

Belgium-Brussels: Legal study on commercial establishment through the 28 Member States: restrictions and freedom of establishment

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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 the Internal Market and Services

Postal address: SPA2, 01/51

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: ec-intmarket-contracts@ec.europa.eu**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority: http://ec.europa.eu/comm/dgs/internal_market/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**

Legal study on commercial establishment through the 28 Member States: restrictions and freedom of establishment.

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

Services

Service category No 21: Legal services

Main site or place of performance: The tasks are to be performed at the premises designated by the contractor. A maximum of 4 coordination meetings with the contracting authority will be held 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 study is to describe the different national systems regulating commercial establishment across the EU and to undertake a comparative assessment of these systems in the light of their compatibility with EU internal market rules, in particular with the freedom of

establishment and the Services Directive.

This study feeds into the follow-up of one of the 11 actions from the European retail action plan adopted on 31.1.2013.

II.1.5. CPV code(s)

79100000 Legal services, 79111000 Legal advisory services, 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: 226 650 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. Quality and relevance of the proposed methodology. Weighting 65
2. Organisation of the work. Weighting 20
3. Quality control measures. Weighting 10
4. Readability, clarity and coherence of the offer. Weighting 5

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

MARKT/2013/104/E.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Contract notice

Notice number in the OJ S: [2013/S 143-248226](#) of 25.7.2013

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: MARKT/2013/104/E2/ST/OP

V.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

29.11.2013

V.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

V.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: HVG Advocaten-Avocats
Postal address: De Kleetlaan 2
Town: Diegem
Postal code: 1831
Country: Belgium

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot:
Value: 240 000 EUR
excluding VAT
Total value of the procurement:
Value: 226 650 EUR
excluding VAT

V.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted: no

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:
no

VI.2. Additional information

VI.3. Procedures for review

VI.3.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the Court of Justice of the European Union
Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald
Town: Luxembourg
Postal code: 2925
Country: Luxembourg
Telephone: +352 4303-1
Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.3.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: Within 2 months of the notification to the plaintiff, or, in the absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge.

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

VI.4. Date of dispatch of this notice

16.1.2014