It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in triplicate are invited for the Tender for Provision of Service for Evaluating the Emission Performance of Euro IV and V Double Deck Franchised Buses Retrofitted with Enhanced Selective Catalytic Reduction Systems (Tender Ref.: MS19040).

Tenders must be clearly marked with 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 tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Tender Opening Committee, Government Logistics Department before 12.00 noon (Hong Kong Time) on 21 January 2020. Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') situated on Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 333 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong 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 (Hong Kong Time) on the tender closing date, 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 rainsform 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 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 Information Services Department (http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm).

Forms of tenders and further particulars are obtainable from the Supplies Section, Environmental Protection Department at 5th Floor., Chinachem Exchange Square, 1 Hoi Wan Street, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong (Tel. No. (852) 2963 9472, Fax No. (852) 2856 5587).

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

https://www.epd.gov.hk/epd/english/business\_job/business\_opp/tender.html

A tender must include relevant documents to demonstrate full compliance with all requirements described in Clauses 2 and 16 of the Terms of Tender (Supplement). Any tender that fails to do so shall not be considered.

Open tendering is adopted. All interested contractors/suppliers/service providers are invited to tender. The qualifications/conditions for participation and other tender requirements are stipulated in the Terms of Tender and Terms of Tender (Supplement) in the tender documents.

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

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept the tender with the highest overall 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 contract will be published on the Internet at (https://pcms2.gld.gov. hk).

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