LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 800 or 800A

Terminal Points: Melvich - Bettyhill (Farr High School)

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 2 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 800 - Any compliant bus or coach.

800A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of pupils between Melvich and Farr High School.

 Estimated number: 17

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 802 or 802A

Terminal Points: Durness - Thurso or Tongue

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 2 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 802 - Any compliant bus or coach.

802A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: None

 Estimated number: None

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 803 or 803A

Terminal Points: Melness - Farr High School or Thurso

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 4 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 803 - Any compliant bus or coach.

803A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of pupils between Melness and Farr High School.

 Estimated number: 19

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

Non-school journeys in this contract are currently part of Contract 916, which is not due to be retendered until 2016. Therefore if Contract 803-0 is awarded, the Authority may include an option to upgrade to Contract 803-1 or 803-2 in January 2017, subject to the outcome of the 2016 tendering.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 804

Terminal Points: Durness - Inverness or Lairg

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 6 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard)

Fare Scale: Fares to be set by tenderer

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: None

 Estimated number: None

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

Bookings must be accepted for bicycles and in options 804-0 to 804-3 the bus must tow a bicycle trailer supplied by the Council when required. In options 804-4 and 804-5 a bike rack may be used instead of a trailer.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 805 or 805A

Terminal Points: Durness - Inverness

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 4 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 805 - Any compliant bus or coach.

805A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: None

 Estimated number: None

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

If 805-2 or 805-3 is awarded, there will be no Saturday service on Contract 806.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 806 or 806A

Terminal Points: Durness - Lairg or Ullapool

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 5 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 806 - Any compliant bus or coach.

806A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: The present operator has stated that TUPE applies to employees on this contract. For details see Invitation to Tender (ITT) document, section 20.

Transport of School Pupils: This contract involves the transport of school pupils between Durness and Kinlochbervie High School.

 Estimated number: 15

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 807 or 807A

Terminal Points: Lochinver - Ullapool or Inverness

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 3 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 807 - Any compliant bus or coach.

807A - Wheelchair accessible bus or coach (PSVAR 2000 standard)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of school pupils between Lochinver and Ullapool High School.

 Estimated number: 55

Special Conditions of Contract:

Return tickets issued on Contract 809 or 814 must be accepted.

Additional Notes:

Current pupil numbers: 46 from Lochinver (including those transferring from feeder routes), 7 joining from feeder route at Skiag Bridge and 2 others en route.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 809

Terminal Points: Drumbeg - Lochinver - Ullapool

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 3 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: The present operator has stated that TUPE applies to employees on this contract. For details see Invitation to Tender (ITT) document, section 20.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of school pupils between Culkein, Badnaban and Ullapool High School.

 Estimated number: 20 or 55

Special Conditions of Contract:

Return tickets issued on Contract 807 or 814 must be accepted.

Additional Notes:

Current pupil numbers: 20 between Culkein and Lochinver, 3 at Badnaban, 23 at Lochinver, 7 joining from feeder route at Skiag Bridge and 2 others en route.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 814

Terminal Points: Lochinver - Clashnessie

Achmelvich/Inverkirkaig - Lochinver Primary School

Drumbeg - Ullapool

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 5 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of school pupils for Ullapool High School and/or Lochinver Primary School. For details see below.

 Estimated number: 20 to 43

Special Conditions of Contract:

On option 814-0, any compliant bus may be used.

Return tickets issued on Contract 807 or 809 must be accepted.

Additional Notes:

Secondary pupils: currently 20 in Culkein - Lochinver and 7 on Drumbeg via Nedd. Primary pupils: currently 9 at Achmelvich and 7 at Inverkirkaig.

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 815 or 815A

Terminal Points: Ullapool - Lochinver - Drumbeg

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until **31 December 2016**

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 1 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 815 - Any compliant bus or coach.

815A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: Based on a statement from the present operator, the Council understands that TUPE does not apply to this contract.

Transport of School Pupils: None

 Estimated number: None

Special Conditions of Contract:

Return tickets issued on Contract 807, 809 or 814 must be accepted.

Additional Notes:

None

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 900

Terminal Points: Lairg - Tain

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 5 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: The present operator has stated that TUPE applies to employees on this contract. For details see Invitation to Tender (ITT) document, section 20.

Transport of School Pupils: Versions 2 and 3 of the contract involve the transport of school pupils between Ardgay and Tain Royal Academy.

 Estimated number: 42

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 901 or 901A

Terminal Points: Lairg / Ardgay - Dornoch

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 4 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: 901 - Any compliant bus or coach.

901A - Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: The present operator has stated that TUPE applies to employees on this contract. For details see Invitation to Tender (ITT) document, section 20.

Transport of School Pupils: The contract involves the transport of school pupils between Ardgay, Lairg and Dornoch Academy.

 Estimated number: 75

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.

 LOCAL BUS SERVICE TENDER 2015-21: CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Contract No: 906

Terminal Points: Lairg - Helmsdale

Period of Operation: 26 October 2015 until 31 December 2021\* unless terminated earlier.

Route Description: As required by timetable.

Timetable: See attached.

 Please note that 5 option(s) are invited.

Vehicle Type: Wheelchair accessible bus (PSVAR 2000 standard if 23 seats or more)

Fare Scale: Not to exceed fare scale HC6

TUPE liability: The present operator has stated that TUPE applies to employees on this contract. For details see Invitation to Tender (ITT) document, section 20.

Transport of School Pupils: None

 Estimated number: None

Special Conditions of Contract:

None

Additional Notes:

None

\* Contract may be extended by up to one year.