Appendix 4 - 4.1.3 Forms (Technical Exemption)

Function	Cluster	Description of Contract	Estimated Start date of Contract	Estimated End date of Contract	Total Estimated	l £ Reason for seeking approval under 4.1.3 Technical Exemption:
City Regeneration and Environment	Operations	RFID equipment and data - Contract for the continued provision of RFID equipment for new vehicles, tags for new communal, and business waste and recycling bins, equipment maintenance and RFID data transfer to our waste collection system.	01/06/2025	31/05/2028	£53,599.10	21 ACC refuse collection vehicles are fitted with C-Trace RFID reading equipment and approximately 10,000 communal waste and recycling domestic bins and 3000 trade bins are fitted with C-Trace RFID tags. C-Trace equipment is fitted to the majority of communal bins within the city with a large quantity of tags in stock to replace or install to new bins, the relevant ACC refuse vehicles have specialised equipment installed and integrations through API with C-Trace and our waste collection system Bartec are already in place for data transfer.  Our current waste collection system contract is being renewed with Bartec in June 2025 on a 1 year, plus 1 year, plus 1yr basis. If we were to go to market we would incur additional fees for vehicle equipment and tag purchase and installation and works would be required to complete integration to out waste collection system.
Commissioning	Commercial & Procurement Services	Sustainable Procurement Outcomes Reporting Software - Sustainability reporting software that will support the Council to measure, monitor and report on Community Benefits, Sustainability, Economic and Environmental outcomes both secured and delivered through all regulated procurement activity.  The contract will allow for these outcomes to be monitored and measured and feed into statutory reporting in annual Climate Change returns and annual procurement reports.	01/05/2025	30/04/2025	£193,500.00	Various options have been assessed, there are systems which can meet elements of the full requirements but that would mean entering into contracts for more than one system to facilitate the full suite of data collection, monitoring and reporting required to support Climate Change returns and annual procurement reports.  SustainIQ have developed a system which goes across all elements of Sustainable Procurement & Community benefits.