

**EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**  
**EDUCATION COMMITTEE - 23 MAY 2006**  
**AWARDING OF CONTRACT**

**Report by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support**

**1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide, for information, details of a tender which has been accepted. The amount shown is the actual cost of the contract and is exclusive of professional fees.

**2. BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The Council, at its meeting held on 4 March 2004 (Item 6, Page 604, 03/07) agreed the Standing Orders relating to Contracts, which apply to all contracts for the supply of goods and materials, for the provision of services or for the execution of works. The contract was awarded in terms of these Standing Orders.

**3. CONTRACTS - SUPPLY OF BANDSAWS AND PLANERS**

- 3.1 The contract was awarded to The Saw Centre, Glasgow, £38,460.
- 3.2 Other contractors invited to tender in alphabetical order were as follows:  
Active Education Solutions, Glasgow; A L Dalton Ltd, Nottingham; and Wadkin Group, Bardon.
- 3.3 Offers received in ascending order were as follows:  
£44,115.00; £46,820.00; £52,253.00.

**4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 The Client Department confirmed that the cost of the works could be provided from existing budgets.

**5. LEGAL/AUTHORITY IMPLICATIONS**

- 5.1 This contract was awarded in terms of Paragraph 15 of the Council's Standing Orders relating to Contracts.

**6. POLICY IMPLICATIONS - Nil.**

**7. RECOMMENDATION**

- 7.1 The Committee is asked to note the contract awarded to date.

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