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(Information)

#### COMMISSION

Communication from the Commission pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3047/74 of 2 December 1974

Pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3047/74 (¹) of 2 December 1974 on the opening, allocating and providing for the administration of Community tariff quotas for certain textile products originating in developing countries, notice is hereby given that the charges at Community level, against the Community tariff quota, in respect of products originating in the countries specified below have reached the relevant maximum amount laid down in column 4 of Annex A to that Regulation.

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Country of origin
56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale:  A. Of synthetic textile fibres	South Korea

The normal tariff is, consequently, re-introduced for the abovementioned products originating in South Korea, from 25 January 1975.

Communication from the Commission pursuant to Article 2 (2), first subparagraph of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3053/74 of 2 December 1974

Pursuant to Article 2 (2), first subparagraph of Council Regulation (EEC) No 3053/74 (1) of 2 December 1974 on the opening and providing for the administration of preferential

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 329, 9. 12. 1974, p. 16.

Community tariff ceilings for certain products originating in developing countries, notice is hereby given that charges at Community level, against the preferential Community tariff ceiling, in respect of products originating in the countries and/or territories specified below have reached the relevant maximum amount determined in accordance with Article 1 (4) of that Regulation.

CCT heading No	Description of goods	Country or territory of origin
42.03	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, of leather or of composition leather:	Hong Kong
	B. Gloves, including mittens and mitts:  I. Protective, for all trades	
90.05	Refracting telescopes (monocular and binocular), prismatic or not	South Korea

The normal tariff is, consequently, re-introduced for the abovementioned products originating in the countries or territories specified in relation to each one of them, from 25 January 1975.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 329, 9. 12. 1974, p. 59.

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(Preparatory Acts)

#### COMMISSION

### Proposal for a Council Regulation concerning support to common projects for hydrocarbon exploration

(Submitted to the Council by the Commission on 29 November 1974)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 235;

Having regard to the proposal of the Commission;

Having regard to the Opinion of the European Parliament;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Economic and Social Committee;

Whereas the establishment of a Community energy policy is one of the objectives assigned to the Community; whereas the Council by its Resolution of 17 September 1974 on the new energy policy strategy for the Community, affirmed its political will to elaborate and set in motion a Community energy policy;

Whereas the encouragement of exploration projects having a fundamental interest for the security of hydrocarbon supply of the Community constitutes one means of achieving this policy;

Whereas the hydrocarbon supply difficulties caused by the international situation demand that, complementary to technological development activities directly linked to the functions of exploration, exploitation, stocks or transport in the hydrocarbon fields which are already the object of Community support in conformity with Council Regulation (EEC) No 3056 (1) of 9 November 1973, specific efforts should be undertaken in hydrocarbon exploration itself;

Whereas it is for the oil industry to assume in the first place the financing of such activites; whereas because of the high risks and the considerable investment implied, the Community should nevertheless contemplate the possibility of giving them some financing support;

Whereas support for a given project would be repayable in the event of the commercial success of the project;

Whereas, for this support to be most efficacious, it should be within the framework of a three-year programme of exploration in which all the operations supported by the Community should be gathered together;

Whereas the enterprise participating in this programme should agree to exchange information on the results they obtain and to cooperate on the technical level so as to guarantee optimum development in the regions covered by the exploration programme;

Whereas the granting by the Community of these advantages would conform to the requirements of the Treaty concerning competition;

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ No L 312, 13. 11. 1973, p. 1.

Whereas by reason of the necessity of limiting such support to what is strictly indispensible the Community should have at its disposal all those means which will allow it to weigh the advantages which will result from such projects and their conformity with the objectives of the common energy policy;

Whereas the support should not exceed 25 % of the forecast cost of the project for the period in which the support is granted; whereas the geographical zones within which these activities will take place will be well defined;

Whereas the importance of the support which might be granted to projects should be a function of their contribution to the Community supply and of the risks inherent in difficulties of a technical, climatic or meteorological order;

Whereas the specifically international nature of the structure and the activities of firms working in the hydrocarbon sector justify direct communication to the Commission of proposals for Community projects;

Whereas the powers for action required for the development of this regime were not foreseen by the Treaty,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

#### Article 1

The Community, under the conditions foreseen in the Articles hereunder, may give its support, where essential, for the achievement of hydrocarbon exploration projects which present a prime interest for the security of its hydrocarbons supply.

Projects eligible to benefit from the Community support must be based in the geographic areas defined in the Annex to this Regulation and take the form of cooperation between several Community companies.

#### Article 2

All projects must concern hydrocarbon exploration activities which contain the following tasks:

- exploration drilling of strata;
- a maximum of two test bores to determine the importance and profitability of the deposit.

Seismic prospecting may not benefit from Community support except in the cases where there had been preliminary examinations which had given promising results.

#### Article 3

The responsibility for each of the projects must devolve upon a natural or a legal person constituted in accordance with the laws in force in the Member States of the Community.

If the creation of a legal entity to undertake a project involves additional costs for the participating firms, such a project may be carried out by simple cooperation between natural or legal persons. In this case, these persons shall be jointly and severally liable for the obligations resulting from Community support.

#### Article 4

The support granted to a project may take the form of Community financing of this project as part of the appropriations made for this purpose in the general Community budget, taking into account any other Community financial intervention from which this project may benefit, especially by the European Investment Bank, by a subsidy repayable in the event of the commercial success of the project. A commercial success is considered to be the discovery of a deposit the size and quality of which present sufficient guarantees of profitability.

The support may not exceed 25 % of the cost of the project envisaged for the period during which the support is granted.

#### Article 5

- 1. Each project shall be submitted for examination to the Commission, who will consult the Member States.
- 2. The Commission shall forward to the Council, together with its reasoned opinion, a report on the scheme as a whole.

This report shall give:

- a detailed description of the project and most particularly the drilling programme;
- indications of the probable presence of hydrocarbons in the area of exploration as well as the results of the geophysical studies;
- the nature and extent of the risks involved in the project and its estimated profitability;
- the cost of the project and the financial methods for carrying it out;
- all other factors which justify the importance of the support proposed by the Commission for this project;
- the importance of the project for the security of the Community's hydrocarbons supply;
- the financial situation and the technical capacity of those responsible for the project;
- the measures of support forecast or anticipated by the Member countries for the achievement of the project;
- the possible support from the European Investment Bank.
- 3. The Council can ask the Commission for such additional information as it judges necessary.

#### Article 6

- 1. The Council will decide unanimously on the proposal by the Commission on a three-year programme of exploration chosen from among the projects presented under Article 5 and will allocate financial support to different projects according to their anticipated contribution to the supply of the Community and the inherent risks from difficulties of a technical, climatic or meteorological kind linked with their achievement.
- 2. The companies which benefit from Community support within the framework of the exploration programme envisaged in the preceding paragraph should bind themselves to exchange information on the results that they obtain and to cooperate on the

technical level in order to guarantee an optimum development in the regions covered by these programmes. Details of the exchange of information and cooperation will be defined by the Commission.

3. The Commission will arrange the necessary consultation procedures with the companies participating in the programme.

#### Article 7

The advantages accorded by the Community should not modify conditions of competition in a way that is incompatible with the requirements of the Treaty.

#### Article 8

Those responsible for carrying out a project which is receiving Community support will report annually to the Commission on the progress of the work in hand and on the expenses incurred in its execution.

The Commission's representatives will have access at any time to technical and financial documents relating to the project.

#### Article 9

Information received through the application of the present regulation will be treated confidentially.

#### Article 10

The Commission will report annually to the European Parliament and to the Council on the programme of exploration and on the progress made on each project.

#### Article 11

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

#### **ANNEX**

The Community projects for exploration of hydrocarbons which can benefit from Community support must be carried out in the territorial waters of Member States or in adjacent zones not subject to sovereignty, where the depth of water exceeds 100 m or without limitation of depth beyond the 60°N parallel and between 20°E and 70°W.

Proposal for a Council Directive on the exemption from taxes on importation of small consignments from third countries of goods of a non-commercial nature

(Submitted to the Council by the Commission on 31 December 1974)

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 99 thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Having regard to the Opinion of the European Parliament;

Having regard to the Opinion of the Economic and Social Committee;

Whereas the Council Directive of ..... on the exemption from taxes at importation on small consignments of goods of a non-commerical character from other Community countries laid down the limits and conditions under which such consignments may be exempted from value added tax and from any other taxes on consumption;

Whereas Community rules should likewise be laid down for exemption from turnover taxes and excise duties at importation in respect of small consignments of a similar nature coming from third countries;

Whereas the extent of such exemption should for practical reasons be as far as possible, as specified in Council Regulation (EEC) No .... of .... in respect of exemption from import duties and charges,

Whereas, because of the high level of taxation to which certain products are at present subject in

Member States, there is still a need to set special limits for such products,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DIRECTIVE:

#### Article 1

- 1. Small consignments of goods of a non-commercial nature sent by a private person in a third country to another private person in a Member State shall be exempt on importation from turnover tax and excise duty.
- 2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, 'small consignments of a non-commercial nature' means consignments of goods:
- (a) which are not intended for any commercial purpose and are of a nature and quantity such as to show that they are intended solely for personal or family use by the consignee;
- (b) which are sent free of payment of any kind by the consignee;
- (c) the total value of which does not exceed 25 units of account in respect of any one consignment.

#### Article 2

Article 1 shall in respect of the goods listed below apply subject to the following quantitative limits:

(a) Tobacco products:

50 cigarettes, or

25 cigarillos (cigars of a maximum weight of 3 grammes each), or

10 cigars, or

50 grammes of pipe tobacco.

(b) Alcoholic beverages:

 distilled beverages and spirits of an alcoholic strength exceeding 22°:

1 standard bottle (not exceeding 1 litre)

or

 distilled beverages and spirits and aperitifs with a wine or alcoholic base, of an alcoholic strength not exceeding 22°; sparkling wines, fortified wines:

1 standard bottle (not exceeding 1 litre)

or

- still wines:

2 litres.

(c) Perfumes:

60 grammes or

2 ounces

or

toilet waters:

1/4 litre or 8 ounces.

(d) Coffee:

500 grammes

or

coffee extracts and essences:

200 grammes.

(e) Tea:

100 grammes

or

tea extracts and essences:

40 grammes.

Article 3

The presence in a consignment of goods of a value exceeding 25 units of account or of a quantity exceeding the limits laid down in Article 2 shall render the entire consignment ineligible for exemption from turnover tax and excise duty.

#### Article 4

- 1. Member States shall bring into force the measures necessary to comply with this Directive not later than . . . .
- 2. Each Member State shall inform the Commission of the measures adopted by it in implementation of this Directive.

Article 5

This Directive is addressed to the Member States.

III

(Notices)

### **COUNCIL**

Extension of the term of validity of the lists of suitable candidates drawn up after Open Competition Nos 58 and 60/Council

By decision of the Secretary-General of the Council of the European Communities on 20 January 1975, the term of validity of the lists of suitable candidates drawn up after Open Competition Nos 58 and 60/Council, organized to establish reserve lists of administrators, which were announced in the Official Journal of the European Communities No C 95, of 15 September 1972, is extended until 30 June 1975.

#### **PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS**

(Publication of notices of public works contracts and licences in conformity with Council Directive 71/305/EEC of 26 July 1971 supplemented by Council Directive 72/277/EEC of 26 July 1972)

#### MODEL NOTICES OF CONTRACTS

#### A. Open procedures

- 1. Name and address of the authority awarding the contract (Article 16e)(1):
- 2. The award procedure chosen (Article 16b):
- 3. a) The site (Article 16c):
  - b) The nature and extent of the services to be provided and the general nature of the work (Article 16c):
  - c) If the contract is subdivided into several lots, the size of the different lots and the possibility of tendering for one, for several, or for all of the lots (Article 16c):
  - d) Information relating to the purpose of the contract if the contract entails the drawing up of projects (Article 16c):
- 4. Any time limit for the completion of the works (Article 16d):
- 5. a) Name and address of the service from which the contract documents and additional documents may be requested (Article 16f):
  - b) The final date for making such request (Article 16f):
  - c) Where applicable, the amount and terms of payment of any sum payable for such documents (Article 16 f):
- 6. a) The final date for receipt of tenders (Article 16g):
  - b) The address to which they must be sent (Article 16g):
  - c) The language or languages in which they must be drawn up (Article 16g):
- 7. a) The persons authorized to be present at the opening of tenders (Article 16h):
  - b) The date, time and place of this opening (Article 16h):
- 8. Any deposits and guarantees required (Article 16i):
- 9. The main procedure for financing and payment and/or references to the instruments regulating these (Article 16j):
- 10. Where applicable, the specific legal form which must be assumed by the group of contractors to whom the contract is awarded (Article 16k):
- 11. The minimum economic and technical standards required of the contractors (Article 16l):
- 12. Period during which the tenderer is bound to keep open his tender (Article 16m):
- 13. Criteria for the award of the contract. Criteria other than that of the lowest price shall be mentioned if they do not appear in the contract documents (Article 29):
- 14. Other information:
- 15. The date of dispatch of the notice (Article 16a):

<sup>(1)</sup> The Articles in brackets refer to Council Directive 71/305/EEC of 26 July 1971 (OJ No L 185, 16. 8. 1971, p. 5).

- 1. Name and address of the authority awarding the contract (Article 17a)(1):
- 2. The award procedure chosen (Article 17a):
- 3. a) The site (Article 17a):
  - b) The nature and extent of the sevices to be provided and the general nature of the work (Article 17a):
  - c) If the contract is subdivided into several lots, the size of the different lots and the possibility of tendering for one, for several or for all of the lots (Article 17a):
  - d) Information relating to the purpose of the contract if the contract entails the drawing up of projects (Article 17a):
- 4. Any time limit for the completion of the works (Article 17a):
- 5. Where applicable, the specific legal form which must be assumed by the group of contractors to whom the contract is awarded (Article 17a):
- 6. a) The final date for the receipt of requests to participate (Article 17b):
  - b) The address to which they must be sent (Article 17 b):
  - c) The language or languages in which they must be drawn up (Article 17b):
- 7. The final date for the dispatch of invitations to tender (Article 17c):
- 8. Information concerning the contractor's personal position, and the minimum economic and technical standards required of him (Article 17d):
- 9. The criteria for the award of the contract if these are not stated in the invitation to tender (Article 18d):
- 10. Other information:
- 11. The date of dispatch of the notice (Article 17a):

<sup>(1)</sup> The Articles in brackets refer to Council Directive 71/305/EEC of 26 July 1971 (OJ No L 185, 16. 8. 1971, p. 5).

#### Open procedure

- 1. Finanzbauamt München II, 8000 München 2, Karlstraße 45, Federal Republic of Germany.
- 2. Public invitation to tender Ö 29/75.
- 3. a) Fürstenfeldbruck.
  - b) Construction of a lecture theatre, approximately 90 000 m³ cubic capacity.

A services building, approximately 37 300 m³ cubic capacity.

Earthworks, pre-drainage, sewage, dampproofing, concreting and reinforced concreting, masonry and plastering.

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d)

- 4. Approximately 11 months. Expected starting date: beginning of May 1975.
- 5. a) See item 1.
  - b) 7 February 1975.
  - c) A crossed cheque for DM 35, quoting 'O 29/75 Baumeister FFB', should be enclosed with requests for the specifications.
- 6. a) 13 March 1975 at 3 p.m.
  - b) See item 1.
  - c) German.

- 7. a) Tenderers and their authorized representatives.
  - b) 13 March 1975 at 3 p.m. (address as in item 1).
- 8. A contract execution guarantee of 10 % of the contract price is required from a credit insurer or credit institution approved in the Federal Republic of Germany or West Berlin.
- 9. Payments in accordance with § 16 of the regulations governing construction work contracts (VOB/B).

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11. Tenders should be accompanied by evidence of the following:

turnover in construction projects over the past three financial years;

comparable work carried out over the past three financial years with details of the awarding authority, the nature of the work and construction periods; available technical equipment.

- 12. By 31 May 1975.
- 13. In accordance with § 25 of VOB/A the contract will be awarded to the tender which appears the most acceptable when all technical and economic aspects are taken into account.
- 14. Information can be obtained by telephoning the Finanzbauamt München II (Munich 59952396).
- 15. 17 January 1975.

- 1. Wychavon District Council.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) Chawson Lane, Droitwich, England.
  - b) The development of 91 houses, 69 garages, together with roads, sewers and ancillary site works.

Tenders are invited for a variation of price contract in accordance with the standard form of building contract, local authorities edition, issued by the Joint Contracts Tribunal.

c)

d)

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- 6. a) 3 February 1975.
  - b) M. F. B. Ashdown Esq, Dipl.Arch, Dip.TP, ARIBA, Principal Technical Officer, Droitwich Town Development, Covercroft, Droitwich, Worcestershire WR9 8DB, England.
  - c) English.
- 7. End of February 1975.
- 8. Contractors wishing to be considered should submit a written application giving details of recently completed public housing contracts and the name and address of the supervising officers from whom references may be obtained.

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- 10. Tenders will be returnable at the end of March 1975. The date for commencement will be May 1975, and the contract period will be approximately 20 months.
- 11. 15. January 1975.

- 1. Monmouth District Council, South Wales, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) Croesonen, Abergavenny, United Kingdom.
  - b) Housing development, area approximately 3.84 hectares.

Lightweight framed units. The accommodation varies from general needs housing to single person and aged person flatlets.

- c)
- d)
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- 5.

- 6. a) 14 February 1975.
  - b) Chief Technical Officer, Monmouth District Council, Mamhilad, Pontypool, Gwent NP4 8YL, South Wales, United Kingdom.
  - c) English.
- 7.
- 8. System building firms intersted in design and subsequent tender can apply for inclusion on a selected list.
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- 10.
- 11. 15 January 1975.

- Washington Development Corporation, Usworth Hall, Washington, Tyne and Wear, England, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) Glebe Village Washington New Town (Project V).
  - b) The construction and completion of 40 block cross wall timber infill panel two-storey dwellings with garages and associated screen walls, fencing, paving, landscaping and services.
  - c)
  - d)
- 4. The contract period is expected to be 50 weeks, with phased completions commencing after 32 weeks.
- The form of contract will be fixed price contract using the JCT form of contract local authorities edition, July 1973 revision.
- 6. a) 3 February 1975.
  - b) The Chief Architect and Planning Officer (address as in item 1).
  - c) English.

- 7. It is anticipated that the tender documents will be issued to selected contractors in April 1975.
- 8. Contractors requesting participation will be required to send with their request sufficient information to satisfy the development corporation:

that the contractor is not excluded under Article 23;

that the contractor is enrolled in the relevant professional or trade register appropriate to the country in which he is established as required by Article 24;

with proof of the contractor's financial and economic standing required by Article 25;

with proof of the contractor's technical knowledge and ability to undertake the project by submitting details in accordance with Article 26 (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e).

- 9. Lowest tender which in the opinion of the corporation conforms to the requirements of the invitations to tender and which is acceptable to them.
- 10.
- 11. 10 January 1975.

- Washington Development Corporation, Usworth Hall, Washington, Tyne and Wear, England, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) Albany Village, Washington New Town (Project II).
  - b) The construction and completion of 111 two-storey dwellings with garages and associated screen walls, fencing, paving, landscaping and services.
  - c)
  - d)
- 4. 80 weeks, with phased completions.
- 5. A variation of price contract using the JCT form of contract, local authorities edition, July 1973 revision.
- 6. a) 3 February 1975.
  - b) The Chief Architect and Planning Officer (address as in item 1).
  - c) English.

- 7. 15 February 1975.
- 8. Contractors requesting participation will be required to send with their request sufficient information to satisfy the development corporation:

that the contractor is not excluded under Article 23;

that the contractor is enrolled in the relevant professional or trade register appropriate to the country in which he is established as required by Article 24:

with proof of the contractor's financial and economic standing required by Article 25;

with proof of the contractor's technical knowledge and ability to undertake the project by submitting details in accordance with Article 26 (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e).

- The contract will be awarded to the lowest acceptable tender which in the opinion of the corporation conforms to the requirements of the invitations to tender.
- 10.
- 11. 10 January 1975.

- Redditch Development Corporation, 'Holmwood', Plymouth Road, Redditch, Worcestershire B97 4PD, England, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) An area of 4.6 hectares at Church Hill Housing Area, Site A7, Redditch.
  - b) The erection of 191 traditionally constructed dwellings for rent by the corporation and 124 garages together with associated external works including roads and sewers.
  - c) The contract will not be subdivided into different lots.

d)

- 4. To be completed within a period of 21 months from the date of possession of the site.
- The current local authorities edition with quantities of the standard form of building contract issued by the Joint Contracts Tribunal,

- 6. a) 17 February 1975.
  - b) Brian Bunch, RIBA, MRTPI, Chief Architect and Planning Officer (address as in item 1).
  - c) English.

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8. Each request to participate (except from those firms who have previously tendered for similar work for the corporation) shall be accompanied by:

the name and address of the firm's bankers, together with authorization for the corporation to obtain a financial reference;

- a list of recent similar contracts obtained giving their content and value together with the names and addresses of two referees from whom the corporation may obtain proof of the firm's technical expertise and ability to perform.
- The successful tender will normally be the lowest acceptable offer in competition among selected tenderers.

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11. 15 January 1975.

- 1. Warwickshire County Council, Shire Hall, Warwick, England, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) Chelmsley Hospital, Moorend Avenue, Chelmsley Wood, Warwickshire.
- b) The erection of a single storey special school in the CLASP system of construction (Mark V).
  - c) The authority will nominate subcontractors for mechanical and electrical services and will nominate suppliers for all the CLASP system components.
- d) The contract does not entail drawing up of projects.
- 4. 18 months from date of possession of the site.
- 5. In the event of a group of contractors submitting an acceptable offer, it will be necessary for each member of the group to sign an undertaking that each company or firm in the group will be jointly and severally responsible for the contract.
- 6. a) 28 February 1975.
  - b) County Architect (address as in item 1).
  - c) English.

- 7. Approximately April/May 1975.
- 8. Proof of inscription of the company on a professional or trade register or the companies register in the United Kingdom or Ireland.

Balance sheets for the past three years, including a statement of turnover on construction works.

A statement of the technical qualifications of the managerial and supervisory staff, who would be responsible for executing the work and any previous experience of construction practice and the CLASP system of construction.

A list of contracts over one million units of account carried out during the past five years, the value and site of each contract and the authority, company or person for whom executed.

Does the contractor propose to use his own labour force or rely on locally recruited work people, either directly employed or employed by subcontractors?

- Lowest acceptable offer in competition among selected tenderers.
- 10. The contract will be based on the current edition of the standard form of contract, local authorities edition with quantities, which provides for progress payments at monthly intervals based on the valuation of work executed and materials on site. Successful applicants will be informed of their inclusion in the selected panel. Bills of quantities and drawings will be provided.
- 11. 16 January 1975.

- 1. Direction Départementale de l'Equipment de l'Aube, 10026 Troyes, Cedex, France.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender with preselection of contractors.
- 3. a) Communes of Barberey-St-Sulpice and La Chapelle-St-Luc (3 km north of Troyes).
  - b) Construction of the Troyes North bypass of the main road RN 19 (6.2 km).

Carriageway surface: 100 000 m².

Excavation works: 50 000 m3.

Fill:  $195\,000\,$  m<sup>3</sup> including  $85\,000\,$  m<sup>3</sup> on a site liable to flooding.

Supply and placing of natural gravel for subgrade: 27 000 m<sup>3</sup>.

Supply and placing of slag gravel: 45 000 m3.

c)

d)

- 4. 12 months.
- 5.
- 6. a) 20 February 1975.
  - b) See item 1.
  - c) French.
- 7. 1 March 1975.
- 8. A questionnaire will be sent to contractors on application to the Direction de l'Equipement de l'Aube, 10026 Troyes, Cedex, France.

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11. 17 January 1975.

- Clwyd Education Committee, Shire Hall, Mold, Clwyd, Wales, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) An area of 5.4 hectares and is at present a school and adjoining hard play areas and playing fields.
  - b) Alterations within an existing school and the addition of a new three-storey classroom block and a new single-storey dual-purpose dining/drama area. The pre-cast concrete frame for the classroom block will be provided and erected by others on concrete foundations by the general contractor. The remainder of the work will be load-bearing brickwork on normal concrete foundations.

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- 4. To be completed within 104 weeks from the date agreed with the contractor for possession of the site.
- 5. The form of contract to be entered into between the contractor and the authority will be the current revision of the standard form of building contract,

local authorities edition with quantities, issued by the Joint Committee.

- 6. a) 14 February 1975.
  - b) R. W. Harvey, ARIBA, FRSA, County Architect (address as in item 1).
  - c) English.
- 7. 28 February 1975.
- 8. The authority will require the contractor to produce the following information:

proof that none of the circumstances set out in Article 23 apply to the contractor;

proof of the contractor's financial and economic standing as set out in Article 25 (a), (b) and (c);

proof of the contractor's technical knowledge and ability as set out in Article 26 (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e).

9. The successful tender will be the lowest acceptable offer in competition among selected tenderers.

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11. 16 January 1975.

- Cleveland County Council, Municipal Buildings, Middlesbrough, Cleveland, England, United Kingdom.
- 2. Restricted invitation to tender.
- 3. a) The realignment of B1365 between Viewley Hill roundabout and Hemlington Village south of Middlesbrough, Cleveland, England.
  - b) The work entails the construction of 1 km of kerbed 7.3 m carriageway with two roundabout junctions and a reinforced concrete pedestrian subway, together with the necessary earthworks, kerbed carriageway construction, surface water drainage, signing, lining, lighting, subway construction and landscaping by seeding and shrub planting.
  - c)
  - d)
- 4. 12 Months.
- 5. In the event of a group of contractors forming a temporary association for the purpose of the contract and after being accepted on to the selected tender list being awarded the contract, it will be required that each firm in the group become jointly and severally responsible for the due performance of the contract.

- 6. a) 14 February 1975.
  - b) The County Surveyor and Engineer, PO Box 77, Gurney House, Gurney Street, Middlesbrough, Cleveland TS1 1JL, England. The application should be referenced 'B1365 Hemlington'.
  - c) English.
- 7. April 1975.
- 8. Details of completed and current highway contracts undertaken for public authorities. Details of the financial status of contractors are not required initially but may be required before appointment to the selected tender list.
- Lowest acceptable offer in competition among selected tenderers.
- 10. The contract will be based upon the conditions of contract (fifth edition) prepared by the Institution of Civil Engineers 1973, the specification for road and bridgeworks 1969 and the method of measurement for road and bridgeworks 1971 prepared by the Department of the Environment.
- 11. 16 January 1975.