

Norway-Oslo: Research services

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Kommunal- og moderniseringsdepartementet

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Address of the buyer profile: <https://eu.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/328895>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=293759&B=DFO

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: http://eu.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=293759&B=DFO

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I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Procurement of a National Research Centre on Housing and Welfare

Reference number: 20/6557

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73110000 Research services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

KMD wants to strengthen long term research on housing and welfare, and will establish a centre for such research. The contracting authority would like more knowledge on the connections between the housing market, low income, and living conditions. This includes questions such as: Who are the vulnerable groups in the housing market, what social drivers and risk factors have led them there, and what must be done to improve the situation? There is a further need for studies that look at disadvantaged persons' housing situation in connection with the housing market in general, and the general housing policy. The contracting authority would like more research on the importance of living conditions in other welfare areas such as school, education, work, and health.

There are several environments that currently work on housing research aimed at vulnerable groups, and one of the aims of the centre is to connect housing researchers and the research together. This can be in the form of a network or other forms of cooperation, with a centre as the base.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 60 000 000,00 NOK

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73100000 Research and experimental development services, 73200000 Research and development consultancy services, 73210000 Research consultancy services, 73300000 Design and execution of research and development

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO Norge

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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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: 60 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 96

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

The contract duration will be minimum 3 years, with an option for the contracting authority for an extension for up to 5 years.

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.1.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

Requirements: Tenderers must be a legally established company.

Documentation:

Norwegian companies: Company registration certificate

Foreign tenderers: Verification that the company is registered in a trade index or a register of business enterprises as prescribed by the law of the country where the company is established.

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Paid taxes and duties.

Documentation:

A certificate, not older than 6 months, which verifies that the tenderer has fulfilled the obligations of payment of taxes, social security contributions and VAT. The certificate can be ordered and obtained from Altinn by using a separate link on skatteetaten.no. Foreign tenderers must provide certificates from equivalent authorities to the Norwegian authorities.

Requirement: Tenderers must be able to show adequate economic and financial capacity for the delivery.

Documentation:

A credit rating with key figures from a recognised credit assessment company, or other form of documentation to verify that the requirement has been met.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Requirement: Tenderers must have sufficient ability and experience to carry out the delivery.

Documentation:

A description of the tenderer's three most relevant assignments in the last 3 years, together with information about the contract value, date for delivery or execution and the name of the recipient.

Relevant deliveries means economic research, either as assignment research or published scientific articles. The description must be on maximum three pages.

Tenderers are responsible for ensuring that the description is of such a nature that it documents fulfilment of the requirement.

Requirement:

Tenderers must have sufficient researcher competence to fulfil the delivery.

Documentation:

An overview must be presented of the educational and professional qualifications for employees with relevant knowledge and experience for the procurement. Relevant knowledge and experience means experience from equivalent fields with the complexity or scope as requested in this tender documentation, c.f. the assignment description in annex 1.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Competitive procedure with negotiation

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

IV.1.5. Information about negotiation

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 26/03/2021 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

Tender must be valid until: 18/09/2021

Section VI: Complementary information

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: Oslo Tingrett

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Country: Norway

E-mail: oslo.tingrett@domstol.no

Telephone: +47 22035200

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VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: KOFA

Town: Bergen

Country: Norway

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: KOFA

Town: Bergen

Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

25/02/2021