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Dear Applicant

Our Ref: FOI 851

Your request for information received on 08 July 2025 has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

Request

What is the rationale for removing the requirement for UKAS 17020 accreditation under a new procurement exercise for Asbestos Consultancy Asbestos Surveying Services P-0408, without any amendments to the quality section of the tender package to demonstrate due diligence?

Our response

The documentation issued with the UKAS 17020 accreditation excluded was issued in error. This has been corrected, and the tender now has this requirement included. All bidders have been informed.

This concludes our response.