

**Norway-Jørpeland: System quality assurance assessment and review services**

OJ S 1/2023 02/01/2023

Contract notice

Services

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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Town: Strand

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

Country: Norway

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Town: Hjelmeland

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

Country: Norway

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Town: Suldal

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Sauda kommune

Town: Sauda

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

Country: Norway

E-mail: [jarle.karlsen@strand.kommune.no](mailto:jarle.karlsen@strand.kommune.no)

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Main address: [www.sauda.kommune.no](http://www.sauda.kommune.no)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Vindafjord kommune

Town: Vindafjord

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

Country: Norway

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Etne kommune

Town: Etne

NUTS code: NO0A2 Vestland

Country: Norway

E-mail: [tord.askvig@etne.kommune.no](mailto:tord.askvig@etne.kommune.no)

**Internet address(es):**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Kvinnherad kommune

Town: Kvinnherad

NUTS code: NO0A2 Vestland

Country: Norway

E-mail: [ronny.raudstein@kvinnherad.kommune.no](mailto:ronny.raudstein@kvinnherad.kommune.no)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.kvinnherad.kommune.no](http://www.kvinnherad.kommune.no)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Bokn kommune

Town: Bokn

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

Country: Norway

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**I.2. Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

**I.3.**

## Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/186715077.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/186715077.aspx>

### I.4. Type of the contracting authority

National or federal agency/office

### I.5. Main activity

General public services

## Section II: Object

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### II.1. Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1. Title

Part I - qualification documentation, procurement of security monitoring and security partner  
Reference number: 2022/2186

#### II.1.2. Main CPV code

72225000 System quality assurance assessment and review services

#### II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4. Short description

The contracting authority would like to use this procurement to join up with a partner that can contribute to helping municipalities meet tomorrow's IT security challenges.

As municipalities, the contracting authority is responsible for a broad spectrum of service areas. These cover everything from trade to social services to education to health. All of these services are becoming increasingly dependent on digital systems. Either for internal use or for services that are available for inhabitants in the municipalities.

The digital systems that the contracting authority uses are increasingly more mobile and available. This, together with an ever increasing threat level, means that the contracting authority sees increased competence within IT security as necessary.

As the changes within IT security happen quickly, it would be challenging to build and maintain this competence within our organisation.

#### II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 15 500 000,00 NOK

#### II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

### II.2. Description

#### II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

79710000 Security services, 72224200 System quality assurance planning services

#### II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO0A1 Rogaland

NUTS code: NO0A2 Vestland

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The contracting authority is looking for a tenderer that can provide services in the following areas:

- Continual monitoring of infrastructure and relevant IT services in order to detect unwanted activity
- Analysis and management of security incidents
  - Active response in the event of relevant security events
  - Advice on measures to reduce the risk of events occurring again
- Advice and competence raising around cyber security
  - Advice on priorities for procurements for IT security
  - Keep the municipalities continually updated on changes to the threat level
  - Regular status meetings that summarise the threat situation

The contracting authority is looking for a tenderer that can contribute to a cooperation in which our joint competence makes us stronger in the current challenging threat level.

The contracting authority has IT systems from a large selection of manufacturers and suppliers. This applies for switches, routers, firewalls, applications, cloud services, etc.

Tenderers must provide their services for this selection, and not be a manufacturer/product dependent for providing services. Tenderers are asked to answer this in their application letter with 'yes' or 'no', which must be submitted together with the qualification application. If this requirement is not fulfilled, the tenderer will be rejected.

The dialogue with the tenderer for the offered service will be in Norwegian.

All data saved in connection with the provision of the service must be saved in the EU/EEA.

As the contracting authority in this procurement will be separate customers of the tenderer, we are looking for a tenderer that is flexible with their offered service level.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6. Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 15 500 000,00 NOK

#### **II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start: 01/06/2023 End: 31/05/2026

This contract is subject to renewal: no

#### **II.2.9. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 3 Maximum number: 5 Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

All interested parties can submit an application for qualification in the contest. A maximum of 5 tenderers will be invited to participate in the tender contest. The selection will be based on the degree of fulfilment of the 'selection criteria', which are defined in the qualification documentation.

#### **II.2.10. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

#### **II.2.11. Information about options**

Options: yes

Description of options:

- Bokn Municipality has an option and can join the contract on the same or a later date than the other municipalities.

- Option to extend the contract on the same terms for 1+1 year.

#### **II.2.13. Information about European Union funds**

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

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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#### **III.1. Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

Registration is required in a company register or another trade register.

##### **III.1.2. Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Economic and financial capacity requirements.

##### **III.1.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Experience, competence, and implementation ability documentation requirements.

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Description**

##### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Competitive dialogue

##### **IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.1.4. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

Recourse to staged procedure to gradually reduce the number of solutions to be discussed or tenders to be negotiated

##### **IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **IV.2. Administrative information**

##### **IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 31/01/2023 Local time: 12:00

##### **IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

Date: 10/02/2023

##### **IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

Norwegian

##### **IV.2.6.**

**Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

**Section VI: Complementary information**

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**VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

**VI.3. Additional information**

**VI.4. Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Sør-Rogaland tingrett

Town: Stavanger

Country: Norway

**VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

28/12/2022