

Belgium-Brussels: Increase of the Budget Ceiling of the Evaluation FWC – Lot 3 – Studying, Assessing and Evaluating Research and Innovation Programmes and Policies (SARI)
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Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Commission, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation (RTD), RTD.G.2 - Common Programme Analysis and Regulatory Reform
Postal address: Espace Orban (ORBN), Square Frère-Orban 8
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Postal code: 1040
Country: Belgium
E-mail: rtd-call-for-tenders@ec.europa.eu

Internet address(es):

Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/research-and-innovation_en

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Research Executive Agency (REA)
Town: Brussels
NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad
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Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/research-and-innovation_en

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Europe's Rail Joint Undertaking (EU-RAIL)
Town: Brussels
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Country: Belgium
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I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Clean Aviation Joint Undertaking (CAJU)
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Town: Brussels
NUTS code: BE100 Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad
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I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Innovative Medicines Initiative 2 Joint Undertaking (IMI 2)

Postal address: Espace Orban (ORBN), Square Frère-Orban 8

Town: Brussels

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

Country: Belgium

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Internet address(es):

Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/research-and-innovation_en

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Circular Bio-based Europe Joint Undertaking (CBE JU)

Postal address: Espace Orban (ORBN), Square Frère-Orban 8

Town: Brussels

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

Country: Belgium

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Internet address(es):

Main address: http://ec.europa.eu/info/departments/research-and-innovation_en

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Research Council Executive Agency (ERCEA)

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Town: Brussels

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

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I.2. Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Increase of the Budget Ceiling of the Evaluation FWC – Lot 3 – Studying, Assessing and Evaluating Research and Innovation Programmes and Policies (SARI)

Reference number: RTD/2021/NP/0007

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73210000 Research consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Increase of the budget ceiling of the evaluation FWC – lot 3 – studying, assessing and evaluating research and innovation programmes and policies (SARI).

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 7 425 000,00 EUR

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

73210000 Research consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

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

Main site or place of performance: Espace Orban (ORBN), Square Frère-Orban 8, 1040 Brussels, BELGIUM.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

Increase of the budget ceiling of the evaluation FWC – lot 3 – studying, assessing and evaluating research and innovation programmes and policies (SARI).

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price

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:
yes

Identification of the project: Horizon Europe

II.2.14. Additional information

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the Official Journal of the European Union in the cases listed below

- New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services and ordered in accordance with the strict conditions stated in the directive

Explanation:

As announced in Section 1.9 of the tender specifications for the original framework contract (2018/RTD/A2/OP/PP-07001-2018), the contracting authority may use the procedure stated in

art. 134.1 f) RAP1 (the current Point 11.1§e of Annex I of FR 18 July 2018) to launch a negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice for new services consisting in the repetition of similar services entrusted to the economic operators awarded with the original contract. This procedure may be used only within the legal duration of the framework contract and at the latest during the three years following its signature. The present procedure is meant to increase the maximum ceiling of the present framework contract accounting to 50 % of the initial framework contract value. The budget ceiling of the framework contract was being used faster than initially anticipated and further necessary actions are planned to be implemented by the contracting authorities. Many other DGs expressed their interest to use the framework contract too. Taken all of the above into account the need for the ceiling increase is duly justified.

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Amendment No 3 to Contract No. FW-00072941

Lot No: 3

Title:

Increase of the Budget Ceiling of the Evaluation FWC– Lot 3 – Studying, Assessing and Evaluating Research and Innovation Programmes and Policies (SARI)

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

10/03/2022

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Technopolis Consulting Group Belgium

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE10 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Centre for European Policy Studies

Town: Brussels
NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest
Country: Belgium
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: University of Twente
Town: Enschede
NUTS code: NL Nederland
Country: Netherlands
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Economisti Associati Srl
Town: Bologne
NUTS code: ITC Nord-Ovest
Country: Italy
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Elsevier Canada Inc
Town: Montreal
NUTS code: CA Canada
Country: Canada
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Austrian Institute of Technology AIT
Town: Vienna
NUTS code: AT13 Wien
Country: Austria
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 30 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Contract Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. FW-00072942

Lot No: 3

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

10/03/2022

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Ecorys Brussels, N.V

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: European Future Innovation System Centre ASBL

Town: Ottignies-Louvain-la-Neuve

NUTS code: BE Belgique / België

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Visionary Analytics UAB

Town: Vilnius

NUTS code: LT01 Sostinės regionas

Country: Lithuania

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Consultores de Automatización Y Robotica, S.A

Town: Getxo

NUTS code: ES51 Cataluña

Country: Spain

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 8 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Contract Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. FW-00072943

Lot No: 3

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

10/03/2022

V.2.2.

Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: ICF S.A

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: RAND Europe (EU) AISBL

Town: Brussels

NUTS code: BE1 Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest

Country: Belgium

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

Total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 40 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Contract Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. FW-00072921

Lot No: 3

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract**V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

10/03/2022

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: PPMI Group, UAB

Town: Vilnius

NUTS code: LT01 Sostinės regionas

Country: Lithuania

The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: SEURECO – Société Européenne d'Economie

Town: Paris

NUTS code: FR101 Paris

Country: France
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Athena Research and Innovation Center in Information Communication and Knowledge Technologies
Town: Athens
NUTS code: EL Ελλάδα / Elláda
Country: Greece
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Maastricht Economic Research Institute on Innovation and Technology
Town: Maastricht
NUTS code: NL Nederland
Country: Netherlands
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 33 %

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: Contract Amendment No. 5 to Contract No. FW-00072841

Lot No: 3

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

10/03/2022

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5
The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Oxford Group A/S
Town: Copenhagen
NUTS code: DK01 Hovedstaden
Country: Denmark
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Centre for Strategy and Evaluation Services LLP
Town: Kent
NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Country: United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: CSIL / Centro Studi Industria Leggera SCRL
Town: Milan
NUTS code: IT Italia
Country: Italy
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Tetra Tech International Development Sp. z.o.o.
Town: Warszawa
NUTS code: PL Polska
Country: Poland
The contractor is an SME: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Ipsos NV
Town: Berchem
NUTS code: BE Belgique / België
Country: Belgium
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Panteia B.V
Town: Zoetermer
NUTS code: NL Nederland
Country: Netherlands
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Trilateral Research
Town: Dundalk
NUTS code: IE Éire / Ireland
Country: Ireland
The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR
Total value of the contract/lot: 7 425 000,00 EUR

V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties Proportion: 15 %

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

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: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

28/03/2022