

**Commission communication pursuant to Article 17(5) of Regulation (EC) No 1008/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the operation of air services in the Community**

**Invitation to tender in respect of the operation of scheduled air services in accordance with public service obligations**

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2011/C 26/17)

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| Member State  | United Kingdom  |
| Concerned routes  | — Oban–Coll<br>— Oban–Colonsay<br>— Oban–Tiree<br>— Coll–Tiree  |
| Period of validity of the contract  | 1 April 2011–31 March 2014  |
| Deadline for submission of tenders  | Two months after the date of publication of this notice   |
| Address where the text of the invitation to tender and any relevant information and/or documentation related to the public tender and the modified public service obligations can be obtained | Argyll and Bute Council<br>Council Offices<br>Kilmory<br>Lochgilphead<br>Argyll<br>PA31 8RT<br>Scotland<br>UNITED KINGDOM<br><br>Tel. +44 1546604141<br>Fax +44 1546606443<br>Contact: Sandy Mactaggart, Development and Infrastructure Services<br>E-mail: sandy.mactaggart@argyll-bute.gov.uk |