

**Norway-Ås: Laboratory services**  
**OJ S 17/2023 24/01/2023**  
**Contract notice**  
**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

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**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: NIBIO, Norsk institutt for bioøkonomi

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <https://permalink.mercell.com/194265702.aspx>

Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.nibio.no/>

**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/194265702.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/194265702.aspx>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5. Main activity**

Other activity: Research

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1. Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1. Title**

22/00059 Framework agreement for analysis services.

Reference number: 22/00059

**II.1.2. Main CPV code**

71900000 Laboratory services

**II.1.3.**

## **Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4. Short description**

NIBIO invites tenderers to a contest for framework agreements for analysis services.

### **II.1.5. Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 22 500 000,00 NOK

### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

## **II.2. Description**

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

73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services, 73100000 Research and experimental development services, 73110000 Research services, 73111000 Research laboratory services

### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: NO082 Viken

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

NIBIO will have a great need for analyses for our projects within research, reports, monitoring and for consultancy assignments. Analysis data is often included in scientific reports and published nationally and internationally, so there are, therefore, particularly high requirements for the quality and reliability of the data.

The purpose of the procurement is to cover NIBIO's need for assistance within the following analysis categories:

1. Coarse fodder
2. Soil/sediment/organic material
3. Food and nutritional products
4. Plant material
5. Water

### **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: 22 500 000,00 NOK

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

Start: 03/04/2023 End: 03/04/2025

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The contract period will be two years, with an option for up to a two year extension (one year at a time).

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

Variants will be accepted: no

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

Options: yes

Description of options:

The contract period will be two years, with an option for up to a two year extension (one year at a time).

#### **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:

Tenderers must have orderly conditions with regard to payment of tax, employer's national insurance contributions and VAT.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Tax and VAT certificate that must be uploaded in Merccell and that must not be older than 6 months.

Tenderers must be a legally established company.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Company registration certificate

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

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers must have the sufficient financial strength to fulfil the contract.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Credit evaluation/rating, not older than 6 months, based on the last known accounting figures. The rating must be carried out by a government approved credit rating institution.

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

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Relevant experience

Tenderers must have relevant experience from equivalent assignments based on the size and complexity, and capacities that enable them to carry out this delivery in its entirety in a good way.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: An overview of the company's relevant deliveries (preferably R&D institutions and consulting companies) in the last 3 years.

Quality assurance system

Tenderers must have a satisfactory quality assurance system that covers the activities included in the contract.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: If a tenderer is certified in accordance with ISO9001 or equivalent, it is sufficient to present a copy of a valid certificate. Possibly a description of the tenderer's system for quality assurance.

Environment management system.

Tenderers must have a well-functioning environment management system.

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Tenderers must present a valid certificate issued by an approved independent third party in accordance with standards such as ISO14001. Possibly an account of the tenderer's environment management measures that fulfil the requirements for an independent certified established environment management system.

## Section IV: Procedure

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### IV.1. Description

#### IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

#### 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: 01/03/2023 Local time: 12:00

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

#### 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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 01/03/2023 Local time: 12:01

## 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: Follo og Nordre Østfold tingrett

Town: Ski

Country: Norway

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

19/01/2023