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## **T Levels Generation 2, Wave 1**

INSTITUTE FOR APPRENTICESHIPS AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

F24: Concession notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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London

SW1P 3BT

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Login>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Applications or, where applicable, tenders must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Login>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

T Levels Generation 2, Wave 1

Reference number

IFATE-DN686137

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

Services

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

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This notice is in respect of Generation 2 (Wave 1) T Levels and will cover the following T Levels:

Education and Early Years

Design, Surveying and Planning for Construction

Building Services Engineering for Construction

Onsite Construction

Digital Business Services

Digital Support Services

Digital Production, Development and Design

All contracts will be public services concession contracts and that accordingly the procurement will be governed by the Concession Contracts Regulations 2016, to the extent that the same apply to those services to which such contract (or contracts) would relate.

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

Value excluding VAT: £28,093,974

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

This concession is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 7

## **II.2) Description**

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

Digital Production, Design and Development

Lot No

1

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

- 800000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
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### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £4,699,868

## **II.2) Description**

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

Digital Support Services

Lot No

2

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £3,789,868

### **II.2) Description**

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

## Digital Business Services

Lot No

3

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £2,786,268

## **II.2) Description**

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

Design, Surveying and Planning (for Construction)

Lot No

4

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

- 800000000 - Education and training services

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

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £3,426,668

## **II.2) Description**

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

Building Services Engineering (for Construction)

Lot No

5

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

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Please note under the conditions of this procurement any organisation bidding for Lot 5 is also obliged to bid for Lot 6

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £3,962,768

## **II.2) Description**

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

Onsite Construction

Lot No

6

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

- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £3,902,468

## **II.2) Description**

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

Education and Early Years

Lot No

7

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

- 800000000 - Education and training services

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

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

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

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

Value excluding VAT: £5,526,068

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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

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

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for submission of applications or receipt of tenders**

Date

18 December 2023

Local time

11:59pm

#### **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: No

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

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

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