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Planning

Focus Trust Catering Tender - 14 Primary Schools

The Focus Trust

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02ef5c

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Focus Trust

Oldham

BL6 6DQ

Email

info@focus-trust.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.focus-trust.co.uk

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from another address:

The Catering Tender Company Ltd

Bolton

Email

info@cateringtender.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD3 - Greater Manchester

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.cateringtender.co.uk

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

Focus Trust Catering Tender - 14 Primary Schools

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of school catering services.

Contract to commence on or around 1st August 2022.

TUPE will apply to 4 schools only, catering staff at the other 10 schools are employed directly by Focus Trust as this will remain.

LGPS is likely to apply in those 4 schools.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 4

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

4 Schools - specified in the ITT

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Birstall Primary Academy

Boothroyd Primary Academy

Fieldhead Primary Academy

Thornhill Junior & Infant School

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As per Lot 1

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

5 Schools - specified in the ITT

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Coppice Primary Academy

Deeplish Primary Academy

Lyndhurst Primary Academy

Roundthorn Primary Academy

Freehold Community Primary Academy

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As per Lot 1

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

2 Schools - specified in the ITT

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Manor Green Primary Academy

Old Trafford Community Academy

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As per Lot 1

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

3 Schools - specified in the ITT

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 55524000 - School catering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Shibden Head Primary Academy

Thornton Primary Academy

Wilsden Primary Academy

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Key dates in the process are:

15.11.2021 - Meet the client conference call.

23rd/24th/25th/26th November - Site visits by interested parties.

05.01.2022 - Tender returns.

17.02.2022 - Presentations by short-listed companies.

10.03.2022 - Award of contract.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

26 October 2021

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

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