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Sodexo connects with Nokia win

Sodexo, a leading food and facilities management provider, has been awarded the three year, £3.7 million contract to provide soft services for five Nokia sites in the UK.

The contract to provide a range of services including catering, cleaning, landscaping, mailroom and waste management begins at the end of July. It will see around 130 Sodexo employees providing services for the 3,000 Nokia employees based at ten building across the five sites including its UK head office in Farnborough as well as sites in Cambridge, London and Bristol.

Sodexo was appointed by Corporate Occupier Solutions (COS); Nokia's managing agents, for the three year contract with an option to extend a further two years. Sodexo already provides a wide range of services to the Nokia Corporation across the world including Finland, India, USA, Canada and China.

Allister Richards, Sodexo's managing director for corporate services in London said: "This is a fantastic addition to our portfolio of global clients. The UK contract is just part of a wider €11 million contract awarded to Sodexo for Nokia's EMEA business with the other key countries being Denmark and Germany."

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About Sodexo

In the UK and Ireland, Sodexo employs 43,000 people, and provides food and facilities management services to clients at over 2,300 locations in the corporate, education, healthcare, leisure and defence sectors.

Many companies rely on Sodexo for cost-effective solutions to their employee or hospitality catering, or to deliver services such as cleaning, reception, switchboard and help desks, mailroom, reprographics and grounds maintenance.

Sodexo is part of the Sodexo Group, the leading global provider of food and facilities management services, with more than 375,000 employees at 30,600 sites in 80 countries.

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