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Tender

CAT-22-002, Fresh Bread and Rolls for the Education Authority

Education Authority NI

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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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

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

<https://etendersni.gov.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to 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

CAT-22-002, Fresh Bread and Rolls for the Education Authority

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 15811100 - Bread

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

The Education Authority in Northern Ireland invites tenders for the supply of Fresh Bread and Rolls to Post Primary School meals kitchens and Headquarter canteens within Northern Ireland for the period 1 November 2022 to 30 June 2026.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

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

Lot 1 Antrim and Newtownabbey

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

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Cost criterion - Name: Evaluation Cost / Weighting: 50

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

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

Start date

1 November 2022

End date

30 June 2026

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

In the event that there is a delay in the establishment of any succeeding framework, the Authority may, by giving notice in writing to the Contractor, extend this Framework Agreement on a month by month basis up to a maximum of a further two months from 1 July 2026.

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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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 Ards and North Down

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 Armagh, Banbridge and Craigavon

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 Belfast City Council

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 5 Causeway Coast and Glens

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Product Characteristics – Taste, Texture and Appearance of the Products / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: Evaluation Cost / Weighting: 50

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

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

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30 June 2026

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 6 Derry City Council and Strabane

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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Quality criterion - Name: Product Characteristics – Taste, Texture and Appearance of the Products / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: Evaluation Cost / Weighting: 60

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 7 Fermanagh and Omagh

Lot No

7

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 8 Lisburn and Castlereagh

Lot No

8

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 9 Mid and East Antrim

Lot No

9

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom
- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 10 Mid Ulster

Lot No

10

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- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

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

Duration in months

44

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 11 Newry and Mourne

Lot No

11

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 15811100 - Bread

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

- UKN0 - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Education Authority in Northern Ireland invites tenders for the supply of Fresh Bread and Rolls to Post Primary School meals kitchens and Headquarter canteens within Northern Ireland for the period 1 November 2022 to 30 June 2026.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Product Characteristics – Taste, Texture and Appearance of the Products / Weighting: 50

Cost criterion - Name: Evaluation Cost / Weighting: 50

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

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

Start date

1 November 2022

End date

30 June 2026

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

In the event that there is a delay in the establishment of any succeeding framework, the Authority may, by giving notice in writing to the Contractor, extend this Framework

Agreement on a month by month basis up to a maximum of a further two months from 1 July 2026.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

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

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Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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: 11

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: [2022/S 000-002604](#)

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

12 October 2022

Local time

3:00pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 10 January 2023

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

12 October 2022

Local time

3:30pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The UK currently does not have any such bodies with responsibilities for appeal/mediation procedures

Armagh

Country

United Kingdom