



## Expressions of Interest

### Review of Swimming Pools on the Isle of Man

The Isle of Man Government invites expressions of interest from suitably qualified and experienced consultants to provide a review of swimming Pools on the Isle of Man to the Department of Education, Sport & Culture.

The National Sports Centre (NSC) and Regional Swimming Pools support community recreation, sport, teaching and wellbeing initiatives of our Island. The Island currently has a public swimming pool in each geographical area of the Isle of Man (North, South, East and West). Other pools do exist, at Glencrutchery Road and Ballakermeen High School but they are not accessible for public swimming. The three Regional Swimming Pools are managed by a Pool Board, made up of representatives from each of the local authorities in that area of the Island (South, North & West). The National Sports Centre, Glencrutchery and Ballakermeen Swimming Pools are managed by the Department of Education, Sport & Culture (DESC), Isle of Man Government (IOMG).

The three Regional Swimming Pools receive a subvention from DESC, which accounts for around 90%+ of their annual operating costs. The remainder is funded by the local authorities from rates contributions.

There is growing concern that, without additional support from the Department, all Regional Swimming Pools will not be in a position to remain fully open and provide the current range of provision.

The Department is seeking for a review of the current provision of swimming pools on the Isle of Man. This is to be undertaken by a suitably qualified and experienced consultancy firm or consultant, who will be expected to make recommendations for future provision. In order to participate in this competitive exercise, your organisation must be registered on the Isle of Man Government's Procurement Portal. If you have not previously registered, please visit <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/iomg.aspx/Home> and select 'Register' from the menu on the left side of the Home Page.

Once you have registered your organisation you should select this Quick Quote from the list of 'Current Tenders' and 'View Details' then click 'Express an Interest' at the bottom of the page. Once you have expressed an interest a new tab called 'Quote Documents' will become available where you can download all the necessary information. If you choose to proceed, please select 'Opt In' and a new section will appear for you to upload your completed return documents.

If you decide not to proceed please click 'Opt Out' and select a reason for not proceeding.

Should you have any difficulty in using the website or registering your interest in this way, please e-mail [procurement@gov.im](mailto:procurement@gov.im)

The Quick Quote will remain available on the Portal for Expressions of Interest until **noon 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022**.

Quick Quote Returns must be submitted through the above Portal by **noon 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022**.