

INOVEM SELECTED BY THE COI AS PART OF A 4 YEAR, £20 MILLION, FRAMEWORK CONTRACT

INOVEM have signed a 4 year agreement with the Central Office of Information (COI) as part of their new External Engagement and Facilitation Framework.

This new framework, worth approximately £5million per year, will allow INOVEM to compete for work in the public sector without having to go through protracted procurement processes for each and every contract.

INOVEM's selection follows a lengthy and thorough appraisal that involved the evaluation of 130 companies by the COI. INOVEM will be one of four selected to supply Digital Infrastructure under the new framework.

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT PROJECTS ON THE INCREASE

Commenting on the award, Sean Larkins, COI Deputy Director of Strategic Consultancy said: "We felt that INOVEM's submission and track record was of the highest quality."

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On hearing of their successful selection, John Glover, INOVEM Sales & Marketing Director said: "We are delighted to be involved in this exciting new COI framework and we would like to congratulate Sean and his team for the quality of the in-depth questions posed throughout the evaluation process. COI's timing could not be better, as we are also seeing a growth in demand for technology in support of stakeholder consultation and partnership collaboration throughout the public sector. This framework should make it easier and quicker for COI, on behalf of their clients, to procure INOVEM services in support of such projects."



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ABOUT INOVEM

INOVEM is the pioneer of Inclusionware™ – democratic web-native systems for collaboration, consultation and inclusion.

Our solutions are used by central and local government, planning authorities, consulting firms, corporates and representative organisations around the UK and US, to empower people to work together better.

Our innovative Web 2.0 technology enables people who want to involve, consult or collaborate with others to do so quickly, economically and without unnecessary barriers.

For those who want to consult the public, involve a community, manage a partnership or just work closely with colleagues, INOVEM gives you the place to do it – fast.

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