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## Tender CAT-21-012 Bottle Fed Water Coolers

Education Authority NI

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## Section I: Contracting authority

## I.1) Name and addresses

Education Authority NI

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ARMAGH

BT61 9AX

Contact

catering.procureeani.org.uk

#### Email

catering.procure@eani.org.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS 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-21-012 Bottle Fed Water Coolers

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 31141000 - Water coolers

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The EA is inviting tenders for Bottle Fed Water Coolers and associated items and services for Schools and other Educational Establishments throughout Northern Ireland for the period 1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022 with the option to extend for three further periods of 12 months each or parts thereof on a call-off as required basis. The EA's objective with this tender is to appoint a supplier capable of providing a reliable service for the supply and delivery of Bottle Fed Water Coolers, water refill bottles and any necessary sanitisation service in Schools and other educational establishments throughout Northern Ireland.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £76,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 15981100 Still mineral water
- 41110000 Drinking water
- 15981000 Mineral water

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

#### NUTS codes

- UKN Northern Ireland
- UKN0 Northern Ireland

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: See tender documents / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: See tender documents / Weighting: 90

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £76,000

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

Start date

1 January 2022

End date

31 December 2022

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

Option to extend for three further periods of 12 months each or parts thereof on a call-off as required basis

#### 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

This framework is let by the NI Education Authority (EA) and is open to the EA, including NI educational bodies as follows and at some point during the life of the Framework these bodies may wish to utilise the agreement and should have access, at any point, with the permission of EA. This agreement is not intended to replace any current agreements that participating or non-participating institutions may already have in place.

## **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 a single operator

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

Date

29 November 2021

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: 29 March 2022

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

29 November 2021

Local time

3:30pm

# Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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

ARMAGH

Country

United Kingdom