Tender Information

Procuring

: Education Bureau

Bureau

Tender Reference : L/M (2) in EDB(SES2)/3-5/1/6 (24)

Subject

: Provision of Services for the Basic, Advanced and/or Thematic Courses for Teacher Professional Development on Catering for Students with Special Educational Needs for the 2024/25, 2025/26 and 2026/27 School Years

Enquiry

Special Education Support 2 Section,

Special Education Division,

Education Bureau

Room E201, 2/F, East Block,

Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre,

19 Suffolk Road,

Kowloon Tong, Kowloon,

Hong Kong

[Attn.: Senior Inspector (Special Education Support 2)1]

Tel.: (852) 3698 3705 Fax: (852) 2574 7954

Closing

19 April 2024 (Friday) at 12:00 noon (Hong Kong time). Late tenders will

Date and not be accepted.

Time

Submission : For electronic tendering, tenderers can submit tenders through the eof Tenders : Tendering System ('e-TS') before the tender closing time (https://www.ets.gov.hk/eTp_ext/views/tenderDtlsDirect.zul?token=a79facc

7b6338c964a0a58e30ebf886ed8ed3d4c4338d2c1f60c842b1266c148).

For paper-based tendering, tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tender on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication which may relate the tender to the tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Central Tender Board, and deposited in the Government Secretariat Tender Box situated at Lobby of the Public Entrance on the Ground Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong before 12:00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the closing date of the tender as stated above. Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. Late tenders and tenders not deposited in the Specified Tender Box will not be accepted.

In case Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or "extreme conditions" announced by the Government is/are in force for any duration between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the tender closing date, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12:00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the first working day after the Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 is lowered, or the Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or the "extreme conditions" announced by the Government has/have ceased to be in force.

In case of blockage of the public access to the location of the Specified Tender Box at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the tender closing date, the Government will announce extension of the tender closing time until further notice. Following removal of the blockage, the Government will announce the extended tender closing time as soon as practicable. The above announcements will be made via press releases on the website of Information Services Department (https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm).

Tender Briefing Session A tender briefing session will be conducted in Cantonese at 11:00 a.m. (Hong Kong time) on 11 March 2024 (Monday) at Room WP01A, Podium Floor, West Block, Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong. Tenderers who wish to attend the briefing session can nominate at most two representatives and complete the reply slip provided in the tender documents. Tenderers are requested to return the completed reply slip by fax no. (852) 2574 7954 to the Permanent Secretary for Education [Attn.: Inspector (Special Education Support 2)4] on or before 7 March 2024 (Thursday). For details, please refer to Paragraph 37 in Part 3 of the tender documents.

Collection of Tender Documents

Tender documents can be downloaded from e-TS: https://www.ets.gov.hk/eTp_ext/views/tenderDtlsDirect.zul?token=a79facc7
b6338c964a0a58e30ebf886ed8ed3d4c4338d2c1f60c842b1266c148.

Please visit

Please visit (https://www.gov.hk/tc/theme/etendering/downloads/video/Introduction.mp
4) for the introduction video of e-TS for more details. User manuals and videos are also available in e-TS to guide tenderer through the operating process. If a tenderer encounters any technical problems on the use of e-TS, please contact the helpdesk of e-TS through email at (info@ets.gov.hk) or by

phone at (852) 6310 9329.

Tender documents on compact discs are obtainable from the Special Education Support 2 Section, Special Education Division, Education Bureau at Room E201, 2/F, East Block, Education Bureau Kowloon Tong Education Services Centre, 19 Suffolk Road, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong (Tel.: (852) 3698 3727, Fax: (852) 2574 7954).

Limited quantity of the tender documents on compact discs is also available in the following offices for collection: -

(a) The Central and Western Home Affairs Enquiry Centre Ground Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong (Tel.: (852) 2189 2819); and

(b) The Yau Tsim Mong Home Affairs Enquiry Centre Ground Floor, Mong Kok Government Offices, 30 Luen Wan Street, Mong Kok, Kowloon

(Tel.: (852) 2399 2111).

Tenderers are advised to call the above Home Affairs Enquiry Centres to check the availability of the tender documents beforehand. In case the tender documents have been run out in the Home Affairs Enquiry Centres, tenderers are requested to collect the tender documents direct from the Special Education Support 2 Section, Special Education Division of the Education Bureau at the address stated above.

Remarks Open tendering is adopted. All interested contractors/suppliers/service providers are invited to tender.

> This tender is NOT covered by the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization and will not involve electronic auction.

> The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the tender with the highest combined score or any tender. and reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of its offer.

> Details of the award of the contract will be published on the Internet at (https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk/iprod/#/scn00101).