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Contract

## **FMM-21-009-02 Secondary Competition for Supply and Delivery of Cleaning Materials and Catering Service Hygiene Products for the Education Authority**

EDUCATION AUTHORITY

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-001175

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-039784

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

EDUCATION AUTHORITY

BALLYMENA

#### **Email**

[facilities.procure@eani.org.uk](mailto:facilities.procure@eani.org.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKN - Northern Ireland

#### **Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

FMM-21-009-02 Secondary Competition for Supply and Delivery of Cleaning Materials and Catering Service Hygiene Products for the Education Authority

Reference number

FMM-21-009-02

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 39830000 - Cleaning products

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

FMM-21-009-02 Secondary Competition from FMM-21-009 Supply and Delivery of Cleaning Materials, Catering Services Hygiene Products and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) throughout Northern Ireland

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £17,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 33741100 - Hand cleaner

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Main site or place of performance

This is a secondary competition that has been run from Framework FMM-21-009, covering all schools/EA locations throughout Northern Ireland - potentially approx 1,200 locations

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

FMM-21-009-02 Secondary Competition from FMM-21-009 Supply and Delivery of Cleaning Materials, Catering Services Hygiene Products and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) throughout Northern Ireland.

This secondary competition invited tenders from all Contractors named within framework FMM-21-009 to submit tender bids for 22 lots which fall within the scope of the original framework. 17 of the 22 lots have now been awarded. The following Lots were not awarded:

Lot 9 Detergent (Liquid) for Machine Dish Washing

Lot 15 Clear Plastic Bag - Jumbo

Lot 16 Floor Cloths

Lot 21 Disposable Aprons (White)

Lot 22 Disposable Aprons (Blue)

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

FMM-21-009-02 will be subject to the extension periods of the main competition FMM-21-009 i.e. the initial Contract Period will end on 31 March 2024, following which there is the option for two further 12-month extensions.

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

This Secondary Competition from Framework Agreement FMM-21-009 has been

established on behalf of EA, Primary and Post Primary schools under the control of the EA, Catholic Maintained Schools, Independent Schools in NI, Irish Medium Schools in NI, both Controlled and Voluntary Grammar Schools, Nursery School for NI (both controlled and Catholic Maintained), school meals kitchens on-site at all of these schools, and Controlled Youth Centres:

<https://www.education-ni.gov.uk/services/schools-plus>

Further Education Colleges in NI:

<https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/contacts/further-education-fe-colleges>

Grant Controlled Integrated Education Schools in NI:

<https://www.nicie.org/parents/school-finder/>

Independent School in NI:

<https://www.isc.co.uk/schools/northern-ireland/>

Libraries NI:

<https://www.librariesni.org.uk/Libraries/>

EA Teachers' and Educational Centres

Council for the Curriculum, Examination and Assessment NI (CCEA)

Armagh Observatory and Planetarium

Middletown Centre for Autism

Controlled Schools Support Council (CSSC)

Northern Ireland Council for Integrated Education (NICIE)

who may also use the original framework and any subsequent secondary competitions awarded from it.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

This contract is not an award without prior notice.

This is a secondary competition from the original framework FMM-21-009. The Contract Notice for the original framework was published on Find-A-Tender on 10 September 2021 under the number 2021/S 000-02258.

A Corrigendum for the original framework was also published on 5 October 2021 under the number 2021/s 000-024800.

A Contract Award notice for the original framework was published on 6 April 2022 under the number 2022/S 000-009233

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

FMM-21-009-02

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

13 December 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Banner Group Limited

Sheffield

Email

[bids@banneruk.com](mailto:bids@banneruk.com)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Companies House

00510758

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Creative Activity Group Ltd

Londonderry

Email

[edward@creative-activity.co.uk](mailto:edward@creative-activity.co.uk)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Companies House

NI669375

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Galgorm Hygiene

Ballymena

Email

[sales@galgormgroup.com](mailto:sales@galgormgroup.com)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Companies House

NI011216

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Stephens Catering Equipment Co Ltd

Belfast

Email

[alison@stephens-catering.com](mailto:alison@stephens-catering.com)

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Companies House

NI011092

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £17,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The value shown in V.2.4 refers to the maximum awarded value of the original Framework FMM-21-009 Supply and Delivery of Cleaning Materials, Catering Services Hygiene Products and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). i.e all spend under this Call-Off Contract falls under the value of the original Framework (£17,000,000).

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

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The EA operated a standstill period (i.e. a minimum of 10 calendar days) at the point information on the award of the contract was communicated to tenderers. That notification provided full information on the award decision. This provided time for the unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract was entered into.