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## **G&R/Bristol City Council Catering and Events Services - SOFT MARKET TESTING**

Bristol City Council

F01: Prior information notice

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

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

Bristol City Council

Bristol City Council, City Hall, College Green

Bristol

BS1 5TR

#### **Contact**

Catering Review

#### **Email**

[catering.review@bristol.gov.uk](mailto:catering.review@bristol.gov.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 0

**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKK11 - Bristol, City of

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.bristol.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.bristol.gov.uk/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=3aff562e-f5d6-ee11-8127-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

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Reference number

DN713448

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

- 55000000 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services

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

Services

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

The Council currently outsources cafés, catering and event/ function services under a number of separate contracts across a number of venues including, but not limited to the City Hall, Bristol Museum and Art Gallery (BMAG), MShed, the Central Library, the Create Centre, and the Mansion House.

To simplify and streamline our contract estate and drive improved returns from this valuable and diverse range of premises we are looking to engage a single supplier with specialist food industry expertise to assume delivery responsibility for the full suite of services under a consolidated concessionary agreement.

Please note this will be a concessionary contract.

Providers are invited to submit their thoughts via ProContract using the soft market testing form. The link to ProContract is contained in this notice.

A virtual engagement event with interested providers will be held on Wednesday 13th March 2024 between 12:00 - 13:00. Providers wishing to attend please email [catering.review@bristol.gov.uk](mailto:catering.review@bristol.gov.uk) to register your interest, the Council will then forward you the joining instructions.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 55520000 - Catering services
- 79952000 - Event services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK11 - Bristol, City of

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

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Exact contract terms are TBC. This PIN is a notification of Soft Market Testing

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

1 May 2024

## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No