

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders are **invited for the agreement for management, operation and maintenance of Austin Road Cross Boundary Coach Terminus (Tender Reference: TD(T) 9/2022)**. The duration of the agreement shall be four (4) years commencing on 13 August 2023 or on a date the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region shall specify by notice.

The tender documents are obtainable during office hours from 24 February 2023 (Friday) from Business Management Section of the Transport Department at 14th Floor, South Tower, West Kowloon Government Offices, 11 Hoi Ting Road, Yau Ma Tei, Kowloon (Tel.: 3842 5868; Fax: 2877 5768) or may be downloaded from the e-Tender Box ('ETB') of the Procurement and Contract Management System ('PCMS') of the Government Logistics Department at (<https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk>).

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, Tender Opening Committee, Government Logistics Department, and placed in the Government Logistics Department Tender Box situated on the Ground Floor of the North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong before 12.00 noon on Monday, 17 April 2023 (Hong Kong time). Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. For electronic tendering, transmission of a tender through the ETB shall be successfully completed in accordance with the requirement of the ETB before the Tender Closing Time. Information about e-tendering is available on ETB website: (<https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk>). Late tenders or 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 17 April 2023 (Monday), the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) 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 (Hong Kong time) on 17 April 2023 (Monday), 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 (<http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm>).

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

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

Details of the award of this agreement will be published on the Internet at ([http://www.gld.gov.hk/eng/services\\_2\\_c.htm](http://www.gld.gov.hk/eng/services_2_c.htm)).

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