

Date issued: 16 August 2021

Freedom of Information Request

We are writing in response to your Freedom of Information request. Your request has been considered in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act and our information access policy.

You asked for the following information:

"In line with the UK government's guidelines to publish the value of any public contract award over £5,000.

Would you be able to confirm the value of the contract awarded to H3 group in April 2020. Would you also be able to confirm the contract length. Reference APR331541.

Would you also be able to confirm the value of any contracts awarded for the provision of fire safety equipment for both stations and rolling stock depots?"

Having reviewed your questions, we are able to provide the following information:

Question 1: H3 Group contract length and value

Annual contract value of £27,025 over a two-year duration. Total: £54,050.

Question 2: Value of any contracts awarded for the provision of fire safety equipment at both stations and rolling stock depots

The scope of the H3 Group contract covers select stations and depots as follows:

1. Fire Risk Assessments for all staffed transport premises and facilities across the network carried out annually.
2. Annual inspections, maintenance and where necessary replacement of fire equipment such as fire extinguishers, fire blankets etc are required at each of the assessed premises

The value of our contract with the H3 Group is stated above. There are no other contracts in place for the provision of fire safety equipment at stations and rolling stock depots.

On-train fire extinguisher maintenance services are currently carried out at Canton by Chubb, this service is not on contract.

We hope this information is of use to you.

Yours sincerely,

Transport for Wales

Appeal Rights

If you are unhappy with the way your request has been handled and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, please write to the Head of Freedom of Information at either Transport for Wales, 3 Llys Cdwyn, Pontypridd, CF37 4TH or freedomofinformation@tfw.wales. Your request must be submitted within 40 working days of receipt of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

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