor Management System) to manage the contingent workers?
4. Through what government framework has the service been procured and when is it being retendered or up for renewal?
5. Who is the incumbent Managed Service Provider and what Vendor Management System is being used?
6. Who is the relevant point of contact in the organisation responsible for this process for any retender or renewal?

Response:

In accordance with Section 16(1) of the FOI Act, the Council has a duty to provide advice and assistance to you, as far as it is reasonable to do so. We can advise that the Council does not respond to unsolicited requests regarding sales, procurement and commissioning. Departments must follow a strict procedure as the council has a responsibility to spend public money to achieve the best possible value and outcomes for its citizens whilst maximising the wider social, economic and environmental benefits. We can direct you to the Council's website pages for procurement opportunities, events and how to sell to the Council: <https://www.eastcambs.gov.uk/east-cambs-district-council/doing-business-council>

This concludes your request FOI/EIR 20/21-205

If information has been refused please treat this as a Refusal Notice for the purposes of the Act.

If you disagree with our decision or are otherwise unhappy with how we have dealt with your request in the first instance you may approach foi@eastcambs.gov.uk and request a review. A request for review must be made in no more than 40 working days from the date of your this email.

Should you remain dissatisfied with the outcome you have a right under s50 of the Freedom of Information Act to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow SK9 5AF.