

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate are invited for **Contract No. CV/2023/05—Operation and Maintenance of Public Fill Reception Facilities at Chai Wan and Mui Wo (2023–2028)**. The works include operation and maintenance of the Chai Wan Public Fill Barging Point and Mui Wo Temporary Public Fill Reception Facilities. The works are scheduled to commence in May 2023 and will take about 60 months to complete.

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, Public Works Tender Board and placed in Public Works Tender Box located at Room 503, 5/F., Low Block, Queensway Government Offices, 66 Queensway, Hong Kong, before 12.00 noon on Friday, 17 February 2023. Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. Late tenders and tenders not deposited in the Specified Tender Box will not be accepted. If tropical cyclone 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 at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on Friday, 17 February 2023, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day after the tropical cyclone signal No. 8 is lowered, or the black rainstorm warning signal or the 'extreme conditions after super typhoons' announced by the Government has/have ceased to be in force. 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 Friday, 17 February 2023, 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 (<https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm>).

Forms of tender and further particulars are obtainable from Mr. George LAW, Chief Engineer/Fill Management, Fill Management Division, Civil Engineering and Development Department at 5th Floor, Civil Engineering and Development Building, 101 Princess Margaret Road, Ho Man Tin, Kowloon, Hong Kong (Telephone No.: (852) 2762 5555; Fax No.: (852) 2714 0113; Email Address: georgetclaw@cedd.gov.hk).

Selective tendering is adopted. Contractors on the List of Approved Contractors for Public Works in Group B under the Site Formation Category who also meet the qualifications and conditions for participation stipulated in the tender documents are invited to tender.

Contractors will be liable to have their names removed from the approved list(s) if they fail or refuse to implement an accepted tender.

A charge will be levied for delivery of tender documents where the delivery of tender documents is requested by a tenderer. A written request must be made.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept any tender irrespective of whether the tender is the lowest bid or where the assessment of tenders is based on a marking scheme or formula approach, the tender with the highest overall score.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region 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 (<https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk/>).

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