

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

<i>Tender Reference</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Closing Date and Time</i>
PTCSU012019	Supply of Safe Mattresses to the Correctional Services Department	28.10.2019 (12.00 noon)

Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in the tender documents ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. Late tenders and tenders not deposited in the Specified Tender Box will not be accepted.

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 the tender closing date, 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 the Information Services Department (<http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm>).

This 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.

The tender documents are also obtainable from:—

- The Central Supplies Unit, Correctional Services Department, Unit 2004-9, 20th Floor, Honour Industrial Centre, 6 Sun Yip Street, Chai Wan, Hong Kong (Tel.: 2718 8774; Fax: 2870 0563);
- The Central and Western Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Ground Floor, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong (Tel.: 2189 2819); and
- The Yau Tsim Mong Home Affairs Enquiry Centre, Ground Floor, Mong Kok Government Offices, 30 Luen Wan Street, Kowloon (Tel.: 2399 2111).

Further particulars in connection with the above tender invitation may be obtained from Senior Supplies Officer (Central Supplies), Correctional Services Department, Unit 2004-9, 20th Floor, Honour Industrial Centre, 6 Sun Yip Street, Chai Wan, Hong Kong (Tel.: 2554 2483; Fax.: 2870 0563).

Additional information is also available on the Internet at the following address:—

http://www.csd.gov.hk/english/tender/other_tender.html

A briefing session will be held at 1000 hours on 25 September 2019 at Wanchai Tower, 12 Harbour Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong and a site visit will be held at Hei Ling Chau Island and assemble point will be at Central Ferry Pier 6 at 0900 hours on 26 September 2019. Tenderers who wish to attend the briefing session/site visit can nominate not more than two representatives and complete the Reply Slip(s) at Annex A and Annex B to the Terms of Tender (Supplement) for briefing session and site visit respectively in the tender documents. Tenderers are requested to fax the completed Reply Slip to the Commissioner of Correctional Services (Attn.: EO(SRW)2) on or before 1700 hours, 23 September 2019 and 1700 hours, 24 September 2019 for briefing session and site visit respectively.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender (or the highest combined score for a tender adopting a marking scheme) or any tender, and reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer the terms of its offer.

Details of the contract award will be published on the Internet at the following address:—

<https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk/iprod/#/scn00101>

Remarks: In case Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted or Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is in force for any duration between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on the tender closing date, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day after the Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 is lowered or the Black Rainstorm Warning Signal has ceased to be in effect.

All time references are Hong Kong time.

13 September 2019

WOO Ying-ming Commissioner of Correctional Services