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# **Plumbing Consumables & Commercial Heating Products**

**APUC LIMITED** 

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0334b7

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The closing date and time has been changed to:

24 June 2022, 12:00pm

See the change notice.

## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**APUC LIMITED** 

Unit 27, Stirling Business Centre, Wellgreen

**STIRLING** 

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#### Contact

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vshanley@apuc-scot.ac.uk

#### **Telephone**

+44 1314428964

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UKM - Scotland

### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.apuc-scot.ac.uk

## 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://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

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## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Education

## I.5) Main activity

#### Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

## II.1.1) Title

Plumbing Consumables & Commercial Heating Products

Reference number

**EFM1047 AP** 

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 44115200 - Plumbing and heating materials

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Authority are seeking Contractor(s) for the provision of Plumbing Consumables & Commercial Heating Products to multiple sites and locations throughout Scotland.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £5,111,644

## II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

### II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

Plumbing Consumables

Lot No

1

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

- 39715300 Plumbing equipment
- 44115210 Plumbing materials
- 45330000 Plumbing and sanitary works

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

· UKM - Scotland

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope of this agreement is the supply and delivery of a range of Plumbing Consumables products, and materials as detailed in the Invitation to Tender documents and appendices to multiple sites and locations across Scotland as detailed in Appendix E - List of Institutions.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 40%

Price - Weighting: 60%

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

**Duration in months** 

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Authority reserves the right to extend the Framework Agreement for a period of up to 24 months subject to satisfactory performance and continued Institutions requirements.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition if they are in any of the situations referred to in regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015

## II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

Commercial Heating Products

Lot No

2

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

- 24961000 Radiator fluids
- 39715000 Water heaters and heating for buildings; plumbing equipment
- 44600000 Tanks, reservoirs and containers; central-heating radiators and boilers

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

· UKM - Scotland

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

The scope of this agreement is the supply and delivery of a range of Commercial Heating Products and associate products, and materials as detailed in the Invitation to Tender documents and appendices to multiple sites and locations across Scotland as detailed in Appendix E - List of Institutions.

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

## III.1) Conditions for participation

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

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Please refer to question 4B.5 of the SPD and Economic and Financial standing section of the Contract Notice.

Tenderers must confirm they can provide the following supporting evidence prior to award:

Employer's (Compulsory) Liability Insurance = 5 000 000 GBP

Product Liability Insurance = 5 000 000 GBP

Public Liability Insurance = 5 000 000 GBP

To demonstrate and evidence suitable economic standing, successful Contractors will be required to provide 2 years audited accounts, or

equivalent if awarded the Framework Agreement.

Alternatively, if the Contractor is unable to provide the required accounting information, eg. a new business without the required accounts, then they will be required to provide a bankers letter demonstrating their willingness to support the Contractors organisation over the term of the Framework Agreement.

Please refer to 4B.6 of the SPD

## III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

Submission of Management Information

Following commencement of the Framework Agreement, the Contractor will provide a performance report to the Authority on a quarterly

basis to include spend by Institution under the Framework Agreement for the reporting period.

Contractors must provide the information on a quarterly basis, within 10 working days following the start of each quarter. Data must be

uploaded to the website:

http://ucsp.ac.uk/ using the template provided (template shall be provided during the leadin period). The supplied template is the only

format permissible and should contain Contractor name, tender reference, total net spend by institution each month. If there has been no

spend for the guarter, then this will still require you to log in and record a nil spend return.

## Section IV. Procedure

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## IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

## IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 5

## 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

Originally published as:

Date

7 June 2022

Local time

12:00pm

Changed to:

Date

24 June 2022

Local time

12:00pm

See the change notice.

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

English

## IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

7 June 2022

Local time

12:01pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 48 Months

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

Form of Tender

Tenderers must sign the Form of Tender - Appendix A prior to award to confirm that their Tender Response is a complete, true, and accurate submission.

Sustain Supply Chain Code of Conduct

In partnership with Institutions, the Authority has developed a Sustain Supply Chain Code of Conduct- Appendix D which sets out its expected standards for its supply chain in social, ethical and environmental compliance. Tenderers must complete the Sustain Supply Chain Code of Conduct prior to award to assist in achieving its objectives.

Freedom of Information

Please confirm that you will be in a position to complete, prior to award, Appendix B - Freedom of Information (if applicable) in the Technical Questionnaire in PCS-Tender. This information should only be submitted if applicable at point of award. It is for information only and will not be scored.

SCM Responsible Procurement Supply Chain Evaluation Tool: Section 1

Please complete "Appendix G - SCM Responsible Procurement Supply Chain Evaluation Tool Section 1" in the Technical Questionnaire in PCS-Tender. Tenderers must complete the SCM Responsible Procurement Supply Chain Evaluation Tool: Section 1. It is for information only and will not be scored but is a requirement of this tender and will be

included in the contractual terms.

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 21172.

For more information see:

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=XXX

A sub-contract clause has been included in this contract. For more information see:

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=XXX

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see:

https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

The Contractor will work with the Authority to deliver Community Benefits or social value where they are identifiable throughout the term of the Framework Agreement. Examples of Community Benefits or social value are providing training opportunities to staff and students and investment in the local community.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

**Sheriff Court House** 

Viewfield Place

Stirling

FK8 1NH

Country

**United Kingdom**