

Quotations Table

Case title: Home Farm

BRN: 123456

Item of expenditure	Quantity and unit	Company	Amount excluding VAT if VAT registered	Lowest quote	Standard costs comparison (for SSSI / Natura only)
Ditch blocking – plastic piling dams (medium)	15 dams	Dempster	£3,800.00	✓	£2,265.00
		AM Fulwood	£4,000.00		
		Robinsons	£4,800.00		
Control of scrub / woody vegetation (intermediate)	2 hectares	Smith	£5,000.00		£2,600.00
		Brown	£4,500.00	✓	
		ABC Woodlands	£6,000.00		
		Grand total excluding VAT, if VAT registered	£8,300.00		

For SSSI / Natura sites only, please provide a short justification for the use of actual costs where standard costs are available

Scottish Natural Heritage has confirmed that cutting of birch scrub and damming of ditches is essential to bringing the raised bog feature of Windy Moss SSSI into favourable condition, as they are both drying out the surface of the moss. Vehicle access is restricted as it is not possible to cross the Swift Burn which means that the scrub must be cut by hand and the materials for the ditch blocking must be carried by hand for some distance.

Please provide a written explanation where only one or two quotes are provided

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