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#### Contract

# **Preston Hedges Trust - Catering Services Tender**

**Preston Hedges Trust** 

F03: Contract award notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Preston Hedges Trust

Wootton Hope Drive, Wootton Fields

Northampton

NN4 6BU

#### **Email**

operations@invictuspartnership.com

#### **Telephone**

+44 2081332224

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

## Internet address(es)

Main address

https://prestonhedgestrust.org/

# 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

Preston Hedges Trust - Catering Services Tender

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 55524000 - School catering services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Trust are seeking Catering service providers to tender for the provision of all catering services presently offered within the Schools, including breakfast, morning break, lunch and all hospitality and free issue requirements.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,905,020

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

Main site or place of performance

Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

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

Preston Hedges Trust offers the very best opportunities to all pupils, throughout each of their schools. The Trust's highly skilled, energetic and creative teaching Staff make sure

that they constantly drive forward standards and deliver continuous School improvement across all Schools – regardless of where they are on their individual journey.

The Trust are seeking Catering service providers to tender for the provision of all catering services presently offered within the Schools, including breakfast, morning break, lunch and all hospitality and free issue requirements.

The contract will be for three years in duration, with the option to extend for a further one period of up to two years and with a commencement date of 07 April 2025.

Full details will be included in the Invitation to Tender.

TUPE regulations apply to this contract, which involves the transfer of existing catering staff, of which some may be members of the Local Government Pension Scheme, requiring arrangements to be made for 'Admitted Body' status with the relevant pension fund.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

#### 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

#### II.2.14) Additional information

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## 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>2024/S 000-030370</u>

### Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

030370

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

6 March 2025

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Cater Link Limited

Earley West, 300 Thames Valley Park Drive Reading

Country

RG6 1PT

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UKJ11 - Berkshire

National registration number

03732298

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,905,020

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,905,020

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Preston Hedges Trust

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