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# Specialist Estates Services Notification 18/05

**15 May 2018**

**For action by:**

Chief Executives, NHS Health Boards and Trusts  
Directors of Planning, NHS Health Boards and Trusts

**For information only:**

Copy to: Head of Capital, Estates and Facilities, Welsh Government

Dear Colleague

Further to the issue of SESN 18/02 on the 30th January 2018, please could you note the status of the replacement frameworks that were programmed to become operational at the start of April 2018 :

- National Supply Chain Partner framework and National Project Manager frameworks for projects in excess of £12m construction cost. The 10 day standstill period for challenge has concluded and the contracts will be executed by Velindre NHS Trust.
- Regional Project Manager and Regional Cost Adviser framework for projects between £4million and £12million construction cost. The 10 day standstill period for challenge has concluded and the contracts will be executed by Velindre NHS Trust.
- Regional Supply Chain Partner framework for projects between £4million and £12million construction cost. Due to a request from an unsuccessful candidate for additional information, the 10 day standstill period has been currently suspended whilst this information is collated and forwarded. We will update on progress in due course.

With specific regards to the Regional Supply Chain Partner framework it has been established that alternative frameworks may be utilised by Health Boards and Trusts in this interim period and dependent upon the requirements, may include the SWSCAP2 framework, SCAPE framework or Pagabo framework.

Should Health Boards/Trusts need to progress capital projects utilising construction and consultant frameworks, I would be grateful if you could contact Iain Worby, Head of Designed for Life Building for Wales on [iain.worby@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:iain.worby@wales.nhs.uk).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "NH Davies". The letters are cursive and fluid, with the first name "NH" being more compact and the last name "Davies" written in a standard cursive style.

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