

B-Brussels: study on the situation of third-country nationals pending postponed return/removal in the EU Member States and the Schengen associated countries

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Contract award notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Home Affairs

Postal address: LX46, 8/104

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

Contact person: Martina Kurillova

For the attention of: Chiara Gariazzo

E-mail: home-return-fund@ec.europa.eu**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority: http://ec.europa.eu/justice_home/funding/tenders/funding_calls.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

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

Study on the situation of third-country nationals pending postponed return/removal in the EU Member States and the Schengen associated countries.

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

Services

Service category No 27: Other services

Main site or place of performance: Contractor's premises and in other locations relevant for performing visits in the Member States. Meetings between the contractor and the Commission shall be held on Commission premises in Brussels. The conference should take place in Brussels.

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 purpose of this contract is twofold:

1. Study:

- to obtain an inventory detailing the legal requirements and conditions in the Member States and Schengen associated countries concerning the treatment of third-country nationals during periods for which return/removal has been postponed. Considering in particular the rights expressly mentioned in Article 14 of the Directive 2008/115/EC (family unity, health care, education, needs of vulnerable persons, papers) as well as other pertinent rights (such as access to the labour market and material reception conditions) not mentioned in Article 14 but in practice granted by Member States to this category of persons,
- to obtain an overview on the conditions under which Member States grant a right to legal stay to the category of persons covered by this study and on the rights afforded to the third-country nationals by these permits. If no permit is granted and individuals are tolerated only 'de facto', describe which rights are attached to such 'de facto' toleration,
- to evaluate the experiences of Member States/Schengen associated countries in the application of the rules mentioned above,
- to put in the study a particular emphasis on verifiable evidence and data.

2. Conference:

- to be planned and organised in Brussels inviting all States involved in the study and other stakeholders to learn about the outcomes of the study and to contribute by sharing experiences and best practice, as well as considering possible ways forward.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

79411000 General management consultancy services

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: 369 100 EUR
excluding VAT

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

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Open

IV.2. Award criteria

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The most economically advantageous tender in terms of

1. Understanding of the environment in which the assignment is being carried out: ability to understand the political context, objectives, challenges, and the operational problems and needs, as well as the tasks to be performed and results to be achieved under this assignment.

Weighting 40

2. Quality and clarity of the approach, methodology and working methods proposed for this assignment, including a breakdown of tasks (such as gathering documentation, conducting interviews, case studies and on-site visits, etc.), a timetable and delivered products with inputs, estimated effort, project milestones and expected outcome. Weighting 30
3. Composition and organisation of the proposed team and the description of the role of the team within the assignment. Here you should give details, using the form in Annex VI, of the composition of the proposed team (total number of people directly involved in working on the study, number of days for each task, each person/grade/level of experience), including the level of direct participation by experienced (senior) staff within the organisation, but only for the purpose of the requested service. Weighting 30

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

HOME/2010/RFX/PR/1001.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2011/S 140-231508](#) of 23.7.2011

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: HOME/2010/RFX/PR/1001

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Ramboll Management Consulting

Postal address: Hannemanns Allé 53

Town: Copenhagen

Postal code: 2300

Country: Denmark

Telephone: +45 51618218

Fax: +45 51611001

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 369 100 EUR

excluding VAT

Total value of the procurement:

Value: 369 100 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:

Value excluding VAT 48 650 EUR

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
yes

Identification of the project: European return fund.

VI.2. Additional information

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 29225

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 4303-1000

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VI.3.2. Review procedure

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

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

10.1.2012