

**Belgium-Brussels: Study on 'Measuring the quality of government at the subnational level and comparing results with previous studies'**

OJ S 1/2017 03/01/2017

Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Regional and Urban Policy,  
REGIO DGA1.B.1 Economic analysis

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**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority: [http://europa.eu/index\\_en.htm](http://europa.eu/index_en.htm)**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.3. Main activity**

General public services

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description****II.1.1. Title**

Study on 'Measuring the quality of government at the subnational level and comparing results with previous studies'.

**II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 11: Management consulting services [6] and related services

Main site or place of performance: Off Commission premises.

NUTS code

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system (DPS)****II.1.4. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

The study should build on the 2 previous editions of the quality of government Index to:

i. collect and analyse data on the subnational variation of the quality of government in all MS

- consisting of more than 1 NUTS-2 region;
- ii. create a robust composite indicator of the quality of government at subnational level;
- iii. compare results with the 2 previous editions of the quality of government index and draw conclusions about the evolution of quality of governance at regional level.

#### **II.1.5. CPV code(s)**

79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

#### **II.1.6. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

### **II.2. Total value of the contract/lot**

#### **II.2.1. Total value of the contract/lot**

Value: 1 183 000 EUR  
excluding VAT

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

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Open

### **IV.2. Award criteria**

#### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Quality of the proposed methodology. Weighting 50
2. Organisation of the work and resources. Weighting 30
3. Quality control measures. Weighting 20

#### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction has been used: no

### **IV.3. Administrative information**

#### **IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

2016.CE.16.BAT.066.

#### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

##### **Contract notice**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2016/S 161-290659](#) of 23.8.2016

## **Section V: Award of contract**

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Contract No: 2016.CE.16.BAT.066

### **V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

28.11.2016

### **V.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

### **V.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: University of Gothenburg  
Postal address: Sprängkullsgatan 19 Box 711  
Town: Göteborg  
Postal code: SE-405 30  
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E-mail: [victor.lapuente@pol.gu.se](mailto:victor.lapuente@pol.gu.se)  
Telephone: +46 317866138

**V.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:  
Value: 1 200 000 EUR  
Total value of the procurement:  
Value: 1 183 000 EUR  
excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: yes  
Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties:  
Proportion: 68 %

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:  
no

**VI.2. Additional information**

**VI.3. Procedures for review**

**VI.3.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court  
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünewald  
Town: Luxembourg  
Postal code: 2925  
Country: Luxembourg  
Fax: +352 4303-2100

**VI.3.2. Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge. A complaint to the European Ombudsman does not have an effect either to suspend this period or to open a new period for lodging appeals.

**VI.3.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

**VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice**

22.12.2016