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Planning

Pre-Market Engagement Commercial Refrigeration, Dishwashers and Food Preparation Equipment

the Education Authority

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

the Education Authority

3 Charlemont Place, The Mall

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BT61 9AX

Email

catering.procure@eani.org.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

Buyer's address

https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from 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

Pre-Market Engagement Commercial Refrigeration, Dishwashers and Food Preparation Equipment

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 39310000 - Catering equipment

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

CAT-23-001-008, CAT-23-001-009 and CAT-23-001-010 Pre-Market Engagement. The Education Authority are carrying out pre-market engagement with suppliers interested in supplying the EA with Commercial Refrigeration, Freezing and Chilling Equipment, Dishwashing Equipment and Food Preparation Equipment. To participate suppliers should contact <u>catering.procure@eani.org.uk</u> to request a questionnaire on or before 5pm on Thursday 10 August 2023.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 3

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Dishwashers and Associated Equipment

Lot No

CAT-23-001-008

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 39310000 - Catering equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN Northern Ireland
- UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

CAT-23-001-008 Pre-Market Engagement. The Education Authority are carrying out premarket engagement with suppliers interested in supplying the EA with Commercial Dishwashing Equipment Tabling and Associated Items. To participate suppliers should contact <u>catering.procure@eani.org.uk</u> to request a questionnaire on or before 5pm on Thursday 10 August 2023. Please note that in order to participate in a further tender exercise to supply this equipment tenderers must have qualified for and been accepted to DPS CAT-23-001 Catering Equipment for the respective Lot.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Refrigeration Freezing and Chilling Equipment

Lot No

CAT-23-001-009

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 39310000 - Catering equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN Northern Ireland
- UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

CAT-23-001-009 Pre-Market Engagement. The Education Authority are carrying out premarket engagement with suppliers interested in supplying the EA with Commercial Refrigeration, Freezing and Chilling Equipment. To participate suppliers should contact <u>catering.procure@eani.org.uk</u> to request a questionnaire on or before 5pm on Thursday 10 August 2023. Please note that in order to participate in a further tender exercise to supply this equipment tenderers must have qualified for and been accepted to DPS CAT-23-001 Catering Equipment for the respective Lot.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Food Preparation Equipment

Lot No

CAT-23-001-010

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 39310000 - Catering equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN Northern Ireland
- UK United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

CAT-23-001-010 Pre-Market Engagement. The Education Authority are carrying out premarket engagement with suppliers interested in supplying the EA with Commercial Food Preparation Equipment. To participate suppliers should contact <u>catering.procure@eani.org.uk</u> to request a questionnaire on or before 5pm on Thursday 10 August 2023. Please note that in order to participate in a further tender exercise to supply this equipment tenderers must have qualified for and been accepted to DPS CAT-23-001 Catering Equipment for the respective Lot.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

15 October 2023

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: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

It is the intention of The Education Authority issue Pre-Market Engagement questionnaires to suppliers interested in tendering for the Equipment lots as specified in this advertisement. Should you wish to participate in this pre-market engagement exercise you must email <u>catering.procure@eani.org.uk</u> by 5pm on Thursday 10 August 2023 with the subject CAT-23-001-008 PME Questionnaire with a brief summary of the products your organisation is interested in supplying. All future tender documentation will be made available via the <u>http://etendersni.gov.uk</u> website CAT-23-001 Catering Equipment Dynamic Purchasing System and potential tenderers must be registered on this website to ensure they have access to tender documentation. Furthermore, tenderers must have already applied for and passed the qualification stage for the relevant equipment Lots on CAT-23-001 as published on 31 May 2023 to be able to participate in any further specific competitions for catering equipment. This pre-market engagement meeting is for information purposes only. Any interest shown does not constitute a commitment to participate in a procurement exercise. Failure to show interest does not restrict providers from participating in any future procurement exercise.