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Contract

Catering Tender - 8 Schools - Education For The 21st Century

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F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-028fc9

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Education For The 21st Century

Chislehurst

Email

enquiries@education21century.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKJ4 - Kent

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.e21c.co.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30228

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Education Trust

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Catering Tender - 8 Schools - Education For The 21st Century

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Catering tender for eight schools:

1 x infant school

3 x primary schools

4 x senior schools

TUPE will apply including LGPS pensions.

Objectives are clearly defined within the ITT but suffice to say the No1 objective will be around the excellence of the catering service rather than factors such as contractor investment.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £99,479 / Highest offer: £1,325,210 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

Main site or place of performance

Chislehurst

Beckenham

Canterbury

Bromley

Orpington

London SE9

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Tender for the provision of catering services.

6 of the schools are currently operated on an in-house basis.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Staffing / Weighting: 30%

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Care / Weighting: 15%

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 25%

Price - Weighting: 30%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2021/S 000-002163

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 June 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Caterlink Ltd

Reading

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ11 - Berkshire

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Lowest offer: £99,479 / Highest offer: £1,325,210 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Details of the 8 schools:

Coopers School - Chislehurst

Eden Park High School - Beckenham

Spires Academy - Canterbury

The Ravensbourne School - Bromley

Blenheim Primary School - Orpington

Mead Road Infant School - Chislehurst

Mottingham Primary School - London SE9

Scotts Park Primary School - Bromley

The contract start date will be the 7th June 2021 - this is envisaged as a "soft" start concentrating on the quality of the food service, with any marketing/merchandising changes happening over the Summer holidays.

Key dates in the process are:

10th Feb at 2.00pm - "Meet The Client" video conference.

3rd March at 12.00noon - receipt of tenders.

w/e 19th March - shortlisted bidding companies - visit to schools.

30th March - Tender presentations to E21C (in person or virtually).

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Review Service

Cabinet Office

London

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit>