TENDER NOTICE

Tender Reference	:	GD/HL/0124
Procuring Department	:	Marine Department
Subject	:	Tender for the Letting of Three Tugs (270 kWs or above) to Provide Marine Transport Services, and for Towing, Pushing and Mooring Vessels and Recovery of Wreck Buoys

Description : This is an open tender invitation for the Letting of Three Tugs (270 kWs or above) to Provide Marine Transport Services, and for Towing, Pushing and Mooring Vessels and Recovery of Wreck Buoys for a period of twenty-four (24) months. The tender documents are obtainable from the Administration Unit (GFD), Room A206, 2nd Floor, Block A, Government Dockyard, Ngong Shung Road, Stonecutters Island, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, Hong Kong.

The tender documents may also be downloaded from the eTender Box (ETB) of the Procurement and Contract Management System (PCMS). For more information, please refer to the website of Government Logistics Department PCMS (https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk).

Contact : Administration Unit (GFD), Room A206, 2nd Floor, Block A, Government Dockyard, Ngong Shung Road, Stonecutters Island, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, Hong Kong.

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Closing Date / Time : Before 12:00 noon (Hong Kong Time), Monday, 29 January 2024.

Submission of Tender : Paper-based Tendering

Tenders must be prepared and submitted in two separate envelopes as "Envelope A" and "Envelope B" for "Price Information" and "Technical Proposal" respectively as specified in Clause 4 of Part II Terms of Tender of the tender documents. 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, Tender Opening Committee, Government Logistics Department" and deposited in the Government Logistics Department Tender Box situated on the Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong, before 12:00 noon (Hong Kong Time), on 29 January 2024 (Monday). Late tenders or submission by fax, or tenders not deposited in the specified tender box will not be accepted.

Electronic Tendering

Tenderers submitting tender via the e-Tender Box (ETB) must be through the use of an Identification Code or any one type of digital certificates recognised by and uploaded to the ETB. For more information about e-tendering, please refer to the website of Government Logistics Department PCMS (https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk). Tenderers should allow sufficient time for complete data transmission before 12:00 noon (Hong Kong Time) on 29 January 2024 (Monday) when submitting their Tenders via the ETB as specified in Clause 3 of Part II Terms of Tender of the tender documents. Late tenders will not be accepted

Remarks : 1. In case Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or "extreme conditions after super typhoons" announced by the Government is/are in force for any duration between 09:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon on the tender closing date, the tender closing time will be extended to 12:00 noon on the next working day.

2. 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 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 (http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm).

3. The tender is not covered by the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization (WTO GPA).

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

5. All time references are Hong Kong time.