

PRESS INFORMATION

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Quest awarded Preferred Supplier status for HSBC

Quest, the major IT infrastructure supplier in the survey and mortgage valuation market, has today announced it has been awarded the Preferred Supplier contract to supply web-based mortgage valuation hosted services for HSBC Bank plc, which includes First Direct.

HSBC plans to work with Quest on a number of projects in order to automate and manage the allocation of the group's valuation instructions to third parties.

Comments James Sherwood-Rogers, Managing Director, Quest: "We are very pleased to have been selected as the preferred supplier for HSBC and its group of companies, to supply a comprehensive web-based solution for the management of its mortgage valuations and are looking forward to working in partnership to provide a best-in-class solution to the business and its customers."

For further information, please telephone 0844 844 9969 or visit www.questuk.com.

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Notes to Editors:

High resolution images of James Sherwood-Rogers are available on request.

About Quest

Established in 1982, Quest, which is part of Landmark Information Group, is the market leading provider of survey and mortgage valuation software in the UK. Quest has also developed Q-Guard, a fraud detection and prevention tool that supports the industry in detecting and preventing mortgage fraud.

In addition, Quest also specialises in delivering software applications that allow users to access, develop, collate and share the contents of Home Reports, the Energy Performance Certificate, Home Condition Report and Commercial Energy Reports in a secure electronic environment.

Its technology is integrated with a majority of the DEA accreditation schemes and Scottish Protocols, including RICS and BRE, providing access to the largest resource of assessors for an efficient turnaround.

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