

It is hereby notified that sealed tender in triplicate is invited for the following:—

| <i>Tender Reference</i> | <i>Description</i> | <i>Estimated Quantity</i> | <i>Closing Date and Time</i> |
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| DH DS003/2016 | Hiring of Chartered Bus Service for the School Dental Clinics of the Department of Health for a period of 34 months | One job | 16.6.2017 (12.00 noon) |

The above tender is covered by the World Trade Organization Agreement on Government Procurement (WTO GPA) and will not involve electronic auction. This notice also serves as a summary notice required under WTO GPA.

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

Tender forms and further information are obtained from Dental Service Central Office, Department of Health, 7th Floor, MacLehose Dental Centre, 286 Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hong Kong (Tel.: (852) 2658 8510; Fax No.: (852) 2575 0632).

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 Logistics Department Tender Box situated at the Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong before 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the closing date of the tender as stated above. Late tenders will not be accepted. If a Black Rainstorm Warning Signal or Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above is in force at any time between 9.00 am and 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the closing date of the tender as stated above, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on the first working day after the Black Rainstorm Warning Signal has ceased to be in effect or the Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 is lowered.

In order to facilitate the tenderers to have a clear understanding on the relevant tendering and contractual requirement, a briefing session will be held on 31 May 2017. For details, please refer to the tender documents.

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

Details of the award of this contract will be published on the Internet at (http://www.gld.gov.hk/eng/services_2_c.htm).

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