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## **Supply of Catering Services to the Metropolitan Police**

Metropolitan Police Service

F02: Contract notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Metropolitan Police Service

LONDON

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#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.met.police.uk/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

[https://supplier.coupa.com/quotes/public\\_events?customer=metpolice](https://supplier.coupa.com/quotes/public_events?customer=metpolice)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

[https://supplier.coupa.com/quotes/public\\_events?customer=metpolice](https://supplier.coupa.com/quotes/public_events?customer=metpolice)

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**

Public order and safety

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Supply of Catering Services to the Metropolitan Police

Reference number

2021/S 000-002799

### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 55000000 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services

### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4) Short description**

THE SUPPLY OF CATERING, HOSPITALITY  
AND VENDING SERVICES TO THE METROPOLITAN POLICE SERVICE

### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £8,400,000

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for one lot only

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 1

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Staff and Officer Catering, Hospitality Services and Vending

Lot No

1

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

- 15894500 - Vending-machine ingredients
- 39222100 - Disposable catering supplies
- 39310000 - Catering equipment
- 42930000 - Centrifuges, calendaring or vending machines

- 45212421 - Restaurant construction work
- 45212422 - Canteen construction work
- 45212423 - Cafeteria construction work
- 45212500 - Kitchen or restaurant conversion
- 55000000 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services
- 79952000 - Event services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

LONDON

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

The Supplier is to operate a catering service which provides a choice of hot and cold meals, snacks, fresh fruit and hot and cold beverages however delivered (assisted, automated, delivered or other). The provision of the food and drink offer must be fully compliant with all relevant food safety and hygiene regulations, whilst meeting the varied dietary requirements of the customers.

The Authority/MPS is seeking creative ways to deliver catering services in the future to include innovative food solutions in direct comparison with the high street café trends, standards and quality i.e. looking at smaller more artisanal offers for the staff restaurants. We have introduced a concept called Operators Choice which bidders are to carefully consider which provides a differentiated service to customers.

Blended working might mean that there are fewer people in MPS buildings, creating an ongoing commercial challenge to the viability of the current model. Catering services will be required across 4 core sites as well as automated retailing solution (such as vending & micro-marts) across the rest.

There are 89 sites which currently have a vending service which are included within the scope of services. Hospitality is also required at the 4 locations above and also delivered to other sites across the MPS.

The approximate anticipated annual turnover is £3m (excluding VAT).

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,000,000

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

Start date

20 October 2022

End date

19 October 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: Yes

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Values & Dates include optional extensions 1+1

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

OPERATIONAL & DETAINEE FEEDING

Lot No

2

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

- 39222100 - Disposable catering supplies
- 39310000 - Catering equipment
- 42930000 - Centrifuges, calendaring or vending machines
- 45212421 - Restaurant construction work
- 45212422 - Canteen construction work
- 45212423 - Cafeteria construction work
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- 55000000 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services
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## **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

LONDON

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

The Supplier is to operate a catering and logistics service to meet the requirement of these two distinct Services. This will include the provision of hot and cold meals, snacks, hot and cold beverages however delivered for Operational Feeding. Operational Feeding will be designed to be flexible to support the delivery of meals and snacks to officers, as close to them in the field as possible.

The Supplier will also provide a full logistics service with technical and quality support to meet the food and drink requirements for those detained in the MPS custody suites in line with the requirements of PACE and the strict health and safety requirements. The provision of the food and drink offer must be fully compliant with all relevant food safety and hygiene regulations, whilst meeting the varied dietary requirements of the customers.

The Authority/MPS is seeking creative ways to deliver these Services in the future to include:

- innovative food solutions,

- an element of choice
- meeting the broad dietary requirements
- reflective of current eating trends, standards and quality.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £6,000,000

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

Start date

20 October 2022

End date

19 October 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: Yes

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Values and dates include optional extensions 1+1

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

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Included in tender documentation.

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

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## **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: [2021/S 000-002799](#)

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

Date

10 November 2021

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

29 November 2021

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

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Metropolitan Police Service

London

Country

United Kingdom