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**UK-Reading: school catering services
2011/S 245-397250**

Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name, addresses and contact point(s)

Reading Borough Council
Civic Offices
RG1 7AE Reading
UNITED KINGDOM
Telephone: +44 1189372945
E-mail: corporate.procurement@reading.gov.uk
Fax: +44 1189372278

Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: www.reading.gov.uk

I.2) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.3) Main activity

General public services
Environment
Housing and community amenities
Social protection
Recreation, culture and religion
Education

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

Provision of Catering Service for Schools.

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

Services
Service category No 17: Hotel and restaurant services
NUTS code UKJ11

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

II.1.4) Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

School catering services. School-meal services. School meals. Catering services. Canteen and catering services. Appointment of a contractor for the provision of a catering service to approximately 47 schools,

comprising of nursery, infant, junior, primary, secondary, academy and specialist schools within the administrative borough boundary of Reading.

II.1.5) **Common procurement vocabulary (CPV)**

55524000, 55523100, 15894210, 55520000, 55500000

II.1.6) **Information about Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The contract is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): no

II.2) **Total final value of contract(s)**

II.2.1) **Total final value of contract(s)**

Value: 14 750 000 GBP

Excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) **Type of procedure**

IV.1.1) **Type of procedure**

Restricted

IV.2) **Award criteria**

IV.2.1) **Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

Menus & quality delivery. Weighting 30

Marketing, publicity and promotions. Weighting 10

Safeguarding. Weighting 9

Business continuity (7 %) and consultation (6 %). Weighting 13

Health and safety. Weighting 5

Staff wellbeing and development. Weighting 4

Complaint management (3 %) and resource structure (2 %). Weighting 5

Sustainability. Weighting 2

Mobilisation. Weighting 2

Pricing. Weighting 20

IV.2.2) **Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

IV.3) **Administrative information**

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

Contract No. SC090

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

Prior information notice

Notice number in the OJEU: [2010/S 189-288967](#) of 29.9.2010

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJEU: [2011/S 72-118422](#) of 13.4.2011

Section V: Award of contract

V.1) **Date of contract award decision:**

12.12.2011

V.2) **Information about offers**

Number of offers received: 5

- V.3) **Name and address of economic operator in favour of whom the contract award decision has been taken**
Compass Group UK & Ireland Limited (Trading as Chartwells)
Compass House, Guildford Street
KT16 9BQ Chertsey
UNITED KINGDOM
E-mail: robin.mills@compass-group.co.uk
Telephone: +44 1932573000
Fax: +44 1932569956
- V.4) **Information on value of contract**
Initial estimated total value of the contract:
Value: 13 500 000 GBP
Excluding VAT
Total final value of the contract:
Value: 14 750 000 GBP
Excluding VAT
- V.5) **Information about subcontracting**
The contract is likely to be sub-contracted: no

Section VI: Complementary information

- VI.1) **Information about European Union funds**
The contract is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no
- VI.2) **Additional information:**
The contract term will commence on 1.8.2012 and will be for an initial period of 4 years with an option to extend, which will be exercised at the discretion of the contracting authority, for up to a potential extension period of 2 periods of 2 years each (being an aggregate 48 months maximum extension).
The contract will be up to a potential value of 14 750 000 GBP, however this will depend on the Council's schools portfolio and actual meals uptake which is likely to vary over the contract term.
GO Reference: GO-20111216-PRO-2808219.
- VI.3) **Procedures for appeal**
- VI.3.1) **Body responsible for appeal procedures**
Reading Borough Council
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RG1 7AE Reading
UNITED KINGDOM
E-mail: smmp@reading.gov.uk
Telephone: +44 1189373607
Fax: +44 1189372675
- VI.3.2) **Lodging of appeals**
Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals: In accordance with Regulation 32 (information about contract award procedures and the application of standstill period prior to contract award) and Regulation 47 (enforcement of obligations) of the United Kingdom's Public Contracts Regulations 2006 as amended by the Public Contracts (Amendment) Regulations 2009. Reading Borough Council has already incorporated a ten (10) day standstill period at the point the information on award of contract was communicated to all tenderers.
- VI.3.3) **Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained**
- VI.4) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

16.12.2011