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**UK-Leicester: lighting equipment and electric lamps
2011/S 145-240524**

CONTRACT NOTICE

Supplies

SECTION I: CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

I.1) NAME, ADDRESSES AND CONTACT POINT(S)

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Further information can be obtained at: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained at: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to: As in above-mentioned contact point(s)

I.2) TYPE OF THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY AND MAIN ACTIVITY OR ACTIVITIES

Regional or local authority

Other Local Authority Services

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities Yes

SECTION II: OBJECT OF THE CONTRACT

II.1) DESCRIPTION

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority

Supply of electric lamps - 56/11.

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance

Supplies

Purchase

NUTS code UK

II.1.3) The notice involves

The establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4) Information on framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

maximum number of participants to the framework agreement envisaged 20

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement

estimated cost excluding VAT

Range: between 2 400 000 and 4 000 000 GBP

II.1.5) **Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Lighting equipment and electric lamps. Electrical accessories. ESPO and on behalf of CBC wish to establish a framework agreement covering the supply of electric lamps. The requirements within the tender are split into the following lots: Lot 1 Supply of standard halogen, low voltage & discharge lamps for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres; Lot 2 Supply of low energy lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres; Lot 3 Supply of led lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres & to any eligible end user establishments with bulk order requirements; Lot 4 % Discount off manufacturers list prices on lamps & tubes for delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres and any eligible end user establishments in any quantities.

II.1.6) **Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)**

31500000, 31681000

II.1.7) **Contract covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

Yes

II.1.8) **Division into lots**

Yes

tenders should be submitted for one or more lots

II.1.9) **Variants will be accepted**

Yes

II.2) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE OF THE CONTRACT**

II.2.1) **Total quantity or scope**

The value of 2 400 000 GBP is the estimated potential value based on known participating Authorities. The value of participation by the wider public sector cannot be calculated accurately or guaranteed - but has nevertheless been estimated and incorporated within a range of 2 400 000 GBP to 4 000 000 GBP for the duration (including the extension option referred to at Section II.2.2).

II.2.2) **Options**

Yes

description of these options: The framework contract has the option to extend for up to a further 24 months. The total estimated value stated in Section II.1.4 includes the option period.

II.3) **DURATION OF THE CONTRACT OR TIME-LIMIT FOR COMPLETION**

Starting 1.10.2011. Completion 30.9.2013

INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS

LOT NO: 1

TITLE Supply of standard halogen, low voltage & discharge lamps for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres

1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**

Supply of standard halogen, low voltage & discharge lamps for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres.

2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**

31500000

3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**

4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**

5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

LOT NO: 2

TITLE Supply of low energy lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres

- 1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**
Supply of low energy lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres.
- 2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**
31500000
- 3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**
- 4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**
- 5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

LOT NO: 3

TITLE Supply of led lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC dist. centres & to any eligible end user establishments with bulk order requiremen

- 1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**
Supply of led lamps & tubes for bulk delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres & to any eligible end user establishments with bulk order requirements.
- 2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**
31500000
- 3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**
- 4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**
- 5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

LOT NO: 4

TITLE % Discount off manufacturers list prices on lamps & tubes for delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres and any eligible end user establishments

- 1) **SHORT DESCRIPTION**
% Discount off manufacturers list prices on lamps & tubes for delivery into ESPO/CBC distribution centres and any eligible end user establishments in any quantities.
- 2) **COMMON PROCUREMENT VOCABULARY (CPV)**
31500000
- 3) **QUANTITY OR SCOPE**
Excluding VAT 1 GBP
- 4) **INDICATION ABOUT DIFFERENT DATE FOR DURATION OF CONTRACT OR STARTING/COMPLETION**
- 5) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT LOTS**

SECTION III: LEGAL, ECONOMIC, FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

III.1) CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE CONTRACT

- III.1.1) **Deposits and guarantees required**
- III.1.2) **Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions regulating them**
- III.1.3) **Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**
Joint and several liability.
- III.1.4) **Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject**
Yes

The Supplier agrees that there shall be no discrimination by it against any person with respect to opportunity for employment or conditions of employment, because of age, culture, disability, gender, marital status, race, religion or sexual orientation. The Supplier shall in all matters arising in the performance of the Agreement comply with the provisions of the Sex Discrimination Act 1975 and the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 and any regulations made there under. The Supplier shall in all matters arising in the performance of the Agreement comply with the provisions of the Employment Equality (Age) Regulations 2006. The Supplier must comply with the provisions of the Race Relations Act 1976, the Race Relations (Amendment) Act 2002 and the Equality Act 2010 and shall ensure that they perform their responsibilities under this Agreement with due regard to the need to eliminate unlawful racial discrimination, and to promote equality of opportunity and good relationships between different racial groups.

III.2) **CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION**

III.2.1) **Personal situation of economic operators, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met: As detailed in the Invitation to Tender.

III.2.2) **Economic and financial capacity**

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required As detailed in the Invitation to Tender.

III.2.3) **Technical capacity**

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required
As detailed in the Invitation to Tender.

III.2.4) **Reserved contracts**

III.3) **CONDITIONS SPECIFIC TO SERVICES CONTRACTS**

III.3.1) **Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession**

III.3.2) **Legal entities should indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff responsible for the execution of the service**

SECTION IV: PROCEDURE

IV.1) **TYPE OF PROCEDURE**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Open

IV.1.2) **Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate**

IV.1.3) **Reduction of the number of operators during the negotiation or dialogue**

IV.2) **AWARD CRITERIA**

IV.2.1) **Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of the criteria stated in the specifications, in the invitation to tender or to negotiate or in the descriptive document

IV.2.2) **An electronic auction will be used**

No

IV.3) **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

IV.3.1) **File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

56/11

IV.3.2) **Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract**

Prior information notice

Notice number in OJ: [2010/S 204-311099](#) of 20.10.2010

IV.3.3) **Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents**

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents 19.8.2011

Payable documents No

IV.3.4) **Time-limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

26.8.2011 - 17:00

IV.3.5) **Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

IV.3.6) **Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up**

English.

IV.3.7) **Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in days 90 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.3.8) **Conditions for opening tenders**

SECTION VI: COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

VI.1) **THIS IS A RECURRENT PROCUREMENT**

VI.2) **CONTRACT RELATED TO A PROJECT AND/OR PROGRAMME FINANCED BY EU FUNDS**

VI.3) **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement, and the contract will be awarded on the basis of the most economically advantageous tender. Whilst initially for use by local authorities served by ESPO and CBC ((see www.espo.org and www.cbconline.org.uk for further details), being Central Purchasing Bodies as defined by the EU Combined Procurement Directive 2004/18/EC, the Framework Agreement may also be open for use by the following classifications of user throughout all administrative regions of the UK: Local Authority Councils; Educational Establishments; Police, Fire & Rescue and Coastguard Emergency Services; NHS and HSC Bodies, including Ambulance Services; Central Government Departments and their Agencies; Registered Charities; Registered Social Landlords. Full details of the classification of end user establishments and geographical areas is available on: <http://www.espo.org/ojeu-framework-permissible-users> GO Reference: GO-2011726-PRO-2514839.

VI.4) **PROCEDURES FOR APPEAL**

VI.4.1) **Body responsible for appeal procedures**

VI.4.2) **Lodging of appeals**

Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals: ESPO will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar days standstill period at the point information on the decision to award the contract is communicated to tenderers. This decision notice will incorporate the award criteria, the reasons for the decision, the reasons (if any) why a tenderer did not meet any technical specification, the identity of the successful tenderer(s) and a precise statement of when the standstill period is expected to end. Any appeal or challenge against the award decision must be communicated to the address stated in section I.1 within the standstill period. If an appeal or challenge regarding the decision to award the contract has not been successfully resolved the Public Contracts Regulations 2006 (as amended) provide for aggrieved parties who have suffered harm or are at risk of harm by a breach of the procurement rules to take action in the High Court (England Wales and Northern Ireland). Any such action must be brought promptly (generally within 3 months) (NB this time limit may be reduced to 30 days in circumstances where the contract award has been publicised to all participants in accordance with the Regulations). Where a legal challenge is launched against the award decision ESPO is obliged to suspend the

making of the contract. Where a challenge is made after the contract has been entered into then that contract could be declared ineffective and/or shortened and/or a fine imposed by the court, but only where the court are satisfied that there has been a serious breach of the procurement rules.

VI.4.3) **Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained**

VI.5) **DATE OF DISPATCH OF THIS NOTICE:**

26.7.2011