

Belgium-Brussels: Connectivity to the SWIFT network for DG Budget

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for the Budget

Postal address: avenue d'Auderghem 19, BRE2

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

For the attention of: Head of Unit R4

E-mail: budg-2015-po-04@ec.europa.eu**Additional information can be obtained from:**

the abovementioned address

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted: Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for the Budget

Postal address: avenue d'Auderghem 19, BRE2 07/442

Town: Brussels

Postal code: 1049

Country: Belgium

E-mail: budg-2015-po-04@ec.europa.eu**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 attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Connectivity to the SWIFT network for DG Budget.

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

Services

Service category No 5: Telecommunications services

Main site or place of performance: Luxembourg and Brussels.

NUTS code BE Belgique / België, LU Luxembourg

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

The notice involves a public contract

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

The European Commission is launching an invitation to tender for the provision of leased line access to the SWIFTNet messaging platform by a SWIFT agreed network partner (having a master service agreement with SWIFT), to cover the needs of the Directorate-General for the Budget.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

32400000 Networks, 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies

II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

II.1.8. Lots

This contract is divided into lots: yes
Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

Estimated value 225 000 EUR for both lots together, for the maximum contract duration of 4 years. The initial contract duration is 1 year.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: yes
Number of possible renewals: 3

II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Main lot

1) Short description

Leased lines in Machelen (host) and Brussels (BRE2), Belgium and Luxembourg (JMO), Luxembourg.

2) CPV code(s)

32400000 Networks, 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies

3) Quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT: 135 000 EUR

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Secondary lot

1) Short description

Leased lines in Machelen (host), Belgium and Luxembourg (JMO), Luxembourg.

2) CPV code(s)

32400000 Networks, 32500000 Telecommunications equipment and supplies

3) Quantity or scope

Estimated value excluding VAT: 90 000 EUR

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: yes

Description of particular conditions: The contractors need to be network partners of SWIFT (having a master service agreement with SWIFT).

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: See tender specifications.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: See tender specifications.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

The contractors need to be network partners of SWIFT.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract: no

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open

IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

Lowest price

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

BUDG 15/PO/04.

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 11.5.2015

Payable documents: no

IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

25.5.2015 - 16:00

IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

Any EU official language

IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 1.6.2015

Place:

Brussels.

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: yes

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: A place for the opening of tenders can be obtained via the functional mailbox: budg-2015-po-04@ec.europa.eu

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
no

VI.3. Additional information**VI.4. Procedures for review****VI.4.1. Review body**

Official name: Court of Justice of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: ecj.registry@curia.eu.int

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Fax: +352 433766

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: European Ombudsman

Postal address: 1 avenue du Président Robert Schuman, CS 30403

Town: Strasbourg

Postal code: 67001

Country: France

Telephone: +33 388172313

Fax: +33 388179062

Internet address: <http://ombudsman.europa.eu>

VI.4.2. Review procedure**VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: General Court

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: generalcourt.registry@curia.europa.eu

Telephone: +352 4303-1

Fax: +352 4303-2100

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu>

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

27.3.2015