

Ireland: Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services

Provision of Hot School Meals Scheme at Ballinagore Mixed NS

Contract or concession award notice – standard regime

1 Buyer

1.1 Buyer

Official name: Ballinagore Mixed NS

Legal type of the buyer: Body governed by public law

Activity of the contracting authority: Education

2 Procedure

2.1 Procedure

Title: Provision of Hot School Meals Scheme at Ballinagore Mixed NS

Description: Provision of the Hot School Meals Scheme to the school. The catering supplier will be required to prepare, deliver, and distribute hot, nutritious meals to the pupils daily during the school term. All meals provided must strictly comply with the nutritional standards and food safety guidelines established by the Department of Social Protection. The contract scope covers the daily meal requirements for the student body for the specified contract duration.

Procedure identifier: 9637d8d0-905b-4c91-8149-1d9275c48994

Internal identifier: 6513892

Type of procedure: Open

Main features of the procedure: This procurement process was conducted as a single-stage Open Procedure for the provision of Hot School Meals. The competition was advertised publicly on eTenders to ensure equal treatment, non-discrimination, and transparency. Tenders were evaluated based on the minimum suitability criteria and the award criteria set out in the published request for tender (RFT) documents. Full rules and governance for the procedure are maintained in accordance with national public procurement guidelines and Department of Social Protection scheme rules.

2.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 55000000 Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services

2.1.2 Place of performance

Postal address: Ballinagore, Mullingar, Co. Westmeath, N91 XF57

Town: Ballinagore, Co. Westmeath

Postcode: N91 XF57

Country subdivision (NUTS): Midland (IE063)

Country: Ireland

Additional information: All deliveries of hot meals must be made directly to the main school building daily during the school term, arriving before the scheduled lunch break in accordance with school requirements.

2.1.3 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 50 905,6 Euro

2.1.4 General information

Legal basis:

5 Lot

5.1 Lot: LOT-0001

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Internal identifier: 1

5.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 55000000 Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services

Quantity: 1 piece

5.1.2 Place of performance

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5.1.5 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 50 905,6 Euro

5.1.6 General information

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

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

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: No strategic procurement

5.1.10 Award criteria

Criterion:

Type: Price

Description: Cost per meal as submitted in the financial tender response.

Description of the method to be used if weighting cannot be expressed by criteria: Not applicable. Standard linear weighting is applied directly to each individual criterion as outlined in the published tender documents.

Justification for not indicating the weighting of the award criteria: Not applicable. The exact percentage weightings for all award criteria were fully indicated and detailed within the published Request for Tender (RFT) documents.

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation signing the contract: Ballinagore Mixed NS

6 Results

Value of all contracts awarded in this notice: 50 905,6 Euro

6.1 Result lot identifier: LOT-0001

At least one winner was chosen.

6.1.2 Information about winners

Winner:

Official name: The Lunch Bag

Tender:

Tender identifier: The Lunch Bag

Identifier of lot or group of lots: LOT-0001

Value of the tender: 50 905,6 Euro

The tender was ranked: no

Subcontracting: Not yet known

Contract information:

Identifier of the contract: The Lunch Bag

Date of the conclusion of the contract: 23/02/2026

Organisation signing the contract: Ballinagore Mixed NS

6.1.4 Statistical information

Received tenders or requests to participate:

Type of received submissions: Tenders from micro, small or medium tenderers

Number of tenders or requests to participate received: 1

8 Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001

Official name: Ballinagore Mixed NS

Registration number: 16340N

Department: Department of Education

Postal address: Ballinagore, Mullingar, Co. Westmeath, N91 XF57

Town: Mullingar

Postcode: N91XF57

Country subdivision (NUTS): Midland (IE063)

Country: Ireland

Email: school.ballinagore@gmail.com

Telephone: 0579332165

Buyer profile: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation signing the contract

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: The High Court of Ireland

Registration number: The High Court of Ireland

Department: The High Court of Ireland

Postal address: Four Courts, Inns Quay, Dublin 7

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D07 WDX8

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: HighCourtCentralOffice@courts.ie

Telephone: +353 1 8886000

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1 ORG-0003

Official name: European Dynamics S.A.

Registration number: 002024901000

Department: European Dynamics S.A.

Town: Athens

Postcode: 15125

Country subdivision (NUTS): Βόρειος Τομέας Αθηνών (EL301)

Country: Greece

Email: eproc-esender@eurodyn.com

Telephone: +30 2108094500

Roles of this organisation:

TED eSender

8.1 ORG-0004

Official name: The Lunch Bag

Size of the economic operator: Medium

Registration number: 703524

Postal address: 21 Lisbunny Industrial Estate, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, E45 VP48

Town: Nenagh, Co. Tipperary

Postcode: E45 VP48

Country subdivision (NUTS): Mid-West (IE051)

Country: Ireland

Email: info@thelunchbag.ie

Telephone: 0433362038

Roles of this organisation:

Tenderer

Winner of these lots: LOT-0001

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