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# **Nexus Multi Academy Trust**

SPIRES CATERING CONSULTANCY

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Internet address(es)

Main address

www.spirescateringconsultancy.co.uk

# I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

www.spirescateringconsultancy.co.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Nexus Multi Academy Trust

Reference number

NMAT/SCC/230321

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 15894210 - School meals

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

Nexus Multi Academy Trust are seeking a sole catering partner to provide a food service to eight of their ten academies. The academies are all special schools based in the Rotherham and Doncaster area. The schools currently use local authority catering services. The number of pupils on roll at each school ranges from 75 to 150 and each school has different requirements in relation to pupil needs.

This ITT is to provided a professional catering service provision to all eight schools. Nexus Multi Academy Trust is looking to partner with a catering provider who will genuinely care and take pride in the food served. The creation of positive dining room experiences will underpin the success of the partnership which will include the use of fresh ingredients, great service and by morally doing the right thing at all times.

Suppliers who cannot provide these requirements need not register a interest in this opportunity.

Investment into the kitchen facilities would be considered but is not an essential condition.

## II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

• 15894210 - School meals

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKE31 - Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham

Main site or place of performance

Three schools are in the Rotherham area and five schools are in the Doncaster area.

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

Supply of a quality lunch to pupils/students and staff throughout the academic year. There may be times when a service is required outside of the teaching day.

# 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: £500,000

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

Start date

23 October 2021

End date

22 October 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

No

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

# II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

This will be a 3 year contract arrangement with the option to extend for an additional 2 years (1+1).

# **Section IV. Procedure**

# **IV.1) Description**

# IV.1.1) Type of procedure

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

Date

23 April 2021

Local time

10:00am

#### 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

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

17 May 2021

Local time

10:00am

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.3) Additional information

Interested catering food supliers must have a proven track record for providing a quality food provision with similar school environments.

Simply put, Nexus Multi Academy Trust are seeking to appoint a long term partner who can tailor menus to dietary requirements, create memorable postive dining experiences and who put the the pupils and their families at the centre for all decision making.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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