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The Public Contracts Regulations 2006

PART 3

PROCEDURES LEADING TO THE AWARD OF A PUBLIC CONTRACT

Selection of contract award procedures

12.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), for the purpose of seeking offers in relation to a proposed public contract, a contracting authority shall use—

- (a) the open procedure in accordance with regulation 15; or
- (b) the restricted procedure in accordance with regulation 16;

in all circumstances, except where it may use-

- (i) the negotiated procedure in accordance with regulation 17 in the circumstances referred to in regulations 13 and 14; or
- (ii) the competitive dialogue procedure in accordance with regulation 18.

(2) Paragraph (1) does not apply in the case of a subsidised housing scheme works contract which is subject to regulation 35.