

**Luxembourg-Luxembourg: Evaluation of national actions regarding the transposition of Council Directive 2013/59/Euratom's requirements in the emergency preparedness sector**

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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 Energy, Directorate D — Nuclear Safety and Fuel Cycle

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**Internet address(es):**

General address of the contracting authority: [http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/energy/tenders/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/energy/tenders/index_en.htm)

**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

European institution/agency or international organisation

**I.3. Main activity****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**

Evaluation of national actions regarding the transposition of Council Directive 2013/59 /Euratom's requirements in the emergency preparedness sector.

**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.

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 recently published new Basic Safety Standards Directive (Council Directive 2013/59 /Euratom, BSS) modernises European radiation protection legislation by taking account of the latest scientific knowledge, technological progress and operational experience with current legislation. At the same time, the new BSS Directive consolidates the existing 'acquis' of

Euratom radiation protection legislation into 1 single piece of legislation, merging 5 directives and upgrading 1 recommendation to become legally binding.

As a result of the consolidation process, the new BSS Directive was given a broader scope and a completely new structure improving coherence and clarity of both definitions and requirements. Taking account of the latest scientific knowledge and technological progress, the new Directive entails substantial new requirements in various topical areas, e.g. improving the protection of patients in medical applications, improving the protection of workers, and improving the protection of the public in particular from natural radiation sources. Further to this, the new BSS Directive introduces strengthened requirements on emergency preparedness and response, especially with a view to the lessons learned from the Fukushima accident.

After entry into force of the Council Directive 2013/59/Euratom on the 6.2.2014, Member States have 4 years to bring into force the laws, regulations and administrative provisions necessary to comply with this Directive. The Commission is aware that the transposition and implementation of this comprehensive piece of legislation, comprising 99 definitions, 109 articles and 19 annexes, will constitute a major challenge for the respective national legislators and regulators in European Union Member States, candidate countries, and EFTA countries. The Commission is therefore planning to organise actions and activities to monitor the transposition of the BSS Directive into Member States' national legislation and to support its implementation.

The objective of this project is to evaluate in the current phase of the transposition period selected Member States' strategies and plans for the transposition and implementation of the emergency preparedness and response provisions of the new BSS Directive. This evaluation shall facilitate the detection of issues, an exchange of first experiences and resolutions, and the identification of good practices and weak areas. The evaluation shall particularly lead to the identification of topical issues which require further attention, action and activities.

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

85100000 Health 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: 85 200 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. Sub-criterion 1.1 (40 points): methods of data collection and analysis. This criterion serves to assess the proposed methodology and the

planned activities to evaluate Member States' activities for the transposition of the Directive in the emergency preparedness area. The proposed methodology shall allow the detection of issues, the exchange of experiences and resolutions, and the identification of good practices. It shall also assess the activities planned to identify and establish contacts with relevant organisations involved in the transposition and implementation of Council Directive 2013/59 /Euratom. Sub-criterion 1.2 (20 points): organisation of the workshop. This criterion shall assess planning and structure of the workshop and the activities planned to evaluate its outcome. Weighting 60

2. Organisation of the work. This criterion will assess how the roles and responsibilities of the proposed team and of the economic operators (in the case of joint tenders, including subcontractors if applicable) are distributed for each task. It also assesses the global allocation of time and resources to the project and to each task or deliverable, and whether this allocation is adequate for the work. The tender should provide details on the allocation of time and resources and the rationale behind the choice of this allocation. Weighting 20

3. Quality control measures. This criterion will assess the quality control system applied to the service foreseen in this tender specification concerning the quality of the deliverables, the language quality check, and continuity of the service in case of absence of the member of the team. The quality system should be detailed in the tender and specific to the tasks at hand; a generic quality system will result in a low score. 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**

ENER/D3/2015-353.

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

###### **Contract notice**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2015/S 120-218761](#) of 25.6.2015

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

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

23.11.2015

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

Number of tenders received: 3

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

Official name: Vinçotte Nuclear Safety (VNS) SA-NV

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Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1070

Country: Belgium

Telephone: +32 25280111

Internet address: [www.vnsafety.eu](http://www.vnsafety.eu)

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:

Value: 100 000 EUR

excluding VAT  
Total value of the procurement:  
Value: 85 200 EUR  
excluding VAT

**V.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

**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 of the European Union  
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald  
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**VI.3.2. Review procedure**

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

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

12.1.2016