

IRELAND: BUSES AND COACHES

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM FOR THE PURCHASE AND OR LEASE OF BUSES AND COACHES

Contract or concession notice – standard regime

1 Buyer

1.1 Buyer

Official name: Bus Éireann/Irish Bus

Legal type of the buyer: Organisation awarding a contract subsidised by a central government authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

Activity of the contracting entity: Urban railway, tramway, trolleybus or bus services

2 Procedure

2.1 Procedure

Title: Qualification System for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches

Description: Bus Éireann intends to procure low emission coaches and schools buses, and where possible zero-emission coaches with low environmental impact in compliance with the latest EURO VI Regulation. The vehicles will comply, as appropriate, with the EPA's guidelines on road transport vehicles and the European Communities (Clean and Energy Efficient Road Transport Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2021. To be considered for inclusion on a Qualification Panel(s), applicants must complete the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) providing relevant details in relation to the criteria set out below for assessment. It is envisaged that this qualification system will be used to either purchase and or lease during the five-year term of the Qualification System. Economic operators apply once to qualify onto the panel by providing details of their financial and technical capacity against predefined published Selection Criteria within a PQQ. The Qualification Panel for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches will be broken down in to sub categories called Lot 1 – Purchase of Buses and Coaches, and Lot 2 – Lease of Buses and Coaches. Economic operators can apply for the Lot(s) that best reflect their commercial operations. Economic operators must complete a PQQ for the Lot(s) that they wish to qualify to. Only economic operators who satisfy the selection criteria of each individual Lot will qualify on to that Lot. After the initial advertisement, the panel must be advertised annually for the duration of the panel (5 years) to continually inform the market place of its existence. Economic Operators can apply to qualify on to the panel, throughout the duration of the panel. Economic Operators who are already qualified to the panel can also amend their application at any interval should their financial or technical capacity or capability change. Qualifying onto a panel does not guarantee any work and/or contracts to a supplier. There is no obligation to use the Qualification Panel and contracts can be advertised on an individual basis using the Negotiated Procedure.

Procedure identifier: 7ed0c504-7e90-4551-a293-ff719a2b6115

Type of procedure: Negotiated with prior publication of a call for competition / competitive with negotiation

The procedure is accelerated: no

2.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Additional nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 34121000 Buses and coaches

Additional classification (cpv): 34121500 Coaches

2.1.3 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 000 Euro

2.1.4 General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

2.1.5 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Maximum number of lots for which one tenderer can submit tenders: 4

The tenderer must submit tenders for all lots

Terms of contract:

Maximum number of lots for which contracts can be awarded to one tenderer: 4

5 Lot

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0001

Title: Purchase of Expressway Coaches

Description: Bus Éireann intends to procure low emission coaches and schools buses, and where possible zero-emission coaches with low environmental impact in compliance with the latest EURO VI Regulation. The vehicles will comply, as appropriate, with the EPA's guidelines on road transport vehicles and the European Communities (Clean and Energy Efficient Road Transport Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2021. To be considered for inclusion on a Qualification Panel(s), applicants must complete the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) providing relevant details in relation to the criteria set out below for assessment. It is envisaged that this qualification system will be used to either purchase and or lease during the five-year term of the Qualification System. Economic operators apply once to qualify onto the panel by providing details of their financial and technical capacity against predefined published Selection Criteria within a PQQ. The Qualification Panel for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches will be broken down in to sub categories called Lot 1 – Purchase of Buses and Coaches, and Lot 2 – Lease of Buses and Coaches. Economic operators can apply for the Lot(s) that best reflect their commercial operations. Economic operators must complete a PQQ for the Lot(s) that they wish to qualify to. Only economic operators who satisfy the selection criteria of each individual Lot will qualify on to that Lot. After the initial advertisement, the panel must be advertised annually for the duration of the panel (5 years) to continually inform the market place of its existence. Economic Operators can apply to qualify on to the panel, throughout the duration of the panel. Economic Operators who are already qualified to the panel can also amend their application at any interval should their financial or technical capacity or capability change. Qualifying onto a panel does not guarantee any work and/or contracts to a supplier. There is no obligation to use the Qualification Panel and contracts can be advertised on an individual basis using the Negotiated Procedure.

Internal identifier: 1

5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Additional nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 34121000 Buses and coaches

Additional classification (cpv): 34121500 Coaches

5.1.4 Renewal

Maximum renewals: 0

5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 000 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

The procurement falls within the scope of the European Parliament and Council 2009/33/EC (Clean Vehicles Directive – CVD)

5.1.9 Selection criteria

Criterion:

Type: Other

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

Address of the procurement documents: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/listContractDocuments.do?resourceId=3584843>

5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://buseireann.cso.coupahost.com/>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 31/05/2029 12:00 +01:00

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: Non Applicable

Financial arrangement: As per documentation

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

Electronic auction: no

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation processing tenders: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

TED eSender: European Dynamics S.A.

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0002

Title: Lease of Expressway Coaches

Description: Bus Éireann intends to procure low emission coaches and schools buses, and where possible zero-emission coaches with low environmental impact in compliance with the latest EURO VI Regulation. The vehicles will comply, as appropriate, with the EPA's guidelines on road transport vehicles and the European Communities (Clean and Energy Efficient Road Transport Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2021. To be considered for inclusion on a Qualification Panel(s), applicants must complete the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) providing relevant details

in relation to the criteria set out below for assessment. It is envisaged that this qualification system will be used to either purchase and or lease during the five-year term of the Qualification System. Economic operators apply once to qualify onto the panel by providing details of their financial and technical capacity against predefined published Selection Criteria within a PQQ. The Qualification Panel for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches will be broken down in to sub categories called Lot 1 – Purchase of Buses and Coaches, and Lot 2 – Lease of Buses and Coaches. Economic operators can apply for the Lot(s) that best reflect their commercial operations. Economic operators must complete a PQQ for the Lot(s) that they wish to qualify to. Only economic operators who satisfy the selection criteria of each individual Lot will qualify on to that Lot. After the initial advertisement, the panel must be advertised annually for the duration of the panel (5 years) to continually inform the market place of its existence. Economic Operators can apply to qualify on to the panel, throughout the duration of the panel. Economic Operators who are already qualified to the panel can also amend their application at any interval should their financial or technical capacity or capability change. Qualifying onto a panel does not guarantee any work and/or contracts to a supplier. There is no obligation to use the Qualification Panel and contracts can be advertised on an individual basis using the Negotiated Procedure.

Internal identifier: 2

5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Additional nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 34121000 Buses and coaches

Additional classification (cpv): 34121500 Coaches

5.1.4 Renewal

Maximum renewals: 0

5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 000 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

The procurement falls within the scope of the European Parliament and Council 2009/33/EC (Clean Vehicles Directive – CVD)

5.1.9 Selection criteria

Criterion:

Type: Other

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

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5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://buseireann.cso.coupahost.com/>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 31/05/2029 12:00 +01:00

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: Non Applicable

Financial arrangement: As per documents

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

Electronic auction: no

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation processing tenders: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

TED eSender: European Dynamics S.A.

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0003

Title: Purchase of School Buses and Coaches

Description: Bus Éireann intends to procure low emission coaches and schools buses, and where possible zero-emission coaches with low environmental impact in compliance with the latest EURO VI Regulation. The vehicles will comply, as appropriate, with the EPA's guidelines on road transport vehicles and the European Communities (Clean and Energy Efficient Road Transport Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2021. To be considered for inclusion on a Qualification Panel(s), applicants must complete the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) providing relevant details in relation to the criteria set out below for assessment. It is envisaged that this qualification system will be used to either purchase and or lease during the five-year term of the Qualification System. Economic operators apply once to qualify onto the panel by providing details of their financial and technical capacity against predefined published Selection Criteria within a PQQ. The Qualification Panel for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches will be broken down in to sub categories called Lot 1 – Purchase of Buses and Coaches, and Lot 2 – Lease of Buses and Coaches. Economic operators can apply for the Lot(s) that best reflect their commercial operations. Economic operators must complete a PQQ for the Lot(s) that they wish to qualify to. Only economic operators who satisfy the selection criteria of each individual Lot will qualify on to that Lot. After the initial advertisement, the panel must be advertised annually for the duration of the panel (5 years) to continually inform the market place of its existence. Economic Operators can apply to qualify on to the panel, throughout the duration of the panel. Economic Operators who are already qualified to the panel can also amend their application at any interval should their financial or technical capacity or capability change. Qualifying onto a panel does not guarantee any work and/or contracts to a supplier. There is no obligation to use the Qualification Panel and contracts can be advertised on an individual basis using the Negotiated Procedure.

Internal identifier: 3

5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Additional nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 34121000 Buses and coaches

Additional classification (cpv): 34121500 Coaches

5.1.4 Renewal

Maximum renewals: 0

5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 000 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

The procurement falls within the scope of the European Parliament and Council 2009/33/EC (Clean Vehicles Directive – CVD)

5.1.9 Selection criteria

Criterion:

Type: Other

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

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5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://buseireann.cso.coupahost.com/>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 31/05/2029 12:00 +01:00

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: Non Applicable

Financial arrangement: As per PQQ

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

Electronic auction: no

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation processing tenders: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

TED eSender: European Dynamics S.A.

5.1 Lot technical ID: LOT-0004

Title: Lease of School Buses and Coaches

Description: Bus Éireann intends to procure low emission coaches and schools buses, and where possible zero-emission coaches with low environmental impact in compliance with the latest EURO VI Regulation. The vehicles will comply, as appropriate, with the EPA's guidelines on road transport vehicles and the European Communities (Clean and Energy Efficient Road Transport Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2021. To be considered for inclusion on a Qualification Panel(s), applicants must complete the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire (PQQ) providing relevant details in relation to the criteria set out below for assessment. It is envisaged that this qualification system will be used to either purchase and or lease during the five-year term of the Qualification System. Economic operators apply once to qualify onto the panel by providing details of their financial and technical capacity against predefined published Selection Criteria within a PQQ. The Qualification Panel for the Purchase and or Lease of Buses and Coaches will be broken down in to sub categories called Lot 1 – Purchase of Buses and Coaches, and Lot 2 – Lease of Buses and Coaches. Economic operators can apply for the Lot(s) that best reflect their commercial operations. Economic operators must complete a PQQ for the Lot(s) that they wish to qualify to. Only economic operators who satisfy the selection criteria of each individual Lot will qualify on to that Lot. After the initial advertisement, the panel must be advertised annually for the duration of the panel (5 years) to continually inform the market place of its existence. Economic Operators can apply to qualify on to the panel, throughout the duration of the panel. Economic Operators who are already qualified to the panel can also amend their application at any interval should their financial or technical capacity or capability change. Qualifying onto a panel does not guarantee any work and/or contracts to a supplier. There is no obligation to use the Qualification Panel and contracts can be advertised on an individual basis using the Negotiated Procedure.

Internal identifier: 4

5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Supplies

Additional nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 34121000 Buses and coaches

Additional classification (cpv): 34121500 Coaches

5.1.4 Renewal

Maximum renewals: 0

5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 120 000 000 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

The procurement falls within the scope of the European Parliament and Council 2009/33/EC (Clean Vehicles Directive – CVD)

5.1.9 Selection criteria

Criterion:

Type: Other

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

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Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 31/05/2029 12:00 +01:00

Terms of contract:

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

Conditions relating to the performance of the contract: Non Applicable

Financial arrangement: As per documents

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

Electronic auction: no

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Organisation processing tenders: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

TED eSender: European Dynamics S.A.

8 Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001

Official name: Bus Eireann/Irish Bus

Registration number: 119570

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Buyer profile: <http://www.buseireann.ie>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing additional information about the procurement procedure

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

Organisation receiving requests to participate

Organisation processing tenders

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: The High Court of Ireland
Registration number: The High Court of Ireland
Department: The High Court of Ireland
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Roles of this organisation:
Review organisation

8.1 ORG-0003

Official name: European Dynamics S.A.
Registration number: 002024901000
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Country: Greece
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Telephone: +30 2108094500
Roles of this organisation:
TED eSender

11 Notice information

11.1 Notice information

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11.2 Publication information