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Opportunity

# 3335245 Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service - Learning and Development Centre, Cookstown

Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service

F02: Contract notice

Notice reference: 2021/S 000-001256 Published: 21 January 2021, 3:40pm

The closing date and time has been changed to:

8 March 2021, 3:00pm

See the change notice.

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service

1 Seymour Street

Lisburn

**BT27 4SX** 

#### Contact

ConstructInfo

#### **Email**

#### construct.info@finance-ni.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

**UK-UNITED KINGDOM** 

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps/cft/prepareViewCfTWS.do?resourceId=3335245

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps/cft/prepareViewCfTWS.do?resourceId=3335245

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

3335245 Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service - Learning and Development Centre, Cookstown

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45210000 - Building construction work

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

### II.1.4) Short description

Northern Ireland Fire and Rescue Service (NIFRS) are seeking to provide centralised purpose-built training facilities to provide the following key features: • Learning and Development Centre (LDC) featuring classrooms, workstations, assembly hall, kitchen, dining, gym and changing facilities to support NIFRS Training • Training Warehouse with Fire Station, providing simulated training environments for marine, residential, industrial and commercial premises • Drill Tower for fire rescue and ladder training • Flood Water Training Facility for flood and river rescue. • Call-out Village for domestic incident scenario training with various housing types. • Search and Rescue Training Area providing a training environment for collapsed buildings and below ground rescue. • Simulated Industrial and Chemical Training Area for hazardous materials training. • Motorway and Embankment and network of A and B category roads for specialist training road traffic collision rescue training.

### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £31,000,000

# II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45211350 Multi-functional buildings construction work
- 45213100 Construction work for commercial buildings
- 45213000 Construction work for commercial buildings, warehouses and industrial buildings, buildings relating to transport
- 45213200 Construction work for warehouses and industrial buildings
- 45213220 Construction work for warehouses
- 45213221 Warehouse stores construction work
- 45213300 Buildings associated with transport
- 45213350 Construction work for buildings relating to various means of transport
- 45214200 Construction work for school buildings
- 45214800 Training facilities building
- 45216121 Fire station construction work
- 45216120 Construction work for buildings relating to emergency services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKN - NORTHERN IRELAND

Main site or place of performance

NIFRS Learning &. Development Centre Site, Cookstown, County Tyrone.

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

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# II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £31,000,000

# II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

28

This contract is subject to renewal

No

# II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 6

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

# II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# II.2.14) Additional information

Further detailed information relating to the NIFRS Learning & Development Centre can be viewed at the following website: <a href="https://www.nifrsldc.com">www.nifrsldc.com</a>

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

### III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Refer to PQQ documentation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### III.2) Conditions related to the contract

# III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

The Economic Operators' performance on this Contract will be regularly monitored... As. part of its contract management procedures, the Contracting Authority will use the Protocol for Managing Poor Supplier.. Performance contained in Procurement Guidance Note PGN 01/12 – Contract Management Principles and Procedures:. https://.. www.financeni.gov.uk/.publications/procurement-guidance-note-0112-contract-management-principles-and-procedures. If an Economic.. Operator has received more than one current Notice of Written Warning or a Notice of Unsatisfactory Performance, the Contracting.. Authority at its, discretion can consider an Economic Operator's exclusion from future procurements, being undertake n on behalf of.. bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Public Procurement Policy (NIPP), for a minimum period of 12 months or 3 years respectively. ... A list of bodies subject to Northern Ireland Public Procurement Policy can be viewed at: . https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/articles/. listpublicbodies which ni public procurement policy-applies.

#### III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

# Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

# IV.2) Administrative information

# IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2020/S 238-589506</u>

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Originally published as:

Date

22 February 2021

Local time

3:00pm

Changed to:

Date

8 March 2021

Local time

3:00pm

See the change notice.

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

# IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 22 June 2021

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.3) Additional information

CPD, in its capacity as a central purchasing body, is managing this procurement procedure on behalf of the contracting authority which.... is The Department for Infrastructure. The Contracting Authority expressly reserves the right to award one, some, all. or no Lots; . ii. not. to.. award any contract/framework agreement as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of. this notice or to. cancel.. the procurement at any stage; and. iii. to make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the. tendering. competition.. and in no circumstances will the Authority be liable for any costs incurred by Economic Operators or Candidates.. Any. expenditure, work.. or effort undertaken prior to contract award is accordingly at the sole risk of the Economic Operator or Candidate.. participating in this.. procurement process. No business whatsoever is guaranteed under any resulting framework agreement or contract.. indeed there is no.. guarantee that any framework agreement or contract will be put in place in relation to this notice. No compensation.. etc will be paid if a.. contract or framework agreement is withdrawn for any reason. Economic Operators should take part in this process.. only on the basis.. that they fully understand and accept this position

# VI.4) Procedures for review

### VI.4.1) Review body

Department of Finance, Construction Procurement Delivery Procurement Operations Branch

Clare House, 303 Airport Road West

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**United Kingdom** 

# VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

CPD will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day Standstill Period following.. electronic notification (minimum of 15 calendar days for any other means of communication) to unsuccessful applicants of the award decision