

Ireland-Dublin: Pianos
OJ S 233/2015 02/12/2015
Contract notice
Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: National Concert Hall
National registration number: N/A
Postal address: Earlsfort Terrace
Town: Dublin
Country: Ireland
For the attention of: Barry Walsh
E-mail: barry.walsh@nch.ie
Telephone: +353 14170077

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: <http://www.nch.ie>

Address of the buyer profile: <http://irl.eu-supply.com/ctm/Supplier/CompanyInformation/Index/1275>

Electronic access to information: http://irl.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=94657&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE

Electronic submission of tenders and requests to participate: http://irl.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=94657&B=ETENDERS_SIMPLE

Additional information can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

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

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.3. Main activity

Recreation, culture and religion

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

Supply, Delivery and Maintenance of Two New Grand Pianos for the National Concert Hall, Dublin.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Supplies
Purchase
Main site or place of performance: Dublin.
NUTS code IE021 Dublin

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

The notice involves a public contract

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

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

The NCH is now engaging in a competitive process for the award of a Contract for the Supply, Delivery and Maintenance of Two New Grand Pianos. The total value of this contract is estimated to be below the EU threshold of EUR 207 000 (excl. VAT). As the contract is not subject to the Public Procurement Directives, the NCH has voluntarily advertised the contract in the Official Journal of the European Union (OJEU).

A derogation is being invoked for the choice of Steinway Pianos. This derogation, which is being invoked by analogy with Article 31 (1)(b) of Directive 2004/18/EC, is referred to expressly in Section 2.1.4 of Commission Interpretative Communication on the Community Law applicable to contract awards not or not fully subject to the provisions of the Public Procurement Directives (Doc 2006/C179/02).

The NCH requires the following goods to be delivered to the National Concert Hall, Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin 2.

— 1 No. Steinway Model D (8' 11 ¾" (274 cm)), heavy full-bodied black polyester (high polish) /ebonised for its Main Auditorium Stage. All hardware is to be solid brass.

— 1 No. Steinway Model B (6' 11" (211 cm)), heavy full-bodied black polyester (high polish) /ebonised for its Kevin Barry Room Recital Space. All hardware is to be solid brass.

The NCH requires that the successful supplier must be in a position to offer the NCH a choice of at least 6 Model D Concert Grands, one of which is to be selected by artists and/or piano technicians of the NCH's choosing.

The NCH also requires that the successful operator must be in a position to offer the NCH a choice of at least 4 Model B Music Room Grands, one of which is to be selected by artists and /or piano technicians of the NCH's choosing.

As part of the contract, the successful operator must provide ongoing Steinway approved specialist servicing, maintenance and repair to the highest level, in conjunction with the NCH piano technician, as befits a major international concert venue.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

37311100 Pianos, 37000000 Musical instruments, sport goods, games, toys, handicraft, art materials and accessories, 37300000 Musical instruments and parts, 50860000 Repair and maintenance services of musical instruments

II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.1.8. Lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

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The NCH requires that the successful supplier must be in a position to offer the NCH a choice of at least six (6) Model D Concert Grands, one of which is to be selected by artists and/or piano technicians of the NCH's choosing.

The NCH also requires that the successful operator must be in a position to offer the NCH a choice of at least four (4) Model B Music Room Grands, one of which is to be selected by artists and/or piano technicians of the NCH's choosing.

As part of the contract, the successful operator must provide ongoing Steinway approved specialist servicing, maintenance and repair to the highest level, in conjunction with the NCH piano technician, as befits a major international concert venue.

Estimated value excluding VAT: 203 000 EUR

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion

Duration in months: 006 (from the award of the contract)

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related 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 governing them

To be agreed with the successful tenderer.

III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

A grouping, if successful, may be required to contract as a single entity having joint and severable liability but subject to the agreement of the contracting parties. If it is proposed to sub-contract the delivery of any portion of the contract, it may be a condition of award of contract that both the service provider and any proposed sub-contractor enter simultaneously into a collateral warranty with the contracting authority for the relevant portion of that contract.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: Please refer to the Invitation to Tender document available to download from www.etenders.gov.ie. RFT ID: 101302.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: Please refer to the Invitation to Tender document available to download from www.etenders.gov.ie. RFT ID: 101302.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

Please refer to the Invitation to Tender document available to download from www.etenders.gov.ie. RFT ID: 101302.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

III.3.2. 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: no

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Negotiated

Some candidates have already been selected (if appropriate under certain types of negotiated procedures) no

IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated yes

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

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

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Payable documents: no

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

14.12.2015 - 12:00

IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English. Irish.

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

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

VI.3. Additional information

1. The fact of this notice being published should under no circumstances be taken as implying that any provisions contained in Directive 2004/18/EC will apply to this award procedure.

2. Interested parties must register their interest on the etenders website (www.etenders.gov.ie) in order to be included on the mailing list for clarifications. All information relating to attachments, including clarifications and changes will be published on the Irish Government procurement opportunities portal (www.etenders.gov.ie) only. Registration is free of charge.

3. This is the sole call for competition for this service.

4. The Contracting Authority will not be responsible for any costs, charges or expenses incurred by tenderers.

5. Contract award will be subject to the approval of the competent authorities.

6. It will be a condition of award that tenderers and their sub-contractors (if any) produce a valid tax clearance certificate from the Irish Revenue Commissioners and that they retain a fully valid certificate throughout the lifetime of the contract.

7. Award of contract will also be conditional upon formal written acceptance of the Contract Terms and Conditions.

8. If for any reason it is not possible to award the contract to the successful tenderer following the conclusion of the competitive process, the contracting authority reserves the right to award the contract to the next highest scoring tenderer during the period of validity of tenders. This shall be without prejudice to the right of the contracting authority to cancel this competitive process and/or initiate a new contract award procedure at its sole discretion.

9. If having entered into a contract as a result of this competitive process, the Contracting Authority deems that the successful tenderer has failed to deliver the required goods, the Contracting Authority reserves the right to award the contract to the next highest scoring tenderer identified through the evaluation of tender submissions. This shall be without prejudice to the right of the Contracting Authority to terminate this competitive process at any time or to terminate any framework awarded as a result of this competition.

10. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to successively reduce the number of operators during this negotiated procedure.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The High Court
Postal address: Four Courts, Inns Quay
Town: Dublin
Postal code: 7
Country: Ireland

VI.4.2. Review procedure

VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Your Legal Advisor
Country: Ireland

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

27.11.2015