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The Radio and Television Boards invitation to tender for an audio platform for children and youth

February 15th the Ministry of Culture have issued the executive order regarding an audio platform for children and youth.

The complete tender documentation is available for download on the Danish Agency of Culture and Palaces website.

The Radio and Television Board hereby calls for tenders for an audio platform for children and youth. The deadline for submitted bids is **Monday the 18th of marts at 12.00**

The Radio and Television Board expects to publish the winner on June 1st.

The Radio and Television Board cannot be held responsible for any cancellation of the call for tenders. In addition, the Radio and Television Board cannot be held responsible for any amendments to the license terms specified in the tender documentation which, at the Minister of Cultures request, may be announced before the expiration of the deadline for submission of bids.

The permit to exercise an audio platform for children and young adults with subsidies is offered as a beauty contest.

To participate in the tender, the applicant must submit an application which is in agreement with the tender material. The application must also contain the required documentation and a guaranty of DKK 2 million.

The parties behind the media agreement for 2023-2026 has agreed to allocate a digital public service audio platform with content for children and youth. The parties in the agreement aim to strengthen the development of storytelling for children and youth, so there continues to be relevant and original quality audio content in Danish for children and youth.

The license is valid from until 31st of December 2026.

Application procedure

To apply for the tender, the application must be sent in through the electronic application form.

Between February 19th and February 28th at 12, it will be possible to ask question to the tender material. Th questions and answers will be published on the Danish Agency of Culture and Palaces website. The questions will be published anonyms. All questions must be placed to rtv@slks.dk. In the subject line it must be written, that it is regarding the tender for an audio platform for children and youth.

The deadline for applications is Monday March 18th at 12.

The Radio and Television Board have the option to receive an unbiased opinion by a specific expert and an accountant to assess the applications.

The Radio and Television Board will publish the applicants on the Danish Agency of Culture and Palaces website. The Radio and Television Board will give the permit to the application they find most suitable to exercise the permission.

In the weighing of all criteria the board will apply the following

1. The content of the described plans for the public service activity. This criteria will weigh 35 percent
2. The content of the of the described distribution plans. This criteria will weigh 35 percent
3. The quality and realism of the application plans for the operation. This criteria weighs 30 percent.

The platform must be published no later than December 1st 2024.

The Radio and Television board supervises the permit according to the permit and the radio and television law.

Time schedule

Information meeting	February, 26 2024 at 15.00 – 17.00
Deadline for asking question to the tender	February, 28 2024 at 12.00
Deadline for responses to questions. Questions will also be publish at the Danish Agency of Culture and Palaces website	Marts, 1 st 2024 at 12.00
Application deadline	Marts, 18 at 12.00
Publication of all the applicants	Marts 20, 2024
The Radio and Television Boards expected processing of the applicants	May 22, 2024
Expected publication of the winner	June 1 st , 2024
The permit begins	June 1 st , 2024
The platform must be made public by	December 1 st , 2024

Language

All communication and correspondence during the entire process will be in Danish. This means that for example bids, other documents and any queries must be written in Danish.

However, in addition to the compulsory information that must be given in Danish, bidders may submit supplementary information about technical details in another Scandinavian language (Norwegian, Swedish) and/ or in English. Responses to queries and all communication from the Radio and Television Board will be in Danish.

This English translation of the summery of the tender documentation has been made in consideration of any interest foreign parties.