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**NORTHUMBRIA POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONER****Key Decision****Title and Reference: Intranet Renewal****(PCC/683/2025)****Summary**

To direct award a 2-year contract with an optional 12-month extension period to the incumbent supplier, Unily, for the provision of the Intranet. This will be compliantly contracted through the G-Cloud 14 framework for a total value of £251,934.00. This value includes the optional extension period and accounts for an increase in users by up to 750 over the course of the 3-year contract.

**Recommendation/Findings:**

It is recommended a 2-year contract with an optional 12-month extension period is direct awarded to Unily to ensure the Force can continue using the Intranet.

The Intranet has become an integral product, used daily by Northumbria Police staff and although the long-term intentions are to develop an in-house solution, this will take several years. Awarding this contract provides the necessary time to complete the work and includes an optional extension period to be utilised in the event of any delays.

**Northumbria Police and Crime Commissioner****Signature****Date 11/8/2025**