Important Notice to all suppliers of goods, works and services to Kilkenny and Carlow Education and Training Board (KCETB).

eTenders is changing.

eTenders, the Irish Government's national tendering service, moved to a new platform on 15 May 2023, and new competitions are being published on this platform from 22 May 2023.

As a user of the eTenders system, Kilkenny and Carlow Education and Training Board (KCETB) is requesting all suppliers who are currently registered on the old system to activate their account on the new eTenders platform, to continue to receive system alerts and participate in new tenders.

Suppliers can access the new platform via the etenders.gov.ie website and suppliers who are already registered will have had some of their details transferred to the new platform but will need to activate their registration on your first logon by re-inputting and adding in some additional data.

Start-up guides are available for suppliers by accessing the following link <u>https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/9a109-etenders-is-changing-updates-for-businesses/</u>

Once you have updated your details, you will be able to fully access the new platform. Given that this is a new system, the user experience will be different, and we suggest that you allow time to become familiar with the new site.

The old eTenders platform will continue to be available for all users until May 2024 to enable all competitions that commenced before 15th May to be completed on the old platform.