

Ireland-Dunsany: Provision of Childcare Services to the European Commission at its Crèche in Dunsany, Co. Meath, Ireland

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**Contract notice
Services****Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission — DG Sante

Postal address: Co. Meath, Grange

Town: Dunsany

NUTS code: IE062 Mid-East

Country: Ireland

Contact person: Laura Cahill

E-mail: SANTE-IRL-CFT@ec.europa.eu**Internet address(es):**Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/health_food-safety/**I.3. Communication**

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at:

<https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=4913>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Provision of Childcare Services to the European Commission at its Crèche in Dunsany, Co. Meath, Ireland

Reference number: SANTE/2019/F6/08

II.1.2. Main CPV code

85312110 Child daycare services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The European Commission intends to conclude a contract relating to the provision of childcare services required for its crèche/childcare facility located at Grange, Dunsany, County Meath, Ireland.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1 450 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: IE062 Mid-East

Main site or place of performance: The location is approximately 45 kilometres to the north-west of Dublin City. It is on the main road from Dublin to the town of Trim (R154).

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The facility accommodates the European Commission's Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety.

The contract is to provide childcare at the Grange site for a maximum of 32 children.

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: 1 450 000,00 EUR

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

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

One renewal of 12 months.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

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

Questions may only be submitted to the address provided in Section I.3. The final date for the submission of questions is 7 calendar days prior to the closing date as stated in Section IV.2.2. Applications must be submitted electronically to SANTE-IRL-CFT@ec.europa.eu

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

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.3. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

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: 31/07/2019 Local time: 12:00

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

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

Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 01/04/2020

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published:

2022-2023

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

VI.3. Additional information

(1) The attention of interested parties is drawn to the aim of this notice, i.e. to select candidates who will receive the specifications and be invited to tender. The procedure consists of 2 distinct phases. In the first phase, requests to participate sent in response to this notice will be appraised by a selection committee on the basis of the criteria indicated in the

procurement documents. All applicants who meet the standards indicated will be short-listed and subsequently invited to submit a tender. Applicants who are not short-listed after phase 1 will be informed of the reasons for their elimination from the procedure.

(2) NB: interested parties are requested to strictly observe the conditions stated in the procurement documents when submitting their request to participate. In addition, interested parties must:

— send their application before the deadline in point IV.2.2. Applications sent after the deadline in point IV.2.2 will be automatically rejected,

— enclose all the documents and information requested in the procurement documents.

Candidates must send their requests to participate to: SANTE-IRL-CFT@ec.europa.eu as stated in point I.1. All documents will be kept confidential and only the members of the selection committee will have access to these documents.

(3) Interested parties are requested to refrain from seeking further information at this stage. The website in point I.3 will be updated regularly and it is therefore the applicant's responsibility to check for updates and modifications during the tendering period.

(4) A visit to the Grange site will be arranged in order for short listed candidates to view the premises. However, no costs incurred by candidates in this regard can be reimbursed by the European Commission. A maximum of 3 representatives from any tenderer may participate in the site visit. Participation in a site visit is not obligatory.

(5) TUPE or the Transfer of Undertakings Directive of 1977, which became part of Irish law by the European Communities (Safeguarding of Employees' Rights on Transfer of Undertakings) Regulations, 1980, protects the rights of employees where the business in which they are employed is transferred to a new owner, and is applicable to this contract.

The key relevant legislation in Ireland includes:

— European Council Directive 2001/23/EC, introduced into Ireland as the European Communities (Protection of Employees on Transfer of Undertakings) Regulations SI 131/2003 — Annex VI,

— Employees (Provision of Information and Consultation) Act, 2006 — Annex VII.

(6) In line with Article 104(f) of the Financial Regulation and with Articles 104(f) and 134.1(e) and 134.4 to the rules of application to the Financial Regulation, the Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety reserves the right to negotiate with the eventual contractor(s) for new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works entrusted to the economic operator to which the same Contracting Authority awarded an original contract. When the institutions award contracts on their own account, that procedure may only be used during the performance of the original contract and at the latest during the 3 years following its signature.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Fax: +352 4303-2100

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: As in VI.4.1

Town: Luxembourg
Country: Luxembourg

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice
06/06/2019