

Belgium-Brussels: Framework Contract for Remote Simultaneous Interpretation Services for the European Committee of the Region's Online Meetings

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**Contract notice
Services****Legal Basis:**

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Committee of the Regions

Postal address: Rue Belliard/Belliardstraat 101

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Postal code: 1040

Country: Belgium

Contact person: Unit E4 — General Administration and Public Procurement

E-mail: cor-marches-publics@cor.europa.eu**Internet address(es):**Main address: <http://cor.europa.eu>Address of the buyer profile: <http://cor.europa.eu/en/about/tenders/Pages/calls-for-tender.aspx>**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=7805>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=7805>

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I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Framework Contract for Remote Simultaneous Interpretation Services for the European Committee of the Region's Online Meetings

Reference number: CDR/MEM/3/2021

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79540000 Interpretation services

II.1.3.

Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The subject of this call for tenders is framework contract for remote simultaneous interpretation services for the European Committee of the Region's online meetings.

The CoR supports multilingualism in both written and oral communication. For this, the CoR provides interpretation for its political meetings and conferences through the use of external suppliers.

In the context of the Covid-19 crisis, the CoR has decided, as far as possible, to hold meetings with interpretation remotely using a remote meeting platform in order to ensure multilingualism while protecting the health of conference interpreters, technicians and staff. The purpose of this contract is to make such services available when and where required, in the required quantity and quality.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 1 230 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad

Main site or place of performance: See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.5. Award criteria

Criteria below

Price

II.2.6. Estimated value

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

Duration in months: 12

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

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

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2. Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2. Contract performance conditions

See internet address provided in section I.3).

Section IV: Procedure

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 a single operator

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: 12/03/2021 Local time: 23:59

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

Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English, Spanish, Estonian, Finnish, French, Irish, Croatian, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Maltese, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovenian, Swedish

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 9 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 15/03/2021 Local time: 11:30

Place:

European Committee of the Regions, Rue Montoyer 92, 1040 Brussels/Brussel, BELGIUM /BELGIË.

In the view of the Covid-19 situation, the attendance to the opening session may be on-line or face-to-face depending on the number of attendees.

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: See internet address provided in section I.3).

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

In accordance with Article 164 paragraph 5 and Annex I.11.1) (e) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18.7.2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, the Committee of the Regions may initiate negotiated procedures with the successful tenderers of this tender for new services consisting of the repetition of services similar to those in this notice.

VI.4. Procedures for review**VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

Internet address: <https://curia.europa.eu/jcms/jcms/index.html>

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

02/02/2021