

## BiP celebrates growth

More and more customers are enjoying the benefits as BiP Solutions continues to extend, update and improve its wide-ranging portfolio of procurement products.

Products in the BiP portfolio have enjoyed a successful summer. BiP's e-auction service Vault continued to grow in July as 58 tender boxes closed with 1679 suppliers. This figure is forecast to rise even higher in the coming months with an estimated 62 tender boxes closing with 665 suppliers in August/September.

Suppliers were particularly keen to sign up to the Arts Council for England's latest tender box, provided by BiP – 621 registered their interest.

To date 75 buyers have been benefiting from BiP's aXcess buyer profile service which manages contract information, making it readily available to suppliers and therefore reducing tendering times.

The Select national pre-qualification service has also proved popular, with 1196 suppliers currently using the accreditation tool.

As can be seen by its growing customer base, BiP is constantly evolving and updating its products to offer effective contracting and tendering services. The company will be integrating the European Commission's new CPV code changes to all of its products by the end of August to ensure clients are fully informed and legislation-compliant ahead of the 16 September changeover.

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